

# Tell me not of earthly pleasures

Consecration — Belonging to the Lord

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(Guitar)

1. Tell me not of earth - ly plea - sures, Tempt me not with sor - did gain;  
Mock me not with earth's il - lu - sions, Vex me not with hon - ors vain.  
I am weaned from sin - ful i - dols; I am henceforth not my own;  
I have giv'n my heart to Je - sus, I be - long to Him a - lone.

**Chorus**  
(C) I am not my own, I am not my own.  
I belong to Je - sus, And I am not my own.

The musical score is written for guitar and voice. It features a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature (C). The melody is primarily quarter and eighth notes, with some rests. Chords are indicated by letters above the staff: D, Em, A, A7, G, Bm, E, E7, and D. The lyrics are written below the staff, with line numbers 1, 5, 9, 13, 17, and 21. A 'Chorus' section is marked with a box above the staff at line 17.

2. Oh, the blessed rest it brings us  
To belong to Christ alone;  
We can draw on all His fulness  
When we've nothing of our own.  
Blessed Jesus, take me, own me,  
Make me, keep me wholly Thine.  
Deign to find in me Thy portion,  
While I joy to call Thee mine.

3. Weary soul, give up the struggle,  
Cease at length thyself to own;  
Give yourself away to Jesus,  
And belong to Him alone.  
Once He gave His all to win thee,  
Now He asks as much of thee;  
All He has He fully gives thee;  
Let thy love His portion be.