

Earthen vessel I was made
Experience of Christ — Containing Him

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Musical score for the hymn "Earthen vessel I was made". The score is written in G major (one flat) and common time (C). It consists of two staves. The first staff contains the melody and the lyrics: "1. Earth - en ves - sel I was made, Christ in me the trea - sure laid;". The second staff contains the accompaniment and the lyrics: "His con-tain - er I must be, As the con - tent He in me." The accompaniment includes a variety of chords such as F, Bb, F/C, Dm, F/A, Gm, C7, F, Bb/F, and F. The melody is simple and follows the natural inflection of the lyrics.

2. In His image I was made,
Fit that Christ should all pervade;
Thus the vessel God did form
With the content uniform.
3. In my spirit He remains,
With His power He sustains;
As the Spirit one with me,
He is my reality.
4. Moving in me day by day,
Mingling with me all the way,
All my steps He regulates,
Every part He saturates.
5. Him expressing from within,
Making Him to others seen,
I transparent have to be
That He may be shown thru me.
6. Transformation is my need,
To be broken more indeed,
That the clay may change in form,
To the treasure to conform.