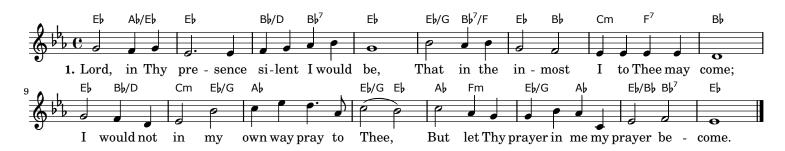
Lord, in Thy presence

Prayer — The Meaning

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- 2. It seems Thou art in heaven hearing me, But right within my spirit Thou dost dwell; It seems that I am praying unto Thee, But really from Thyself the prayers do well.
- 3. When, Lord, no words my burden can express, My spirit with Thy Spirit deeply groans; Not verbally I then my plea address, But Thou dost pray within with words unknown.
- 4. I would inhale Thee, Lord, e'en as I breathe, And eat and drink Thee as my life supply. A deeper fellowship with Thee bequeath That Thou express Thyself through me thereby.
- 5. Here in this fellowship Thy light doth shine, Thy precious blood doth cleanse and make me clean; May I not only, Lord, Thy light enshrine, But may Thou be expressed and clearly seen.
- 6. Thy oil anoints me here in every way, Anointing Thee within unceasingly; I more decrease, Thou more increase each day, Thus full expression Thou shalt have through me.
- 7. Myself I open that Thou may flow in;
 Op'ning myself to others, Lord, flow out;
 By such a stream, the fellowship within,
 Thou, Lord, expressed will be my life throughout.