

# The love of Christ constraineth

Service — Constrained by the Lord's Love

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Musical score for the hymn "The love of Christ constraineth". The score is written in a single system with four staves. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is common time (C). The melody is written on a treble clef staff. Chord symbols are placed above the notes. The lyrics are written below the notes. The score is divided into four measures, with measure numbers 1, 4, 8, and 12 indicated at the beginning of each line.

1. The love of Christ constraineth; Oh, let the watch-word  
ring Till all the world adoring To Jesus' feet it  
bring. Till north and south the kingdoms Shall own His glorious  
sway, And east and west the nations Re-joice to see His Day.

2. The love of Christ constraineth;  
At home, abroad, where'er  
By sea or shore abiding  
His Name and mark we bear.  
We ask not that our service  
Or great or small may be,  
If only Thou wilt own it,  
Dear Lord, as unto Thee.

3. The love of Christ constraineth;  
And we who trust His Word,  
Who know and feel its power  
To gladder service stirred,  
Shall neither faint nor falter,  
Though dark the night and long,  
And weak our hands that labor;  
His strength shall make us strong.

4. The love of Christ constraineth,  
Then let us work and pray,  
And watch the glad appearing  
Of that triumphant day,  
When Father, Son, and Spirit,  
By every tongue confessed,  
All earth His broad dominion  
In His dear love shall rest.