

Mercy's Vessel

Encouragement — For Trusting the Lord

(Guitar)

The musical score is written for guitar and voice. It consists of four staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody is written in a simple, hymn-like style. Chords are indicated by letters C, F, G, and G^{sus4} above the notes. The lyrics are written below the notes, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across notes. The first line of music covers measures 1 through 8. The second line starts at measure 9 and ends at measure 16. The third line starts at measure 17 and ends at measure 24. The fourth line starts at measure 25 and ends at measure 32. The lyrics for the first line are: "1. When this poor sin - ner stands at last Per - fect - ed as a son,". The second line: "I'll praise my God for man - y things But most what mer - cy's done.". The third line: "While far from God and dead in sin Rich mer - cy did a - bound;". The fourth line: "I did not ask or seek for God But yet my Lord I found."

2. I'm mercy's vessel, this I know,
For God has chosen me;
The riches of His glory shall
Thus manifested be.
Not him who wills can follow now
This way as yet unknown;
Not him who runs can yet pursue,
But to whom mercy's shown.

3. My Father's lovingkindness, 'tis,
That I am not consumed—
For His compassions never fail;
Each morning they are new.
Through His compassions day by day
I give myself to be
Transformed and built with other saints,
Christ's Body thus to see.