

I give my heart to Thee (New Tune)

Experience of Christ—Love for Him

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(Guitar: Capo 1)

The musical score is written for guitar with a capo on the first fret. It consists of four staves of music in a 4/4 time signature, with a key signature of one flat (B-flat major). The melody is written on a treble clef staff. The lyrics are written below the notes. Chord symbols (D, A, Bm, G, A7) are placed above the staff to indicate the guitar accompaniment. The score begins with a measure rest, followed by the first line of music. The second line starts at measure 5, the third at measure 9, and the fourth at measure 13. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

1. I give my heart to Thee, O Je - sus most de - sired;
And heart for heart the gift shall be, For Thou my heart hast fired.
Thou hearts a - lone wouldst move, Thou on - ly hearts dost love;
I would love Thee as Thou lov'st me, O Je - sus most de - sired.

2. What offering can I make,
Dear Lord, to love like Thine;
That Thou, the Word, didst stoop to take
A human form like mine?
"Give Me thy heart, my son":
Lord, Thou my heart hast won;
I would love Thee as Thou lov'st me,
O Jesus most desired.

3. Thy heart is opened wide,
Its offered love most free,
That heart to heart I may abide,
And hide myself in Thee.
Ah, how Thy love doth burn,
Till I that love return!
I would love Thee as Thou lov'st me,
O Jesus most desired.

4. Here finds my heart its rest,
Repose that knows no shock,
The strength of love that keeps it blest
In Thee, the riven Rock.
My heart, as girt around,
Her citadel hath found;
I would love Thee as Thou lov'st me,
O Jesus most desired.