

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

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on which the Prince of glo - ry died,
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and pour con - tempt on all my pride.

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: '1. When I sur - vey the won - drous cross on which the Prince of glo - ry died, My rich - est gain I count but loss, and pour con - tempt on all my pride.'

2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the dearth of Christ my God;
All vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to his blood.
3. See, from his head, his hands, his feet, sorrow and love flow mingled down:
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, or thorns compose so rich a crown?
4. Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were a present far too small:
Love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.