

HYMN TEXTS – JANUARY 16, 2022

COME, THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING

1 Come, Thou Fount of every blessing,
tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing,
call for songs of loudest praise:
teach me some melodious sonnet,
sung by flaming tongues above;
praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,
mount of Thy redeeming love.

2 Here I raise my Ebenezer;
hither by Thy help I'm come;
and I hope, by Thy good pleasure,
safely to arrive at home:
Jesus sought me when a stranger,
wandering from the fold of God;
He, to rescue me from danger,
interposed His precious blood.

3 O to grace how great a debtor
daily I'm constrained to be!
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter,
bind my wandering heart to Thee:
prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
prone to leave the God I love,
here's my heart, Lord,
take and seal it,
seal it for Thy courts above.

JESUS, THE VERY THOUGHT OF THEE

1 Jesus, the very thought of Thee
with sweetness fills my breast;
but sweeter far thy face to see,
and in Thy presence rest.

2 No voice can sing, no heart can frame,
nor can the memory find
a sweeter sound than Jesus' name,
Savior of humankind!

3 O hope of every contrite heart!
O joy of all the meek!
To those who fall, how kind Thou art!
How good to those who seek!

4 But what to those who find? Ah! this,
no tongue or pen can show
the love of Jesus, what it is
none but His loved ones know.

LET YOUR HEART BE BROKEN

1 Let your heart be broken for a world in need
feed the mouths that hunger, soothe the wounds that bleed,
give the cup of water and the loaf of bread
be the hands of Jesus, serving in His stead.

2 Here on earth applying principles of love
visible expression God still rules above,
living illustration of the Living Word
to the minds of all who've never seen and heard.

3 Add to your believing deeds that prove it true
knowing Christ as Savior, make Him Master, too;
follow in His footsteps, go where He has trod,
in the world's great trouble risk yourself for God.

4 Let your heart be tender and your vision clear
see the world as God sees, serve Him far and near;
let your heart be broken by another's pain,
share your rich resources give and give again.

TAKE MY LIFE, LEAD ME, LORD

1 Take my life, lead me, Lord,
take my life, lead me, Lord,
make my life useful to Thee;
take my life, lead me, Lord,
take my life, lead me, Lord,
make my life useful to Thee.

2 Take my life, teach me, Lord,
take my life, teach me, Lord,
make my life useful the Thee;
take my life, teach me, Lord,
take my life, teach me Lord,
make my life useful to Thee.

3 Here am I, send me, Lord,
here am I, send me, Lord,
make my life useful to Thee;
here am I, send me, Lord,
here am I, send me, Lord,
make my life useful to Thee.