

457. I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art

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1. I greet Thee, who my sure Re-deem-er art,
 2. Thou art the King of mer-cy and of grace,
 3. Thou art the life, by which a-lone we live,
 4. Thou hast the true and per-fect gen-tle-ness,

My on-ly trust and Sav-ior of my heart,
 Reign-ing om-nip-o-tent in ev-ery place:
 And all our sub-stance and our strength re-ceive;
 No harsh-ness hast Thou and no bit-ter-ness:

Who pain didst un-der-go for my poor sake;
 So come, O King, and our whole be-ing sway;
 Sus-tain us by Thy faith and by Thy power,
 O grant to us the grace we find in Thee.

I pray Thee from our hearts all cares to take,
 Shine on us with the light of Thy pure day,
 And give us strength in ev-ery try-ing hour,
 That we may dwell in per-fect u-ni-ty.

5. Our hope is in no other save in Thee;
 Our faith is built upon Thy promise free;
 Lord, give us peace, and make us calm and sure,
 That in Thy strength we evermore endure.