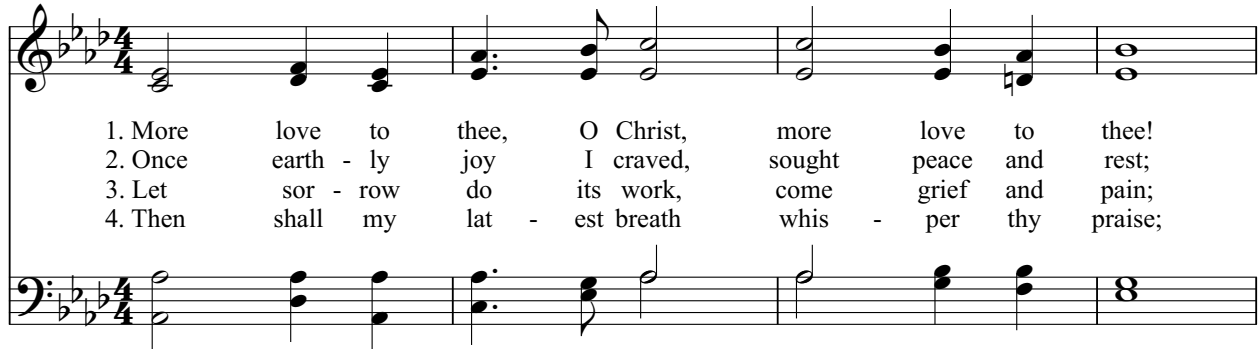


# More Love to Thee, O Christ



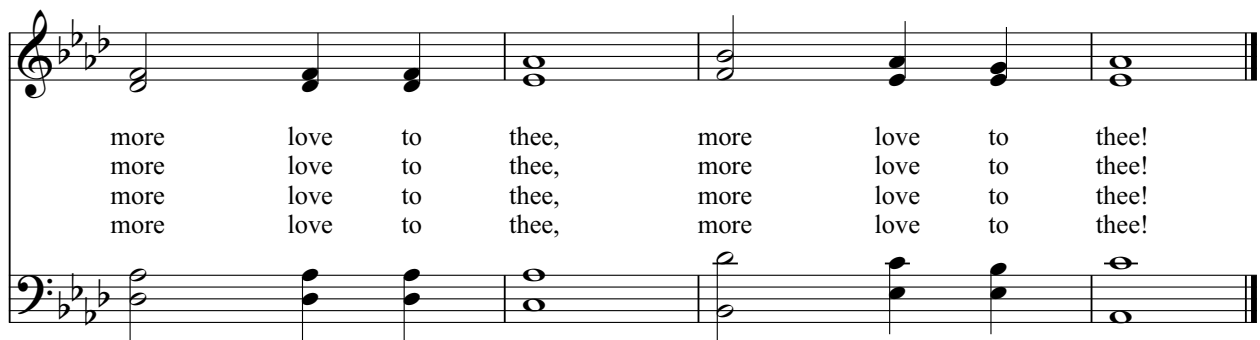
1. More love to thee, O Christ, more love to thee!  
 2. Once earth - ly joy I craved, sought peace and rest;  
 3. Let sor - row do its work, come grief and pain;  
 4. Then shall my lat - est breath whis - per thy praise;



Hear thou the prayer I make on ben - ded knee.  
 now thee a - lone I seek, give what is best.  
 sweet are thy mes - sen - gers, sweet their re - frain,  
 this be the par - ting cry my heart shall raise;



This is my earn - est plea: More love, O Christ, to thee;  
 This all my prayer shall be: More love, O Christ, to thee;  
 when they can sing with me: More love, O Christ, to thee;  
 this still its prayer shall be: More love, O Christ, to thee;



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Text: Elizabeth P. Prentiss, 1869  
 Tune: William H. Doane, 1870



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