

O Love of God, How Strong and True



1 O love of God, how strong and true, e -
2 O heav - enly love, how pre - cious still in
3 O wide - em - brac - ing won - drous love! we
4 We read you in the flowers, the trees, the
5 We read you best in him who came to



ter - nal and yet ev - er new, un - com - pre -
days of wea - ri - ness and ill, in nights of
read you in the sky a - bove; we read you
fresh - ness of the fra - grant breeze, the song of
bear for us the cross of shame, sent by the



hend - ed and un - bought, be -
pain and help - less - ness, to
in the earth be - low, in
birds up - on the wing, the
Fa - ther from on high, our



yond all knowl - edge and all thought.
heal, to com - fort, and to bless.
seas that swell and streams that flow.
joy of sum - mer and of spring.
life to live, our death to die.

6 We read your power to bless and save
e'en in the darkness of the grave;
still more in resurrection light
we read the fullness of your might.

7 O love of God, our shield and stay
through all the perils of our way;
eternal love, in you we rest,
forever safe, forever blest.