More Love to Thee, O Christ

1. More love to Thee, O Christ, More love to Thee! Hear Thou the prayer I make On bended knee; This is my earnest plea:
   My heart shall raise; This still its prayer shall be:

2. Once earthly joy I craved, Sought peace and rest; Now Thee a lone I seek, Give what is best; This all my prayer shall be:
   My heart shall raise; This still its prayer shall be:

3. Then shall my latest breath Whisper Thy praise; This be the praying cry My heart shall raise; This still its prayer shall be:
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More love, O Christ, to Thee, More love to Thee, More love to Thee!

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