

## The Christian's Glory on This Earth

(163, 169, 216)

1. The Christian's glo - ry on this earth      The cross of Christ must be,  
 2. It's hum-bly tak - en, glad - ly borne,      And count-ed as a gain.  
 3. And though it pains and grieves us too,      Yet are we con - fi - dent;

And he who knows its pre-cious worth      Here bears it will-ing - ly.  
 But on the breast it is not worn,      Ah, no, it's borne with-in.  
 We well know what the cross should do,      By Whom it has been sent.

4. But for a time we bear it here,  
 An earnest of God's love  
 And of the glorious robe we'll wear  
 When we reach heav'n above!