210. I've Found a Friend

...not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins." IJn. 4:10 a Friend! He loved I knew Him; found a Friend, oh, such me ere found a Friend, oh, such a Friend! He bled, He died to save me; found a Friend, oh, such a Friend! So kind, and true, and ten - der, drew me with the cords of love, And thus He bound me to Him. And not a - lone the gift of life, But His own self He gave me. a Coun-se - lor and Guide, So might - y So wise De-fend - er! a And 'round my heart still close - ly twine Those ties which naught can sev - er, Naught that I have my own I call, I hold it for the Giv - er: From Him who loves me now so well, What power my soul can sev - er? For I is mine, For-ev - er and am His, and He for - ev - er. and His heart, my strength, my life, my all, Are His, for - ev - er. Shall life death, or earth or hell? am His for - ev - er. No; I