

## CROWN AFTER CROSS

"...Who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross..." (Hebrews 12:2).

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1. Light af - ter dark - ness, Gain af - ter loss,  
 2. Sheaves af - ter sow - ing, Sun af - ter rain,  
 3. Near af - ter dis - tant, Gleam af - ter gloom,

Strength af - ter wea - ri - ness, Crown af - ter cross.  
 Sight af - ter mys - ter - y, Peace af - ter pain.  
 Love af - ter lone - li - ness, Life af - ter tomb.

Sweet af - ter bit - ter, Song af - ter sigh,  
 Joy af - ter sor - row, Calm af - ter blast,  
 Af - ter long a - gony, Rap - ture of bliss!

Home af - ter wan - dering, Praise af - ter cry.  
 Rest af - ter wear - i - ness, Sweet rest at last.  
 Right was the path - way, Lead - ing to this.

## CROWN AFTER CROSS (2)

Refrain

Now comes the weep - ing, Then the glad reap - ing,

Now comes the la - bor hard, Then the re - ward.

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"But he that shall endure unto the end,  
the same shall be saved."

Matthew 24:13