

And unto . . . the church of the Laodiceans write . . . Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me. Rev. 3:14, 20

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Justin H. Knecht, 1799, and
Edward Husband, 1871

William Walsham How, 1867



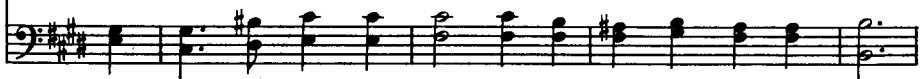
1. 0 Je - sus, thou art stand-ing Out-side the fast-closed door,
2. 0 Je - sus, thou art knock-ing; And lo, that hand is scarred,
3. 0 Je - sus, thou art plead-ing In ac - cents meek and low,



In low - ly pa - tience wait - ing To pass the thresh - old o'er:
And thorns thy brow en - cir - cle, And tears thy face have marred:
"I died for you, My chil - dren, And will ye treat Me so?"



Shame on us, Chris - tian broth - ers, His Name and sign who bear,
O love that pass - eth knowl - edge, So pa - tient - ly to wait!
O Lord, with shame and sor - row We o - pen now the door;



O shame, thrice shame up - on us, To keep him stand - ing there!
O sin that hath no e - qual, So fast to bar the gate!
Dear Sav - iour, en - ter, en - ter, And leave us nev - er - more. A - MEN.

