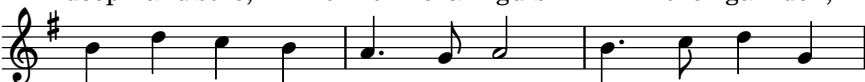




1. Christ, the Life of all the liv-ing, Christ the Death of
2. Thou, O Christ, hast ta - ken on thee Bit - ter strokes, a
3. Thou didst bear the smit - ing on - ly That it might not
4. Then for all that wrought our par-don, For thy sor-rows



death, our foe, Who thy-self for us once giv - ing
 cru - el rod; Pain and scorn were heaped up - on thee,
 fall on me; Stood - est false - ly charged and lone - ly
 deep and sore, For thine an-guish in the gar-den,



To the dark - est depths of woe, Pa - tient - ly didst
 O thou sin - less Son of God, On - ly thus for
 That I might be safe and free; Com - fort-less that
 I will thank thee ev - er-more; Thank thee with my



yield thy breath But to save my soul from death;
 me to win Res - cue from the bonds of sin;
 I might know Com - fort from thy bound-less woe.
 lat - est breath For thy sad and cru - el death,



Praise and glo - ry ev - er be, Bless - ed Je-sus, un - to thee.
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 For that last and bit - ter cry Praise thee ev - er-more on high.

Jesu, meines Lebens Leben

Ernst Christoph Homburg, 1605-81

Tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1829-78 alt.