

# The Power of the Cross (Blue Hymnal #232)

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## [ CHORDS - CAPO 5 ]

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## [ INTRO ] | C9 G | D | G |

## [ VERSE 1 ]

Em D G C9 G  
Oh, to see the dawn of the dark-est day;  
C9 G C9 G Dsus D  
Christ on the road to Cal-va-ry;  
Em D G C9 G  
Tried by sin-ful men, torn and beat-en, then  
C9 G Dsus D  
Nailed to a cross of wood.

## [ CHORUS A ]

C9 D G C9 D G  
This the pow'r of the cross; Christ be-came sin for us;  
C9 B Em C9 G D G  
Took the blame, bore the wrath; We stand for-gi-ven at the cross

## [ VERSE 2 ]

Oh, to see the pain written on your face,  
Bear-ing the awe-some weight of sin;  
Ev-'ry bitter thought, ev-'ry e-vil deed  
Crown-ing your blood-stain'd brow.

## [ CHORUS A ]

## [ VERSE 3 ]

Now the day-light flees; now the ground be-neath  
Quakes as its Mak-er bows His head.  
Cur-tain torn in two, dead are raised to life;  
"Fin-ished!" the vic-t'ry cry!

## [ CHORUS A ]

## [ VERSE 4 ]

Oh, to see my name writ-ten in the wounds,  
For thro' Your suf'-f'ring I am free.  
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live,  
Won thro' Your self-less love!

## [ CHORUS B ]

C9 D G C9 D G  
This the pow'r of the cross; Son of God slain for us;  
C9 B Em C9 G D G  
What a love, what a cost! We stand for-gi-ven at the cross!

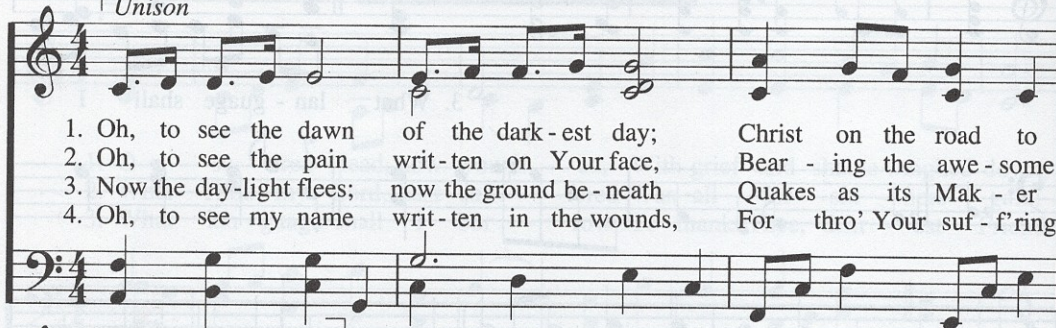
## [ REPEAT CHORUS B ]

HIS BLOOD, CROSS, SUFFERING

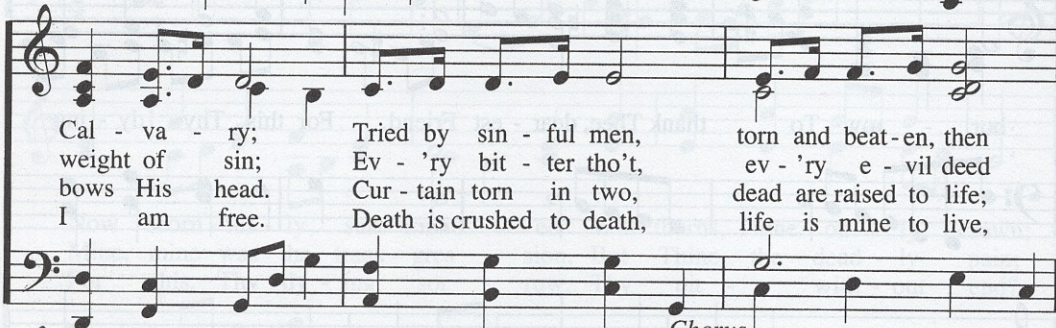
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*He was crucified in weakness, but He lives by God's power. 2 Corinthians 13:4*

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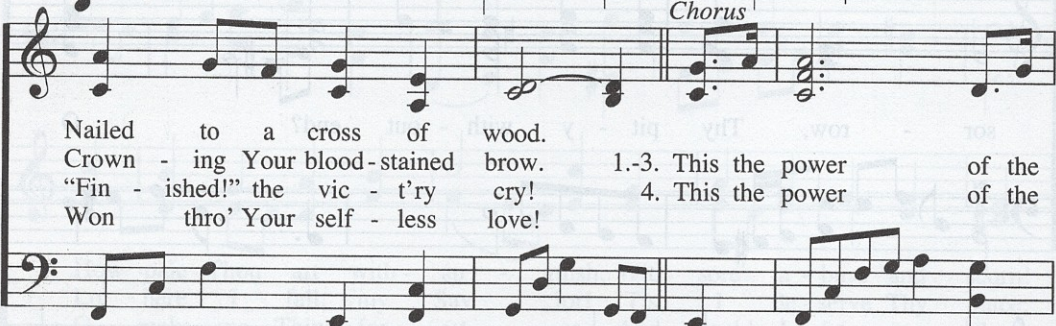


1. Oh, to see the dawn of the dark-est day; Christ on the road to  
2. Oh, to see the pain writ-ten on Your face, Bear - ing the awe - some  
3. Now the day-light flees; now the ground be - neath Quakes as its Mak - er  
4. Oh, to see my name writ-ten in the wounds, For thro' Your suf - f'ring

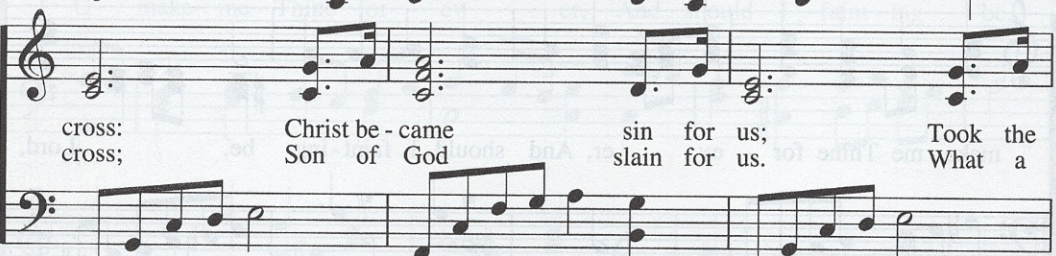


Cal - va - ry; Tried by sin - ful men, torn and beat-en, then  
weight of sin; Ev - 'ry bit - ter tho't, ev - 'ry e - vil deed  
bows His head. Cur - tain torn in two, dead are raised to life;  
I am free. Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live,

Chorus

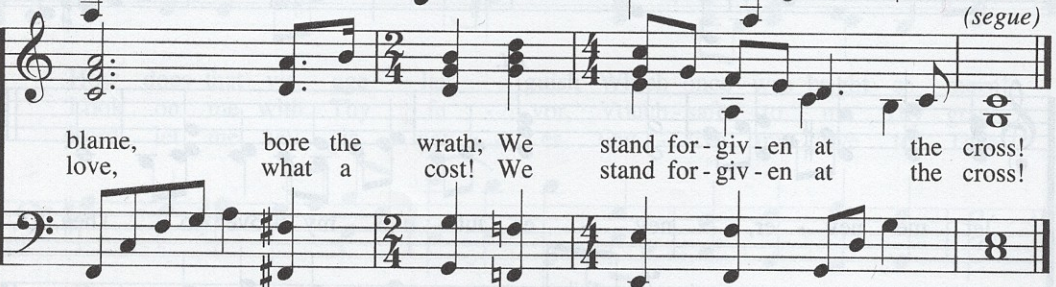


Nailed to a cross of wood.  
Crown - ing Your blood-stained brow. 1.-3. This the power of the  
"Fin - ished!" the vic - t'ry cry! 4. This the power of the  
Won thro' Your self - less love!



cross: Christ be - came sin for us; Took the  
cross; Son of God slain for us. What a

(segue)



blame, bore the wrath; We stand for-giv-en at the cross!  
love, what a cost! We stand for-giv-en at the cross!

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OH, TO SEE THE DAWN

10.8.10.6 with Chorus

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