

*My most precious time is spent in Your dear presence Lord
Every waking moment my soul yearns for more of you
Your presence all around me in the sea, the sky, the land
Your voice in Nature calling I am everywhere you are*

Your love for me is endless
You proved it by the cross
I have no cause to doubt it
You've disarmed the one now crushed

My most precious time...

Father, Son and Spirit
make this world a better place
How could we face each day
without the resurrected Christ

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Your Holy Spirit dwells within us
on the good days and the bad
Your promise is to move within us
with your power, strength and love

My most precious time...

- 1 Be still,
 for the presence of the Lord,
 the Holy One, is here;
 come bow before Him now
 with reverence and fear:
 in Him no sin is found –
 we stand on holy ground.
 Be still,
 for the presence of the Lord,
 the Holy One, is here.

- 2 Be still,
 for the glory of the Lord
 is shining all around;
 He burns with holy fire,
 with splendour He is crowned:
 how awesome is the sight –
 our radiant King of light!
 Be still,
 for the glory of the Lord
 is shining all around.

- 3 Be still,
 for the power of the Lord
 is moving in this place:
 He comes to cleanse and heal,
 to minister His grace –
 no work too hard for Him.
 In faith receive from Him.
 Be still,
 for the power of the Lord
 is moving in this place.

- 1 To be in Your presence,
To sit at Your feet,
Where Your love surrounds me,
And makes me complete.

*This is my desire, O Lord,
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This is my desire, O Lord,
This is my desire.*

- 2 To rest in Your presence,
Not rushing away;
To cherish each moment,
Here I would stay.

This is my desire...

How lovely is Your dwelling place
Oh Lord Almighty
For my soul longs and even faints for You
For here my heart is satisfied
Within Your presence
I sing beneath the shadow of Your wings

Better is one day in Your courts
Better is one day in Your house
Better is one day in Your courts
Than thousands elsewhere

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One thing I ask, and I would seek
To see Your beauty
To find You in the place Your glory dwells

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My heart and flesh cry out
For You, the Living God
Your Spirit's water to my soul
I've tasted and I've seen
Come once again to me
I will draw near to You
I will draw near to You
To You

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*Remain in me, I am the vine.
Remain in me; you shall have life.
You are the branches: bear fruit for all to see.
I am the vine, remain in me.*

No branch can live without the tree,
nor grow or serve apart from me.
This I have told you that you may see
my love in you, your joy complete.

Remain in me...

As I have done so you should do,
so as to love as I love you.
For in your witness, my love is shown;
in simple ways, my heart made known.

Remain in me...

I am the way, the truth, the life.
I am your living sacrifice.
I offer freely my life for you.
Go now and do as I would do.

Remain in me...

- 1 What a friend we have in Jesus,
 all our sins and griefs to bear!
 What a privilege to carry
 everything to God in prayer!
 O what peace we often forfeit,
 O what needless pain we bear –
 all because we do not carry
 everything to God in prayer!

- 2 Have we trials and temptations?
 Is there trouble anywhere?
 We should never be discouraged:
 take it to the Lord in prayer!
 Can we find a friend so faithful,
 who will all our sorrows share?
 Jesus knows our every weakness –
 take it to the Lord in prayer!

- 3 Are we weak and heavy-laden,
 cumbered with a load of care?
 Precious Saviour still our refuge,
 take it to the Lord in prayer!
 Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
 Take it to the Lord in prayer!
 In His arms He'll take and shield thee,
 thou wilt find a solace there.

