

# Jesus, in Thy dying woes

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Part 1  
Father forgive them. Luke 23:34

Jesus, in Thy dying woes,  
Even while Thy lifeblood flows,  
Craving pardon for Thy foes;  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

Savior, for our pardon sue,  
When our sins Thy pangs renew,  
For we know not what we do:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

O may we, who mercy need,  
Be like Thee in heart and deed,  
When with wrong our spirits bleed:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

Part 2  
Today thou shalt be with me in  
Paradise Luke 23:43

Jesus, pitying the sighs  
Of the thief, who near Thee dies,  
Promising him paradise;  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

May we, in our guilt and shame,  
Still Thy love and mercy claim,  
Calling humbly on Thy Name:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

O remember us who pine,  
Looking from our cross to Thine;  
Cheer our souls with hope divine:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

Part 3  
Women, behold Thy Son - John 19:26

Jesus, loving to the end  
Her whose heart Thy sorrows rend,  
And Thy dearest human friend:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

May we in Thy sorrows share,  
And for Thee all peril dare,  
And enjoy Thy tender care:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

May we all Thy loved ones be,  
All one holy family,  
Loving for the love of Thee,  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

Part 4  
My God, why hast Thou forsaken Me  
- Matt 27:46

Jesus, whelmed in fears unknown,  
With our evil left alone,  
While no light from Heav'n is shown:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

When we seem in vain to pray,  
And our hopes seem far away,  
In the darkness be our stay:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

Though no Father seem to hear,  
Though no light our spirits cheer,  
Tell our faith that God is near:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

Part 5  
I Thirst - John 19:28

Jesus, in Thy thirst and pain,  
While Thy wounds Thy  
    lifeblood drain,  
Thirsting more our love to gain:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

Thirst for us in mercy still;  
All Thy holy work fulfill;  
Satisfy Thy loving will:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

May we thirst Thy love to know;  
Lead us in our sin and woe  
Where the healing waters flow:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

Part 6  
It is finished - John 19:30

Jesus, all our ransom paid,  
All Thy Father's will obeyed,  
All Thy sufferings perfect made:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

Save us in our soul's distress,  
Be our help to cheer and bless,  
While we grow in holiness:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

Brighten all our heavenward way  
With an ever holier ray  
Till we pass to perfect day:  
Hear us, holy Jesus

Part 7  
Father, into Thy hands.. Luke 23:46

Jesus, all Thy labor vast,  
All Thy woe and conflict past,  
Yielding up Thy soul at last:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

When the death shades round us lower,  
Guard us from the tempter's power,  
Keep us in that trial hour:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

May Thy life and death supply  
Grace to live and grace to die,  
Grace to reach the home on high:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

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