

I Saw the Cross of Jesus

1. I saw the cross of Je - sus, When bur - dened with my sin;
 2. I love the cross of Je - sus, It tells me what I am -
 3. I trust the cross of Je - sus, In ev' - ry try - ing hour,
 4. Safe in the cross of Je - sus! There let my wea - ry heart

I sought the cross of Je - sus, To give me peace with - in;
 A vile and guil - ty crea - ture, Saved on - ly thro' the Lamb;
 My sure and cer - tain re - fuge, My nev - er - fail - ing tow'r;
 Still rest in peace un - sha - ken, Till with Him, ne'er to part;

I brought my soul to Je - sus, He cleansed it in His blood;
 No right -eous - ness nor me - rit, No beau - ty can I plead;
 In ev' - ry fear and con - flict, I more than con - queror am;
 And then in strains of glo - ry I'll sing His won - drous pow'r,

And in the cross of Je - sus I found my peace with God.
 Yet in the cross I glo - ry, My ti - tle there I read.
 Liv - ing, I'm safe, or dy - ing, Thro' Christ, the ri - sen Lamb.
 Where sin can ne - ver en - ter, And death is known no more.

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