

Hymn #1 A Sinner Forgiven (Stanzas 1,2,3)

### A Sinner Forgiven

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1. To the hall of the feast came the sin - ful and fair; She heard in the  
 2. The frown and the mur - mur went round thro' them all; That one so un -  
 3. She heard but the Sav - ior; she spoke but with sighs; She dared not look  
 4. In the sky, af - ter ten - pest, as shin - eth the bow, In glance of the

ci - ty that Je - sus was there; Un - heed - ing the splen - dor that  
 - hal - lowed should tread in that hall; And some said the poor would be  
 up to the heaven of His eyes; And hot tears gushed forth at each  
 sun - shine, as melt - eth the snow, He looked on that lost one: "her

blazed on the board, She si - lent - ly knelt at the feet of the  
 ob - jects more meet, As the wealth of her per - fume she shower'd on His  
 heav - en of her breast, As her lips to His san - dals were throb - bing - ly  
 sins were for - giv'n," And the sin - ner went forth in the beau - ty of

Lord, She si - lent - ly knelt at the feet of the Lord  
 feet, As the wealth of her per - fume she shower'd on His feet.  
 pressed; As her lips to His san - dals were throb - bing - ly pressed.  
 Heav'n; And the sin - ner went forth in the beau - ty of Heav'n.

# Hymn #2 My Jesus, I Love Thee

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## My Jesus, I Love Thee

We love because he first loved us. 1 John 4:19

F B $\flat$  F C $^7$  F

1. My Je - sus, I love thee, I know thou art mine;  
 2. I love thee be - cause thou hast first lov - ed me,  
 3. I'll love thee in life, I will love thee in death;  
 4. In man - sions of glo - ry and end - less de - light,

B $\flat$  F C $^7$  F

for thee all the fol - lies of sin I re - sign.  
 and pur - chased my par - don on Cal - va - ry's tree.  
 and praise thee as long as thou lend - est me breath;  
 I'll ev - er a - dore thee in heav - en so bright;

F B $\flat$  F C $^7$  F C F Gm F C

My gra - cious Re - deem - er, my Sav - ior art thou;  
 I love thee for wear - ing the thorns on thy brow;  
 and say, when the death - dew lies cold on my brow;  
 I'll sing with the glit - ter - ing crown on my brow:

F B $\flat$  F C $^7$  Am C $^7$  F  $\bar{1}$

if ev - er I loved thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now.  
 if ev - er I loved thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now.  
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## Luke 7:36-50

### Much Forgiveness, Much Love

<sup>36</sup> Then one of the Pharisees invited Him to eat with him. He entered the Pharisee's house and reclined at the table. <sup>37</sup> And a woman in the town who was a sinner found out that Jesus was reclining at the table in the Pharisee's house. She brought an alabaster jar of fragrant oil <sup>38</sup> and stood behind Him at His feet, weeping, and began to wash His feet with her tears. She wiped His feet with the hair of her head, kissing them and anointing them with the fragrant oil.

<sup>39</sup> When the Pharisee who had invited Him saw this, he said to himself, "This man, if He were a prophet, would know who and what kind of woman this is who is touching Him—she's a sinner!"

<sup>40</sup> Jesus replied to him, "Simon, I have something to say to you."

"Teacher," he said, "say it."

<sup>41</sup> "A creditor had two debtors. One owed 500 denarii, and the other 50. <sup>42</sup> Since they could not pay it back, he graciously forgave them both. So, which of them will love him more?"

<sup>43</sup> Simon answered, "I suppose the one he forgave more."

"You have judged correctly," He told him. <sup>44</sup> Turning to the woman, He said to Simon, "Do you see this woman? I entered your house; you gave Me no water for My feet, but she, with her tears, has washed My feet and wiped them with her hair. <sup>45</sup> You gave Me no kiss, but she hasn't stopped kissing My feet since I came in. <sup>46</sup> You didn't anoint My head with olive oil, but she has anointed My feet with fragrant oil. <sup>47</sup> Therefore I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven; that's why she loved much. But the one who is forgiven little, loves little." <sup>48</sup> Then He said to her, "Your sins are forgiven."

<sup>49</sup> Those who were at the table with Him began to say among themselves, "Who is this man who even forgives sins?"

<sup>50</sup> And He said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you. Go in peace."

## **Additional Scripture: Mark 14:3-9**

### **The Anointing at Bethany**

<sup>3</sup> While He was in Bethany at the house of Simon who had a serious skin disease, as He was reclining at the table, a woman came with an alabaster jar of pure and expensive fragrant oil of nard. She broke the jar and poured it on His head. <sup>4</sup> But some were expressing indignation to one another: "Why has this fragrant oil been wasted? <sup>5</sup> For this oil might have been sold for more than 300 denarii and given to the poor." And they began to scold her.

<sup>6</sup> Then Jesus said, "Leave her alone. Why are you bothering her? She has done a noble thing for Me. <sup>7</sup> You always have the poor with you, and you can do what is good for them whenever you want, but you do not always have Me. <sup>8</sup> She has done what she could; she has anointed My body in advance for burial. <sup>9</sup> I assure you: Wherever the gospel is proclaimed in the whole world, what this woman has done will also be told in memory of her."