Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

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Love divine, all loves Excelling, Joy of heaven, to breathe,

Breathe, O breathe! Thy loving Spirit In to ev’ry heart.

Come, Almighty to deliver, Let us all Thy life receive;

Fin’ish, then, Thy new creation; Pure and spotless earth cometh down,

Thy humble dwelling, All Thy troubles breast!

Let us all in Thee inherit, Let us life return, and never, Nev’er—

let us be; Let us see Thy great salvation Perfect—faithful mercies crown!

Jesus, Thou art all compassion, Pure, unbounded love

find the promised rest; Take away the love of more Thy temples leave. Thee we would be always joy restored in Thee; Changed from glory into passion, Pure, unbounded love Thou art;

sinning; Alpha and Omega be; End of blessing, Serve Thee as Thy hosts above; Pray and glory, Till in heaven we take our place, Till we us with Thy salvation, Enter ev’ry trembling heart.

faith, as its beginning, Set our hearts at liberty.

praise Thee without ceasing, Glory in Thy perfect love.

cast our crowns before Thee, Lost in wonder, love, and praise.