

The Head That Once Was Crowned With Thorns

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G/B Am/C D D/C G/B D G D

The head that once was crowned with thorns Is
The high - est place that heav'n af - fords Is
The joy of all who dwell a - bove, The
To them the cross, with all its shame, With
They suf - fer with their Lord be - low; They
The cross He bore is life and health, Through

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crowned with glo - ry now; A
His by sov - 'reign right, The
joy of all be - low To
all its grace, is giv'n; Their
reign with Him a - bove; Their
shame and death to Him; His

5 G D Em Bm C Am D

roy - al di - a - dem a - dorns The
King of kings, and Lord of lords, And
whom He man - i - fests His love, And
name, an ev - er - last - ing name, Their
pro - fit and their joy to know The
peo - ple's hope, His peo - ple's wealth, Their

7 G/B C G/D D⁷ G

might - y vic - tor's brow.
heav'ns e - ter - nal light.
grants His name to know.
joy, the joy of heav'n.
mys - t'ry of His love.
ev - er - last - ing theme!