

Jesus, Who Bought Us with His Blood  
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Jesus, who bought us with His blood,  
And makes our souls His care;  
Was known of old as Israel's God,  
And answered Jabez' prayer.

Jabez! a child of grief! the name  
Befits poor sinners well;  
For Jesus bore the cross and shame,  
To save our souls from hell.

Teach us, O Lord, like him, to plead  
For mercies from above;  
O come, and bless our souls indeed,  
With light, and joy, and love.

The Gospel's promised land is wide,  
We fain would enter in;  
But we are pressed, on every side,  
With unbelief and sin.

Arise; O Lord, enlarge our coast,  
Let us possess the whole;  
That Satan may no longer boast  
He can Thy work control.

Oh, may Thine hand be with us still,  
Our Guide and Guardian be;  
To keep us safe from every ill,  
Till death shall set us free.

Help us on Thee to cast our care,  
And on Thy Word to rest;  
That Israel's God, who heareth prayer,  
Will grant us our request.