## O bless the Lord, my soul

from Psalm 103



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## This version, edited by Adrienne Tindall:

- 1 O bless the Lord, my soul, let all within me join and aid my tongue to bless His name, whose favours are divine.
  O bless the Lord, my soul, nor let his mercies be forgotten in unthankfulness, unpraised by you and me.
- 2 'Tis he forgives our sins,
  'tis he releives our pain,
  'tis He that heals our sicknesses and makes us whole again.
  He crowns each life with love, he ransoms from the grave; he that redeems the soul from sin has sovereign power to save.
- 3 He fills the poor with good;
  he gives the sufferers rest;
  the Lord has judgments for the proud
  and justice for th'oppressed.
  He showed his works and ways
  and Moses made them known;
  he sent the world his truth and grace
  by his beloved Son.

## Original version:

- O bless the Lord, my Soul!
   Let all within me join,
   And aid my Tongue to bless his Name,
   Whose Fayours are divine.
- 2 O bless the Lord, my Soul, Nor let his Mercies lie Forgotten in Unthankfulness, And without Praises die.
- 3 'Tis he forgives thy Sins,'Tis he relieves thy Pain,'Tis he that heals thy SicknessesAnd makes thee young again.
- 4 He crowns thy Life with Love, When ransom'd from the Grave; He that redeem'd my Soul from Hell Hath sov'reign Pow'r to save.
- 5 He fills the Poor with Good,He gives the Suffrers Rest;The Lord hath Judgments for the Proud,And Justice for th'Opprest.
- 6 His wondrous Works and Ways
  He made by Moses known
  But sent the World his Truth and Grace
  By his beloved Son.