

PRESERVED by power divine
To know salvation here,
Again in Jesus' praise we join,
And in His sight appear.

2 What troubles we have seen,
What conflicts we have passed,
Fightings without, and fears within,
Since we assembled last.

3 But out of all, the Lord
Has brought us by His love;
And still He doth His help afford,
And hides our life above.

4 Then let us make our boast
In His redeeming power,
Which saves us to the uttermost,
Till we shall sin no more.

5 Let us take up the cross,
Till we the crown obtain;
And gladly reckon all things loss,
So we may Jesus gain.

Charles Wesley, 1707-88