

My God, I love Thee, not because

Verse

My God, I love thee, not be - cause
 Thou, O Je - sus, thou didst me
 Then why, O bless - ed Je - sus Christ,
 Not with the hope of thee, gain - ing aught,
 So would I love thee, dear - est Lord,

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I hope for heaven there - by,
 up - on the cross em - brace;
 should I seek not - ing thy love well?
 not and in thy praise re - ward,
 and sing;

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nor yet be - cause, if I love not,
 for me didst bear sake the and spear
 Not for as thy - self of hast win - ning heaven,
 but be - cause thou art my lov - ed me,
 be - cause thou art my lov - ing God

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A musical score for a hymn, page 10. It features a treble and bass staff in B-flat major (one flat). The melody is simple, with notes on the treble staff and bass notes on the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the notes, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across measures. The piece concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots.

I and nor O and must man of ev my for i es er e - ev fold cap last ter - er dis ing ing die. grace. hell. Lord. King.