

But still within I had no joy,
And peace I could not get. Ephes. ii. 9.

At last I read the Word of God,
And found 'twas not the way;
That such a debt as that of sin
No works could ever pay. John xiv. 6.

It told me all my righteousness
Could ne'er for sin atone;
For Scripture says, "There is none good,
None righteous, no, not one." Rom. iii. 10-12.

'Twas then my fearful, ruined state,
Flashed full before my sight;
With terror-stricken voice I cried,
"I'm lost!" But, oh delight! Luke xv. 4,6,9,32.

No sooner had I said, "I'm lost,"
Methought that from above
I seemed to hear a voice repeat—
"Poor sinner, God is love;" 1 John iv. 16.

Yes, Jesus, long, long while ago,
For sinners came to die;
Through weakness He was crucified,
By power raised on high. 2 Cor. xiii. 4.

As Lord and Christ He's seated now
At God's right hand in heaven.
By faith in Him I know I'm saved,
And all my sins forgiven. Acts ii. 36.

I do not think, or hope, but *know*;
For all there was to do,
God's Word declares was done by Him;
I rest there. Will not you? 1 John v. 10,13.