

We Have Not. Why ?

O Holy One, could we but know,
Would we but take what Thou dost give,
Would we but claim Thy promise now,
In faith look up to Thee and live.
Then, O our God, Thou would'st so soon
Set up in us Thy royal throne.

Our ears are stopped, we will not hear
The still small voice that speaks within.
O Great Physican, come Thou near,
And quickly heal this wound of sin;
That we, O God, may hear Thy voice
And always in Thy truth rejoice.

O open Thou our eyes, that we
May see the truths that Thou hast taught;
Lord, touch our tongues that we may speak
And tell the blessings Thou hast brought;
For Thou, O Saviour, left the sky
For us to live, for us to die!