

THE KING OF KINGS.

AIL, Thou, my Light, my Life, my Universe!

O, touch with power the weakness of my lips,

That so my thoughts may sail the tide of verse,
A golden fleet of passion-laden ships.

Hail, Thou, my Universe: my morn, my even,
My night, my day, my midnight, and my noon,
My sunlight from the which all clouds are driven,
And to mine hours of dark a silver moon.

O, fill for me all seasons and all time,
An orb to every cycle of delight,

Sphering all blisses in a golden clime,

Magnificently boundless, fair, and bright,
Wherein the soul immerged is raised above
Itself, to oneness with Eternal Love.

FRANK WATERS.