

## CONSECRATION.

A PRAYER FOR THE NEW YEAR.

\* This heart of mine,  
So foul with sin,  
By grace divine  
May cleansing win :  
Lord, purify  
This heart of mine !

This soul of mine,  
Of priceless worth,  
O Christ, refine  
Of dross and earth :  
Oh sanctify  
This soul of mine !

These feet of mine  
No more must stray,  
But aye incline  
To wisdom's way :  
Lord, guide aright  
These feet of mine !

These hands of mine,  
From bondage free,  
In deeds benign  
Must busied be :  
Lord, useful make  
These hands of mine !

These ears of mine  
The words must hear  
That truth enshrine,  
A message clear :  
O Lord, instruct  
These ears of mine.

These eyes of mine  
Must see no ill,  
But purely shine  
With kind good-will :  
Lord, glorify  
These eyes of mine !

These lips of mine  
Must harmless prove,  
And words combine  
Of truth and love :  
Lord, consecrate  
These lips of mine !

This will of mine  
Be mine no more,  
I all resign,  
I all restore :  
God's will be done,  
O will of mine !