Let Thy Blood in Mercy Poured

CHRIST’S PASSION

JESUS, MEINE ZUVERSICHT (7 8 7 8 7 7)
Johann Crüger, Praxis Pietatis Melica, 1653

Greek hymn
tr. John Brownlie, 1907

1. Let Thy blood in mercy poured, Let Thy gracious body broken,
Be to me, O gracious Lord, Of Thy boundless love the token.
Thou didst give Thyself for me, Now I give myself to Thee.

2. Thou didst die that I might live; Bless-ed Lord, Thou cam’st to save me;
All that love of God could give Jesus by His sorrows gave me.

3. By the thorns that crowned Thy brow, By the spear wound and the nailing,
By the pain and death, I now Claim, O Christ, Thy love un-failing.

4. Wilt Thou own the gift I bring? All my pen-i-tence I give Thee;
Thou art my ex-alt-ed King, Of Thy match-less love for-give me.