

You are Near

Many times I look for Thee,
And many times I cannot see,
Many times I turn to thee,
And oft' I turn but cannot see.

Deep within, you then make known,
A sound, a touch, a light, a tone,
A movement dear, that says so clear,
I am here...I am here.

'Tis then I turn and look to see,
And All That Is, 'tis Thee, oh Thee,
And oft' I look and to my eyes,
There you are, thou doest arise.

So now I turn and then I know
Without a doubt that you are lo,
And then I turn and 'for my eyes
A beauteous wondrous glow there lies.

And such a glow of love impart,
I scarce can breathe, for beats my heart,
And when I think of love so dear,
I know my Lord, my Love, you're near.

I only want one thing to be,
And that one thing's to know but thee,
And when indeed the joining's real,
Such joy and peace at last I'll feel.

So here's my will, my heart, my soul,
Take them Lord, you are my goal.
For I am yours and you are mine,
And ever One we will entwine,

With All That Is! And All Will Sing!
And heaven complete will surely bring
Resounding joy forever clear.
Here I am Lord and You are near.