

## I Asked The Lord

I asked the Lord that I might grow In faith and love and ev'ry grace  
Might more of His salvation know And seek more earnestly His face

'Twas He who taught me thus to pray And He, I trust, has answered prayer  
But it has been in such a way, As almost drove me to despair

I hoped that in some favored hour At once He'd answer my request  
And, by His love's constraining pow'r Subdue my sins and give me rest

Instead of this, He made me feel The hidden evils of my heart.  
And let the angry pow'rs of hell Assault my soul in ev'ry part

Yea, more with His own hand He seemed Intent to aggravate my woe  
Crossed all the fair designs I schemed Cast out my feelings and laid me low

"Lord, why is this," I trembling cried "Wilt Thou pursue Thy worm to death?"  
"Tis in this way," the Lord replied "I answer prayer for grace and faith."

"These inward trials I employ. From self and pride to set thee free.  
And break thy schemes of earthly joy That thou may'st find thy all in Me."

*Spreading a Love for God and His Glory*

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*Sunday Evening Worship*

*17 May 2020*

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# Sunday Evening Worship

## PRELUDE

*As the prelude begins, consider this as an opportunity to begin to quiet your heart and ready yourself for worship*

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## INVOCATION

\*HYMN OF ADORATION                      *O for a Thousand Tongues... - #164*

## PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

RESPONSIVE READING                      Psalm 16 – pg 788

O. T. READING                                  Chapter 8:9-14 – Amos

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION                      *I Asked the Lord – (words on back)*

SERMON    Galatians 5:1-15  
Freedom in Christ  
Rev. Ben Melli

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE                      *Fairest Lord Jesus - #170*

## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

*During this prayer time, there may be an opportunity to share items for prayer or praise. Additionally, prayer cards filled out in the AM service, the previous week, may be highlighted for prayer*

\*CLOSING CHORUS                              *All for Jesus - #565 (vs 5)*

*O what wonder! How amazing!  
Jesus, glorious King of kings,  
deigns to call me His beloved,  
lets me rest beneath His wings.*

## \*BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

*\* Indicates when to stand (as you are able).*