

All Ye Who Seek a Comfort Sure

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1. All ye who seek a comfort sure
in trouble and distress,
whatever sorrows vex the mind,
or guilt the soul oppress:
2. Jesus, who gave himself for you
upon the cross to die,
opens to you his sacred heart;
so to that heart draw nigh.
3. Ye hear how kindly he invites;
ye hear his words so blest:
"all ye that labour come to me,
and I will give you rest."
4. O heart, thou joy of saints on high,
thou hope of sinners here;
attracted by those loving words
to thee I lift my prayer.

Inspiration: Matthew 11:28; "Quicumque certum quaeritis"; anonymous, 18th cent.
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