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PERCY WHITLOCK

Original Key G♭

MOTHER'S EVENING PRAYER

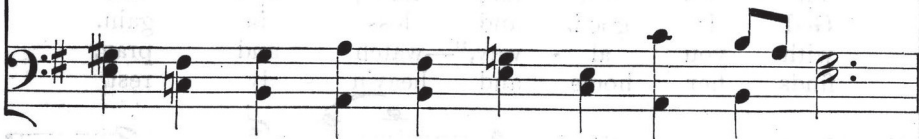
MARY BAKER EDDY

With free rhythm

1. O gen - tle pres - ence, peace and joy and power;
2. Love is our ref - uge; on - ly with mine eye
3. O make me glad for ev - ery scald - ing tear,
4. Be - neath the shad - ow of His might - y wing;
5. No snare, no fowl - er, pes - ti - lence or pain;



O Life di - vine, that owns each wait - ing hour,
 Can I be - hold the snare, the pit, the fall:
 For hope de - ferred, in - grat - i - tude, dis - dain!
 In that sweet se - cret of the nar - row way,
 No night drops down up - on the trou - bled breast,



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Thou Love that guards the nest - ling's fal - tering flight!
His hab - i - ta - tion high is here, and nigh,
Wait, and love more for ev - ery hate, and fear
Seek - ing and find - ing, with the an - gels sing:
When heav - en's aft - er - smile earth's tear - drops gain,



Keep Thou my child on up - ward wing to - night.
His arm en - cir - cles me, and mine, and all.
No ill,—since God is good, and loss is gain.
“Lo, I am with you al - way,”—watch and pray.
And moth - er finds her home and heav’n - ly rest.

