

GATHERGOOD, C.M.

Primitive Methodist Hymn Book, 1878

1: Beneath heav'n's open azure dome, On earth's rich em'rald floor, Jehovah, in thy earthly home, Thy presence we implore.

2: While all around above we gaze O'erpow'rd with awe divine, Our hearts are glowing with a blaze Of love to thee and thine.

3: Where grandeur rears her lofty throne, Here beauty holds her court. Here glory gilds the widespread zone Of love's desired resort.

The musical score is written for four parts: three vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, and Tenor) and a Bass line. The key signature is two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 2/2. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with a final cadence in each part. The lyrics are printed below the corresponding musical lines.