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Hymns

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Truth comes alike to all

Who on Her name dare call

With motives pure;

Then let us all unite,

With freedom's star in sight,

Press onward in the right,

Which shall endure.

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Come, all pervading Love,

Thou heart of heaven above,

O Spirit blest.

Life, Truth and Love shall be

Our glorious trinity,

And every heart shall see

Eternal rest.

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Refrain

Like a river that runs to the ocean,

Like a ray reaching out from the sun,

Like a branch and the tree, a drop and the sea,

I and my Father are one.

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And may each of us claim it as truly

As Jesus, who came as God's son,

And may each of us know in the depths of our soul,

I and my Father are one.

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One in beauty, one in truth,

One in the asking, one in the proof,

One in the time and one in space,

One in the goodness that flows from God's grace.

Refrain

Like a river that runs to the ocean,

Like a ray reaching out from the sun,

Like a branch and the tree, a drop and the sea,

I and my Father are one.

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Though our fears may estrange and divide us, May we seek to dissolve them through love, We are sister and brother, each bound to the other, One with our Father above.

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One in purpose, one in power,
One in the Spirit, blessing each hour,
One in kindness, one in peace,
One in the Mind that makes all trouble cease.

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Like a river that runs to the ocean, Like a ray reaching out from the sun, Like a branch and the tree, a drop and the sea, I and my Father are one.

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Eternal Mind the Potter is, And thought th' eternal clay: The hand that fashions is divine, His works pass not away. Man is the noblest work of God, His beauty, power and grace, Immortal; perfect as his Mind Reflected face to face.

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God could not make imperfect man His model infinite; Unhallowed thought He could not plan, Love's work and Love must fit. Life, Truth and Love the pattern make, Christ is the perfect heir; The clouds of sense roll back, and show The form divinely fair.

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God's will is done; His kingdom come; The Potter's work is plain.
The longing to be good and true
Has brought the light again.
And man does stand as God's own child,
The image of His love.
Let gladness ring from every tongue,
And heaven and earth approve.

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[Trinity]

1. I John 5:7 there

there are three that bear record in heaven, the Father, the Word, and the

7 Holy Ghost: and these three are one.

[Father]

2. John 13:31 Jesus

Jesus said, Now is the Son of man glorified, and God is glorified in him.

3. John 14:2, 5-14, 16, 19-21

- In my Father's house are many mansions: if *it were* not *so*, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.
- Thomas saith unto him, Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know the way?
- 6 Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.
- 7 If ye had known me, ye should have known my Father also: and from henceforth ye know him, and have seen him.
- 8 Philip saith unto him, Lord, shew us the Father, and it sufficeth us.
- 9 Jesus saith unto him, Have I been so long time with you, and yet hast thou not known me, Philip? he that hath seen me hath seen the Father; and how sayest thou *then*, Shew us the Father?
- Believest thou not that I am in the Father, and the Father in me? the words that I speak unto you I speak not of myself: but the Father that dwelleth in me, he doeth the works.
- Believe me that I *am* in the Father, and the Father in me: or else believe me for the very works' sake.
- 12 Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater *works* than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.
- 13 And whatsoever ye shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.
- 14 If ye shall ask any thing in my name, I will do it.
- And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever;
- 19 Yet a little while, and the world seeth me no more; but ye see me: because I live, ye shall live also.
- 20 At that day ye shall know that I *am* in my Father, and ye in me, and I in you.
- He that hath my commandments, and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me: and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and will manifest myself to him.

4. Matt 23:9 call

call no man your father upon the earth: for one is your Father, which is in

9 heaven.

[Son]

5. Mark 1:1

1 THE beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God;

6. John 8:12, 23, 25-30

- ¶ Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.
- And he said unto them, Ye are from beneath; I am from above: ye are of this world; I am not of this world.
- Then said they unto him, Who art thou? And Jesus saith unto them, Even *the same* that I said unto you from the beginning.
- I have many things to say and to judge of you: but he that sent me is true; and I speak to the world those things which I have heard of him.
- 27 They understood not that he spake to them of the Father.
- Then said Jesus unto them, When ye have lifted up the Son of man, then shall ye know that I am *he*, and *that* I do nothing of myself; but as my Father hath taught me, I speak these things.
- And he that sent me is with me: the Father hath not left me alone; for I do always those things that please him.
- 30 As he spake these words, many believed on him.

7. I Cor. 2:1 1st I, 2

- I, brethren, when I came to you, came not with excellency of speech or of wisdom, declaring unto you the testimony of God.
- 2 For I determined not to know any thing among you, save Jesus Christ, and him crucified.

8. Mark 15:25 it, 37-39

- 25 it was the third hour, and they crucified him.
- 37 And Jesus cried with a loud voice, and gave up the ghost.
- 38 And the veil of the temple was rent in twain from the top to the bottom.
- ¶ And when the centurion, which stood over against him, saw that he so cried out, and gave up the ghost, he said, Truly this man was the Son of God.

[Holy Ghost]

9. Ps. 51:11

11 Cast me not away from thy presence; and take not thy holy spirit from me.

10. Matt. 1:18 1st the, 19 Joseph, 20

- 18 the birth of Jesus Christ was on this wise: When as his mother Mary was espoused to Joseph, before they came together, she was found with child of the Holy Ghost.
- Joseph her husband, being a just *man*, and not willing to make her a public example, was minded to put her away privily.
- But while he thought on these things, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost.

11. Matt. 3:4, 1, 2, 11

- 1 In those days came John the Baptist, preaching in the wilderness of Judæa,
- And saying, Repent ye: for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.
- 4 And the same John had his raiment of camel's hair, and a leathern girdle about his loins; and his meat was locusts and wild honey.
- I indeed baptize you with water unto repentance: but he that cometh after me is mightier than I, whose shoes I am not worthy to bear: he shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost, and *with* fire:

12. Mark 13:10 the, 11 it

- the gospel must first be published among all nations.
- it is not ye that speak, but the Holy Ghost.

13. Acts 1:1, 2, 4, 5, 8 ye shall (to:), 9

- THE former treatise have I made, O Theophilus, of all that Jesus began both to do and teach,
- Until the day in which he was taken up, after that he through the Holy Ghost had given commandments unto the apostles whom he had chosen:
- 4 And, being assembled together with *them*, commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, *saith he*, ye have heard of me.
- 5 For John truly baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence.
- 8 ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you:
- 9 And when he had spoken these things, while they beheld, he was taken up; and a cloud received him out of their sight.

14. Acts 2:32, 33

- 32 This Jesus hath God raised up, whereof we all are witnesses.
- Therefore being by the right hand of God exalted, and having received of the Father the promise of the Holy Ghost, he hath shed forth this, which ye

now see and hear.

Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy [Trinity]

1. SH 256:9-11

The theory of three persons in one God (that is, a personal Trinity or Tri-unity) suggests polytheism, rather than the one ever-present I AM.

Tritheism impossible

2. SH 331:26-31 Life

Life, Truth, and Love constitute the triune Person

called God, — that is, the triply divine Principle, Love.
They represent a trinity in unity, three in
one, — the same in essence, though multi-

Divine trinity

form in office: God the Father-Mother; Christ the spiritual idea of sonship; divine Science or the Holy Comforter.

3. SH 497:5 We

We acknowledge and adore one supreme and in-

finite God. We acknowledge His Son, one Christ; the Holy Ghost or divine Comforter; and man in God's image and likeness.

[Father...Son]

4. SH 31:25-28

Referring to the materiality of the age, Jesus said: "The hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth."

Painful prospect

5. SH 77:13-16

The period required for this dream of material life, embracing its so-called pleasures and pains, to vanish

from consciousness, "knoweth no man . . . neither the Son, but the Father."

A dream vanishing

6. SH 233:10-15

How long it must be

before we arrive at the demonstration of scien-

tific being, no man knoweth, — not even "the Son but the Father;" but the false claim of error continues its delusions until the goal of goodness is assidu-

ously earned and won.

7. SH 305:15-19

"Then

answered Jesus and said unto them: Verily, verily I say

unto you, the Son can do nothing of himself, but what he seeth the Father do: for what things soever He doeth, these also doeth the Son likewise."

8. SH 337:7-10

For true happiness,

man must harmonize with his Principle, divine Love; the

9 Son must be in accord with the Father, in conformity with Christ.

9. SH 568:30

Self-abnegation, by which we lay down all for Truth, or Christ, in our warfare against error, is a rule in Christian Science. This rule clearly

- 569:1 interprets God as divine Principle, as Life, represented by the Father; as Truth, represented by the Son; as Love,
- represented by the Mother. Every mortal at some period, here or hereafter, must grapple with and overcome the mortal belief in a power opposed to God.

10. SH 361:16-18

As a drop of water is one with the ocean, a ray of light one with the sun, even so God and man, Father and son, are one in being.

[Holy Ghost]

11. SH 588:7-8

HOLY GHOST. Divine Science; the development of eternal Life, Truth, and Love.

12. SH 332:19 Jesus

Jesus demonstrated Christ; he proved that Christ is the divine idea of God — the Holy Ghost, or Comforter, revealing the divine Principle, Love, and leading into all truth.

13. SH 23:12-15

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Rabbinical lore said: "He that taketh one doctrine, firm in faith, has the Holy Ghost dwelling in him."
This preaching receives a strong rebuke in the Scripture, "Faith without works is dead."

14. SH 29:20-1

The illumination of Mary's spiritual sense put to
silence material law and its order of generation, and brought forth her child by the revelation of
Truth, demonstrating God as the Father of
men. The Holy Ghost, or divine Spirit, overshadowed

Holy Ghost or Comforter

Doctrines and

faith

Spiritual conception

the pure sense of the Virgin-mother with the full recognition that being is Spirit. The Christ dwelt forever an idea in the bosom of God, the divine Principle of the man Jesus, and woman perceived this spiritual idea, though at first faintly developed.

Man as the offspring of God, as the idea of Spirit, is the immortal evidence that Spirit is harmonious and man eternal. Jesus was the offspring of Mary's selfconscious communion with God.

15. SH 43:3

- The magnitude of Jesus' work, his material disappearance before their eyes and his reappearance, all enabled the disciples to understand what Jesus had
- said. Heretofore they had only believed; now they understood. The advent of this understanding is what is meant by the descent of the Holy Ghost, — that
- 9 influx of divine Science which so illuminated the Pentecostal Day and is now repeating its ancient history.

16. SH 46:26-3

In his final demonstration, called the ascen-

- sion, which closed the earthly record of Jesus, he rose above the physical knowledge of his disciples, and the material senses saw him no more.
- His students then received the Holy Ghost. By this is meant, that by all they had witnessed and suffered, they were roused to an enlarged understanding of divine Sci-
- ence, even to the spiritual interpretation and discernment of Jesus' teachings and demonstrations, which gave them
- a faint conception of the Life which is God.

[Truth, Life, and Love]

17. SH 107:1-3

- 107:1 In the year 1866, I discovered the Christ Science or divine laws of Life, Truth, and Love, and
- named my discovery Christian Science.

18. SH 505:22-25

Spiritual understanding unfolds

Mind, — Life, Truth, and Love, — and demonstrates the

24 divine sense, giving the spiritual proof of the universe in Christian Science.

19. SH 184:12-15

Truth, Life, and Love are the only legitimate and eternal demands on man, and they are spiritual lawgivers, enforcing obedience through divine

Pentecost repeated

Pentecostal power

Christian Science discovered 15 statutes.

20. SH 18:1-6

- 18:1 Atonement is the exemplification of man's unity with God, whereby man reflects divine Truth, Life,
- and Love. Jesus of Nazareth taught and demonstrated man's oneness with the Father, and for this we owe him endless homage. His mission was both in-
- 6 dividual and collective.

21. SH 26:10

The Christ was the Spirit which Jesus implied in his own statements: "I am the way, the truth, and the life;"

- "I and my Father are one." This Christ, or divinity of the man Jesus, was his divine nature, the godliness which animated him. Divine Truth,
- Life, and Love gave Jesus authority over sin, sickness, and death. His mission was to reveal the Science of celestial being, to prove what God is and what He does
- 18 for man.

22. SH 94:1-4

- Jesus taught but one God, one Spirit, who makes man in the image and likeness of Himself, of Spirit, not of
- matter. Man reflects infinite Truth, Life, and Love.

23. SH 35:19

Our baptism is a purification from all error. Our church is built on the divine Principle, Love. We can

- unite with this church only as we are newborn of Spirit, as we reach the Life which is Truth and the Truth which is Life by bringing forth
- the fruits of Love, casting out error and healing the sick. Our Eucharist is spiritual communion with the one God. Our bread, "which cometh down from heaven,"
- is Truth. Our cup is the cross. Our wine the inspiration of Love, the draught our Master drank and commended to his followers.

24. SH 286:9-11

The Master said, "No man cometh unto the Father [the divine Principle of being] but by me," Christ, Life, Truth, Love; for Christ says, "I am the way."

25. SH 593:20-22

SALVATION. Life, Truth, and Love understood and

demonstrated as supreme over all; sin, sickness, and

Divine oneness

Christ's demonstration

Scientific man

Spiritual Eucharist death destroyed.

26. SH 595:7 (only, to .), 7-9 the (to ;)

TEMPLE. the idea of Life, substance, and intelligence; the superstructure of Truth; the shrine of

9 Love;

27. SH 496:15-19

- Hold perpetually this thought, that it is the spiritual idea, the Holy Ghost and Christ, which enables you to demonstrate, with scientific certainty, the rule of healing,
- based upon its divine Principle, Love, underlying, overlying, and encompassing all true being.

[Blessing/Benediction]

15. Matt. 28:19

¶ Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:

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