## **Love Lusters at Calvary**

## from "Valley of Vision"

a collection of Puritan prayers from the 1600's

At Calvary, grace removes my burdens and heaps them on thy Son, made a transgressor, a curse, and sin for me;
Christ was all anguish that I might be all joy, cast off that I might be brought in,
trodden down as an enemy that I might be welcomed as a friend, surrendered to hell's worst that I might attain heaven's best, stripped that I might be clothed, wounded that I might be healed, made thirsty that I might drink, tormented that I might be comforted, made a shame that I might inherit glory, entered darkness that I might have eternal light.

## My Savior

wept that all tears might be wiped from my eyes,
groaned that I might have endless song,
endured all pain that I might have unfading health,
bore a thorny crown that I might have a glory-diadem,
bowed his head that I might uplift mine,
experienced reproach that I might receive welcome,
closed his eyes in death that I might gaze on unclouded brightness,
expired that I might forever live.