Hymn 233. 8v. Two line intro
Lyrics J G Whittier. Score Sawley

Immortal love, forever full
forever flowing free
forever shared, forever whole,
a never ebbing sea.

Our outward lips confess the Name
all other Names above
love only knoweth whence it came
and comprehendeth love.

We need not climb the heavenly steeps
to bring the Lord Christ down
alike within the lowest deeps,
is he of heaven the crown.

But warm sweet tender even yet
a present help is he
and faith has still its Olivet
and love its Galilee.

The healing of his seamless dress
is by our beds of pain
we touch Him in life’s throng and press,
and we are whole again.

Through Him our first fond prayers are said
our lips of childhood frame
the last low whispers o’er our dead
are uttered in His Name.

Alone O Love ineffable
thy holy name is given
a thousand saints thy glories tell
who in that Name have striven.

Lord Christ of love, and joy the sun
undying praise to thee
with Father and with Spirit One,
through all eternity.