Be Thou My Vision

"Sing the Wonders": Chord Companion (gracemusic.us/hymnal)

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VERSE 1:

Eb Ab Cm Bb/D Eb Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;

Bb Eb Ab Bbsus

Naught be all else to me, save that thou art;

Ab Eb/G Cm /Bb Ab

Thou my best thought, by day or by night,

Cm Ab Eb/G Ab Eb

Waking or sleep - ing, Thy presence my light.

VERSE 2:

Eb Ab Cm Bb/D Eb

Be thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word;

Bb Eb Ab Bbsus

I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;

Ab Eb/G Cm /Bb Ab

Thou my great Father, I Thy true son,

Cm Ab Eb/G Ab Eb

Thou in me dwell- ing, and I with Thee one.

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VERSE 3:

Eb Ab Cm Bb/D Eb

Riches I heed not, nor man's emp - ty praise;

Bb Eb Ab Bbsus

Thou mine in-heritance, now and al - ways;

Ab Eb/G Cm /Bb Ab

Thou and thou only, first in my heart,

Cm Ab Eb/G Ab Eb

High King of heav - en, my treasure thou art.

VERSE 4:

Eb Ab Cm Bb/D Eb

High King of heaven, my vic - to - ry won,

Bb Eb Ab Bbsus

May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!

Ab Eb/G Cm /Bb Ab

Heart of my own heart, what-ever be - fall,

Cm Ab Eb/G Ab Eb

Still be my Vi - sion, O Ruler of all.

TEXT: Irish folk melody

MUSIC: 8th-century hymn, trans. Mary Elizabeth Byrne, vers. Eleanor Hull, 1912