

The Hymnal 1982 - #457 Thou art the Way, to thee alone

1 Thou art the Way, to thee a - lone from sin and death we flee;  
2 Thou art the Truth, thy word a - lone true wis - dom can im - part;  
3 Thou art the Life, the rend - ing tomb pro - claims thy con - quering arm;  
4 Thou art the Way, the Truth, the Life: grant us that way to know,

and all who would the Fa - ther seek, must seek him, Lord, by thee.  
thou on - ly canst in - form the mind and pu - ri - fy the heart.  
and those who put their trust in thee nor death nor hell shall harm.  
that truth to keep, that life to win, whose joys e - ter - nal flow.

The image shows a musical score for the hymn 'Thou art the Way, to thee alone'. It consists of two systems of music. Each system has a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are printed between the staves. The first system contains the first four lines of the hymn, and the second system contains the remaining lines. The music is written in a simple, hymn-like style with block chords and single notes.

Words: George Washington Doane (1799-1859), alt. Music: *St. James*, Raphael Courteville (d. 1735)

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from sin and death we flee;  
and all who would the Father seek,  
must seek him, Lord, by thee.
- 2 Thou art the Truth, thy word alone  
true wisdom can impart;  
thou only canst inform the mind  
and purify the heart.
- 3 Thou art the Life, the rending tomb  
proclaims thy conquering arm;  
and those who put their trust in thee  
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