

# Before Thee, Lord, I Bow My Head

(Hymn)

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*Peacefully* ♩ = 56-68

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It consists of four systems of music. Each system has a vocal line in the upper staff and a piano accompaniment in the lower staff. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 3/4. The tempo is marked 'Peacefully' with a metronome marking of ♩ = 56-68. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line.

Be - fore thee, Lord, I bow my head and thank thee for what has been  
Do thou, O Lord, a - noint my eyes that I may see and win the  
Look up, my soul; be not cast down. Keep not your eyes up - on the

said. — My soul vi - brates; my poor heart sings — when thy sweet Spir - it strikes the  
prize. — My heart is full; my eyes are wet. — Oh, help me, Lord, lest I for -  
ground. — Break off the shack - les of the earth. — Re - ceive, my soul, the spir - it's

strings. — How sweet thy word — I've heard this day! — Be thou my guide, O Lord, I  
get. — So may my soul — be filled with light — that I may see and win the  
birth. — And now as I — go forth a - gain — to min - gle with my fel - low

pray. — May I in pa - tience do my part. — Seal thou the word up - on my heart. —  
fight, — And then at last ex - alt - ed be, — in peace and rest, O Lord, with thee. —  
men, — Stay thou near by, my steps to guide, — that I may in thy love a - bide. —