THE SAVIOUR BEARS A LOVELY NAME



- 2. No name on earth is half so great, howe'er extolled by fame; nor can celestial tongues repeat a more exalted name.
- 3. Though music has the pow'r to please, (and oft I feel its pow'r,) the name of Jesus sweeter is, and captivates me more.
- 4. However sweet the flow'r that spreads its perfume o'er the fields, his name a richer fragrance sheds, and more refreshment yields.
- 5. Sweet name! the sinner's blessed relief, his medicine, food, and joy!'Tis help in trouble, ease in grief, 'tis gold without alloy.
- 6. Jesus, thy name is dear to me, it saves me from my foes; armed with its pow'r, I need not flee, though earth and hell oppose.
- 7. In many painful conflicts past, thy name has brought me through; nor wilt thou leave the worm at last, whom thou hast saved till now.
- 8. No; in thy heav'n I shall appear, and cease to know "in part"; my strengthened faculties will bear to see thee as thou art.
- 9. Then shall my cup of joy o'erflow with still increasing store; my only heav'n, thy name to know and praise thee evermore.

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