## BEHOLD THE MAN! HOW GLORIOUS HE!



- Beholdthe man! by all condemned, assaulted by a host of foes;
   his person and his claim contemned, a man of suff'rings and of woes.
- 3. Behold the man! he stands alone, his foes are ready to devour; not one of all his friends will own their Master in this trying hour.
- 4. Behold the man! though scorned below, he bears the greatest name above; the angels at his footstool bow, and all his royal claims approve.
- 5. Beholdthe man! a pris'ner now, and with transgressors doomed to die; a crown shall soon adorn his brow, a crown of glory and of joy.
- 6. Beholdthe man! the world is his, yet who on earth so poor as he? For others he submits to this, for them he stoops to poverty.
- 7. Behold the man! he knew no sin, yet justice smites him with her sword; he bears the stroke that else had been the sinner's portion from the Lord.
- 8. Behold the man! so weak he seems, his awful word inspires no fear; but soon must he, who now blasphemes, before his judgment-seat appear.
- 9. Behold the man! a King he is, his throne is built in heav'n above; and there, the people who are his, shall see his face, and sing his love.

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