PEACE AFTER A STORM



- 2. Straight I upbraid my wandering heart, and blush that I should ever be thus prone to act so base a part, or harbour one hard thought of thee!
- 3. Oh! let me then at length be taught, what I am still so slow to learn, that God is love, and changes not, nor knows the shadow of a turn.
- 4. Sweet truth, and easy to repeat!
 But, when my faith is sharply tried,
 I find myself a learner yet,
 unskilful, weak, and apt to slide.
- 5. But, O my Lord, one look from thee subdues the disobedient will; drives doubt and discontent away, and thy rebellious worm is still.
- 6. Thou art as ready to forgive as I am ready to repine; thou, therefore, all the praise receive; be shame and self-abhorrence mine.

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