LOOKING UPWARDS IN A STORM



- 2. Friend of the friendless and the faint! Where should I lodge my deep complaint? Where but with thee, whose open door invites the helpless and the poor!
- 3. Did ever mourner plead with thee, and thou refuse that mourner's plea? Does not the word still fixed remain, that none shall seek thy face in vain?
- 4. That were a grief I could not bear, didst thou not hear and answer prayer; but a prayer-hearing, answering God, supports me under every load.
- 5. Fair is the lot that's cast for me; I have an Advocate with thee; they whom the world caresses most have no such privilege to boast.
- 6. Poor though I am, despised, forgot, yet God, my God, forgets me not:
 And he is save, and must succeed, for whom the Lord vouchsafes to plead.

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