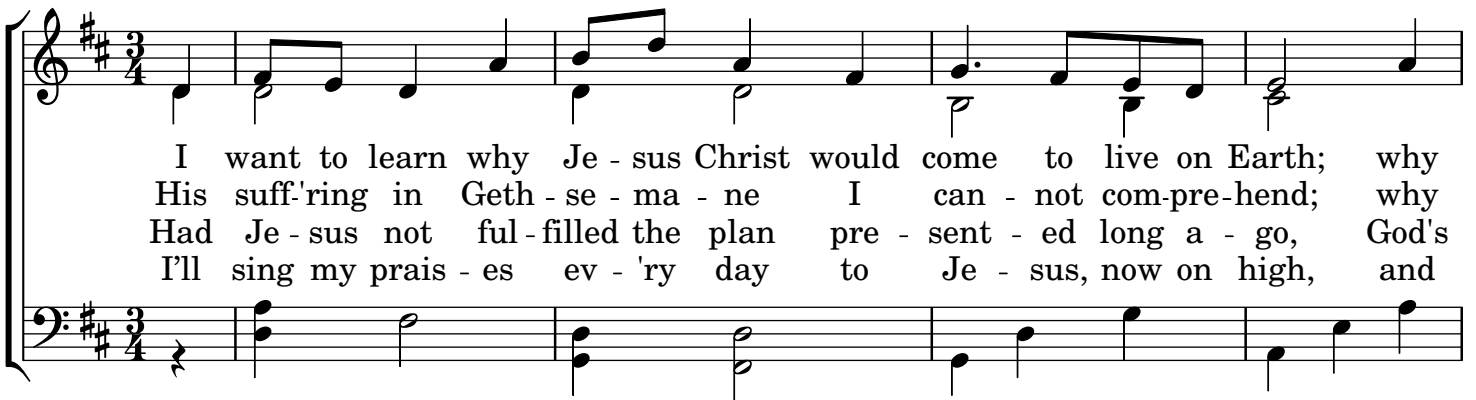


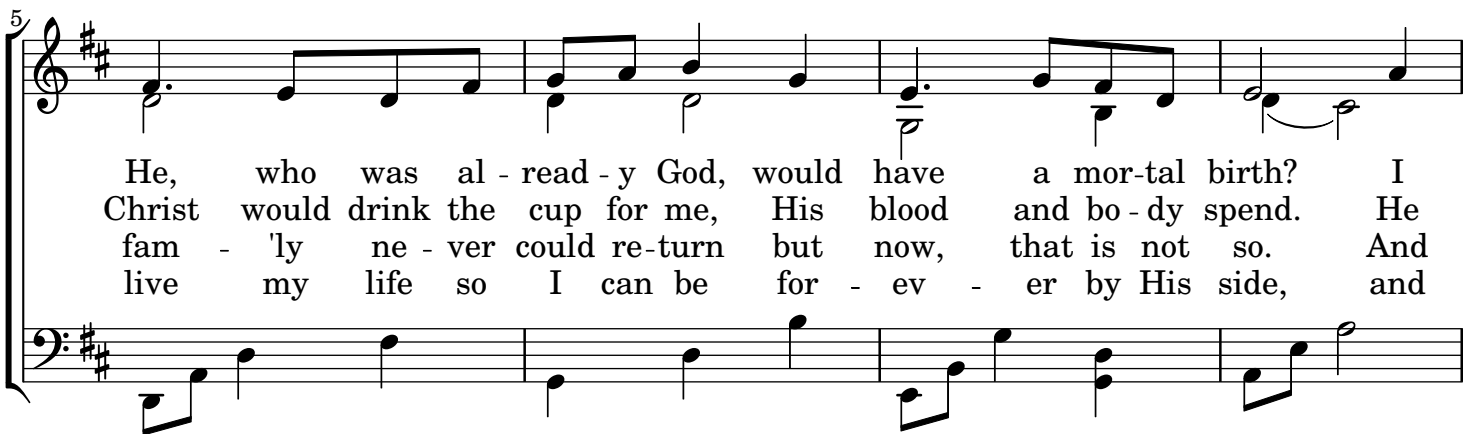
Why Jesus Came To Earth

Lyrics: Blythe Darlyn Thatcher

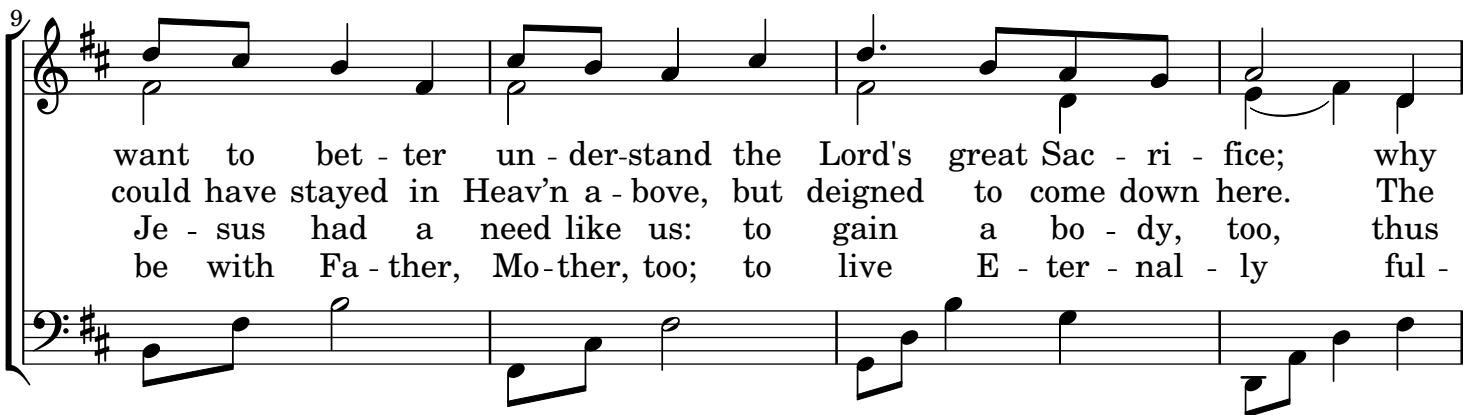
Music: Steven Tomer



I want to learn why Je - sus Christ would come to live on Earth; why
His suff'ring in Geth - se - ma - ne I can - not com-pre-hend; why
Had Je - sus not ful - filled the plan pre - sent - ed long a - go, God's
I'll sing my prais - es ev - 'ry day to Je - sus, now on high, and



5 He, who was al - read - y God, would have a mor - tal birth? I
Christ would drink the cup for me, His blood and bo - dy spend. He
fam - 'ly ne - ver could re - turn but now, that is not so. And
live my life so I can be for - ev - er by His side, and



9 want to bet - ter un - der - stand the Lord's great Sac - ri - fice; why
could have stayed in Heav'n a - bove, but deigned to come down here. The
Je - sus had a need like us: to gain a bo - dy, too, thus
be with Fa - ther, Mo - ther, too; to live E - ter - nal - ly ful -



13 He should suf - fer for our sins and pay that aw - ful price.
scrip - tures teach it was for us; it's all be - com - ing clear.
He'd pro - gress, and we'd pro - gress and make the plan come true.
fill - ing all of Fa - ther's plan pre - pared for you and me.