

## Almighty and most merciful Father

Almighty and most merciful Father,  
grant that my hope and confidence  
may be in Jesus' merits, and Thy mercy;  
confirm my faith, stablish my hope,  
enlarge my charity, pardon my offences,  
and receive me at my death, to everlasting happiness,  
for the sake of Jesus Christ. Amen.

The last prayer of Dr Samuel Johnson (1709-1784)

Ambrose Probert Porter (1885-1971)  
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*mf* **Andante espressivo**

Soprano  
Al - migh - ty and most mer - ci - ful Fa - ther, grant that my hope and con - fi - dence may

Alto  
Al - migh - ty and most mer - ci - ful Fa - ther, grant that my hope and con - fi - dence may

Tenor  
Al - migh - ty and most mer - ci - ful Fa - ther, grant that my hope and con - fi - dence may

Bass  
Al - migh - ty and most mer - ci - ful Fa - ther, grant that my hope and con - fi - dence may

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be in Je - sus' mer - its, and Thy mer - cy; con - firm my faith, stab - lish my hope, en -

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