

## 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)*

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

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

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

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