

Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know

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Music: H. A. César Malan, 1827, harm. Lowell Mason, 1841

F C F

Verse 1: Ask ye what great thing I know,

Gmi C F

That de-lights and stirs me so?

C F

What the high re-ward I win?

B_♭ F C

Whose the Name I glo-ry in?

F B_♭ C F

Je-sus Christ, the Cru-ci-fied.

Verse 2: Who de-feats my fier-cest foes?

Who con-soles my sad-dest woes?

Who re-vives my faint-ing heart,

Heal-ing all its hid-den smart?

Je-sus Christ, the Cru-ci-fied.

Verse 3: Who is life in life to me?

Who the death of death will be?

Who will place me on His right,

With the count-less hosts of light?

Je-sus Christ, the Cru-ci-fied.

Verse 4: This is that great thing I know;

This de-lights and stirs me so;

Faith in Him Who died to save,

Him Who tri-umphed o'er the grave:

Je-sus Christ, the Cru-ci-fied.