

# 287i. When I survey the wondrous cross



Concert key:	E <sup>b</sup> major
Chords key:	E <sup>b</sup> major (concert)
Structure:	5 verses

## *Verse 1:*

E<sup>b</sup>            A<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup> E<sup>b</sup>                            A<sup>b</sup>    E<sup>b</sup>  
When I        survey the wondrous cross  
  
                                 A<sup>b</sup>        E<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>/D E<sup>b</sup> E<sup>b</sup>/B<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>  
on which the Prince of Glo- ry died  
  
                         F<sup>7</sup> B<sup>b</sup>    B<sup>b7</sup> E<sup>b</sup>        F<sup>7</sup> B<sup>b</sup>  
my richest gain I    count but loss,  
  
E<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup>    E<sup>b</sup> Fm    E<sup>b</sup> E<sup>b</sup>/B<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b7</sup> E<sup>b</sup>  
and pour contempt on all    my pride.

## *Verse 2:*

Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast  
save in the death of Christ my God;  
all the vain things that charm me most,  
I sacrifice them to his blood.

## *Verse 3:*

See from his head, his hands, his feet,  
sorrow and love flow mingled down;  
did e'er such love and sorrow meet,  
or thorns compose so rich a crown?

## *Verse 4:*

His dying crimson, like a robe,  
spreads o'er his body on the tree;  
then am I dead to all the globe,  
and all the globe is dead to me.

## *Verse 5:*

Were the whole realm of nature mine,  
that were an offering far too small;  
love so amazing, so divine,  
demands my soul, my life, my all.