

364i. O for a thousand tongues to sing



Concert key: D major
Chords key: D major (concert)
Structure: 7 verses

Verse 1:

D G A
O for a thousand tongues to sing

D A D
my great Redeemer's praise

D A D
the glories of my God and King,

 D E A A⁷ D G A D
the triumphs of his grace! The triumphs of his grace!

Verse 2:

My gracious Master and my God,
assist me to proclaim,
to spread through all the earth abroad
the honours of your name.

Verse 3:

Jesus -- the name that charms our fears,
that bids our sorrows cease;
'tis music in the sinner's ears,
'tis life, and health, and peace.

Verse 4:

He breaks the power of cancelled sin,
he sets the prisoner free;
his blood can make the foulest clean,
his blood availed for me.

Verse 5:

He speaks; and, listening to his voice,
new life the dead receive;
the mournful, broken hearts rejoice;
the humble poor believe.

Verse 6:

See all your sins on Jesus laid:
the Lamb of God was slain;
his soul was once an offering made
that all may heaven gain.

Verse 7:

In Christ, our Head, you then shall know,
shall feel, your sins forgiven,
anticipate your heaven below,
and own that love is heaven.

Charles Wesley (1707-1788)