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1. Give me, O Lord, an understanding heart, That I may learn to know myself in Thee, To spurn the wrong and choose the better part as Thou art.

2. Give me, O Lord, a meek and contrite heart, That I may learn to quell all selfish pride, Bowing before Thee, see Thee as He art and 'neath Thy sheltering presence safely hide.

3. Give me, O Lord, a gentle, loving heart, That I may learn to be more tender, kind, And with Thy healing touch, each wound and smart With Christ-like bands of Love and Truth to bind.

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