

Love divine, all loves excelling

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F Gm7 C F Gm C F

1 Love di - vine, all loves ex - cel - ling, Joy of heav'n to earth come down,
2 Breathe, O breathe Thy lov - ing Spir - it in - to ev - ery trou - bled breast!
3 Come, Al - might - y to de - liv - er, let us all Thy life re - ceive;
4 Fin - ish, then, Thy new cre - a - tion; Pure and spot - less let us be;

F Gm7 C F Gm C F

fix in us Thy hum - ble dwell - ing, all Thy faith - ful mer - cies crown!
Let us all in Thee in - her - it, let us find the prom - ised rest;
sud - den - ly re - turn, and nev - er, nev - er - more Thy tem - ples leave.
let us see Thy great sal - va - tion per - fect - ly re - stored in Thee;

Am Dm Gm C C7 F Gm Csus C

Je - sus, Thou art all com - pas - sion, pure, un - bound - ed love Thou art;
take a - way the love of sin - ning; Al - pha and O - me - ga be;
Thee we would be al - ways bless - ing, serve Thee as Thy hosts a - bove;
changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry, till in heav'n we take our place,

F C7 F C Am Bb F C F

vis - it us with Thy sal - va - tion, en - ter ev - ery trem - bling heart.
end of faith, as its be - gin - ning, set our hearts at lib - er - ty.
pray, and praise Thee with - out ceas - ing, glo - ry in Thy per - fect love.
till we cast our crowns be - fore Thee, lost in won - der, love, and praise.