

O the deep, deep love of Jesus

Text: S. Trevor Francis, 1890

Music: Thomas John Williams, 1890

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The musical score is written for a single melodic line in treble clef, key of D major (indicated by two sharps), and 12/8 time. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes, often beamed in groups of three. Chord symbols are placed above the staff at the beginning of each measure. The lyrics are arranged in four systems, each corresponding to a line of the melody. The first system includes three numbered verses. The second system continues the lyrics. The third system continues. The fourth system concludes the piece with a double bar line.

Em B C B Em G D Em B7 Em

1 O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Vast, un - mea - sured, bound - less, free!
2 O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Spread his praise from shore to shore!
3 O the deep, deep love of Je - sus, love of ev - 'ry love the best!

Em B C B Em G D Em B7 Em

Roll - ing as a might - y o - cean in its full - ness ov - er me!
How he loves us, ev - er loves us, chang - es nev - er, nev - er - more!
'Tis an o - cean vast of bless - ing, 'tis a ha - ven sweet of rest!

G D Em B Em D Em D G

Un - der - neath me, all a - round - me, is the cur - rent of thy love;
How he watch - es o'er his loved ones, died to call them all his own;
Oh, the deep, deep love of Je - sus, 'tis a heav'n of heav'ns to me;

Em B C B Em G D Em B7 Em

lead - ing on - ward, lead - ing home - ward, to thy glo - rious rest a - bove.
how for them he's in - ter - ced - ing, watch - ing o'er them from the throne!
and it lifts me up to glo - ry, for it lifts me up to thee!