

## Worship Songs

### "My song is Love Unknown"

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My song is love unknown,  
My Savior's love to me;  
Love to the loveless shown,  
That they might lovely be.  
O who am I, that for my sake  
My Lord should take, frail flesh and die?

He came from His blest throne  
Salvation to bestow;  
But men made strange, and none  
The longed for Christ would know:  
But O my Friend, my Friend indeed,  
Who at my need His life did spend.

Here might I stay and sing,  
No story so divine;  
Never was love, dear King!  
Never was grief like Thine.  
This is my Friend, in Whose sweet praise  
I all my days could gladly spend.

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Submitter's comments:Â

The original author of this song is Samuel Crossman, 1664. It is usually played to the music of John Ireland - 'love unknown'.

I have been working on translating this myself from English to Italian, but would like to see if this translation service would also help - some words are very difficult and I am not sure of a good substitute - such as loveless -or the best way to say the phrase 'my song is love unknown' and have the meaning stay the same.

I hope to get this translated into Latin as well. Thank you for any help! I hope that that song can be sung in Italian and keep the same lovely melody.

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