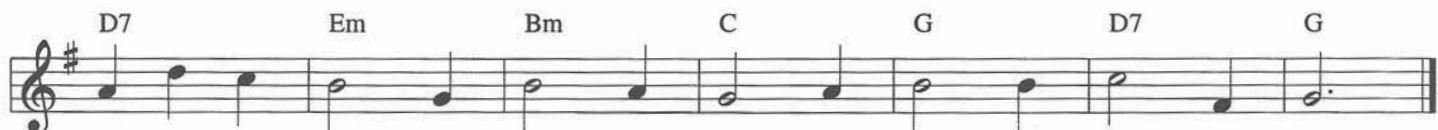


# Prayer is the Soul's Sincere Desire



1. Prayer is the soul's sin - cere de - sire, Un - ut - tered or ex - pressed,
2. Prayer is the bur - den of a sigh, The fall - ing of a tear,
3. Prayer is the sim - plest form of speech That in - fant lips can try;
4. Prayer is the Chris - tian's vi - tal breath, The Chris - tian's na - tive air,
5. O Thou by whom we come to God, The Life, the Truth, the Way,



1. The mo - tion of a hid - den fire That trem - bles in the breast.
2. The up - ward glanc - ing of an eye When none but God is near.
3. Prayer the sub - lim - est strains that reach The Ma - jes - ty on high.
4. A watch - word at the gates of death: One en - ters heaven with prayer.
5. The path of prayer thy - self hast trod: Lord, teach us how to pray.

