

## *Preparation Music*

### *Jesus Christ, the Apple Tree*

The musical score consists of four staves of music, each with a different key signature and time signature. The first staff starts in G major (4/4), the second in C major (2/4), the third in F major (4/4), and the fourth in E major (3/4). The lyrics are integrated into the music, appearing below the notes. The lyrics are as follows:

1. The tree of life my soul hath seen, La - den with fruit, and  
2. His beau - ty doth all things ex - cel: By faith I know, but  
3. For hap - pi - ness I long have sought, and plea - sure dear - ly  
4. I'm wear - y with my for - mer toil, Here I will sit and  
5. This fruit doth make my soul to thrive, It keeps my dy - ing

al - ways green: The tree of life my soul hath seen, La -  
ne'er can tell, His beau - ty doth all things ex - cel: By  
I have bought: For hap - pi - ness I long have sought, And  
rest a - while; I'm wear - y with my for - mer toil, Here  
faith a - live; This fruit doth make my soul to thrive, It

den with fruit, and al - ways green: The trees of na - ture  
faith I know, but ne'er can tell The glo - ry which I  
plea - sure dear - ly I have bought: I missed of all; but  
I will sit and rest a - while: Un - der the sha - dow  
keeps my dy - ing faith a - live; Which makes my soul in

fruit - less be Com - pared with Christ the ap - ple tree.  
now can see In Je - sus Christ the ap - ple tree.  
now I see 'Tis found in Christ the ap - ple tree.  
I will be, Of Je - sus Christ the ap - ple tree.  
haste to be With Je - sus Christ the ap - ple tree.