

# O SACRED HEAD

ST. BERNARD (1091-1153)

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1. O Sa - cred Head sur - round - ed By crown of pierc - ing  
2. I see Thy strength and vig - or All fad - ing in the  
3. In this Thy bit - ter Pas - sion, Good Shep - herd, think of

thorn! O bleed - ing Head, so wound - ed, Re - viled and put to  
strife, And death, with cru - el rig - or, Be - reav - ing Thee of  
me With Thy most sweet com - pas - sion, Un - wor - thy though I

scorn. Death's pal - lid hue comes o'er Thee, The glow of life de -  
life. O ag - o - ny and dy - ing! O love to sin - ners  
be; Be - neath Thy cross a - bid - ing, For - ev - er would I

cays. Yet an - gel hosts a - dore Thee And trem - ble as they gaze!  
free! Je - sus, all grace sup - ply - ing, Oh, turn Thy face on me!  
rest In Thy dear love con - fid - ing, And with Thy pres - ence blest!