

Just as I am (8 8 8. 6.)

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The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of two systems, each with a treble and bass clef staff. The key signature has two flats (B-flat major), and the time signature is 3/4. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with a final cadence at the end of the second system.

1. Just as I am, Thine own to be,
Friend of the young who lovest me,
To consecrate myself to Thee,
O Jesus Christ, I come.

2. In the glad morning of my day,
My life to give, my vows to pay,
with no reserve and no delay,
With all my heart I come.

3. I would live ever in the light,
I would work ever for the right,
I would serve Thee with all my might,
Therefore to Thee I come.

4. Just as I am, young, strong, and free,
To be the best that I can be
For truth and righteousness and Thee,
Lord of my life, I come.