

Isaac Watts, 1707
Hymn 88, Book 1

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Samuel Holyoke, 1803

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2. Then what my thoughts de - sign to do, My hands with all your might pur - sue;

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Since no de - vice nor work is found, Nor faith nor hope, be - neath the ground.

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