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218 【禱告之時】

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(一) 禱告之時，甘甜之時！使我離開煩惱之事，來到神的座前，發表所有意願，所有需要；當我遇到重壓、憂愁，我靈却常得著自由，不陷惡者所有布置，因為有禰 - 禱告之時！

(二) 禱告之時，甘甜之時！何等蒙福，快樂安適；我靈深處，猶如火焚，我心焦渴，望禰來臨。此情催我，進到禰前，我神、我主，瞻仰禰面；我樂逗留在此位置，將禰等候 - 禱告之時！

(三) 禱告之時，甘甜之時！如有雙羽載我願辭，到祂寶座向神求懇，祂是信實，祂是全真。祂即命我尋求祂面，信祂話語，靠祂恩典，我要將我重擔卸釋在于禰前 - 甘甜之時！

**(1) Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer, that calls me from a world of care, and bids me at my Father's throne
make all my wants and wishes known: In seasons of distress and grief my soul has often found relief, and oft escaped the
tempter's snare by thy return, sweet hour of prayer.**

**(2) Sweet hour of pray'r! Sweet hour of pray'r, the joy I feel, the bliss I share, of those whose anxious spirits bum with
strong desires for Thy return! With such I hasten to the place where God, my Savior, shows His face, and gladly take my
station there, and wait for Thee, sweet hour of pray'r.**

(3) Sweet hour of pray'r! Sweet hour of pray'r, Thy wings shall my petition bear to Him whose truth and faithfulness engage the waiting soul to bless; and since He bids me seek His face, believe His word, and trust His grace. I'll cast on Him my ev'ry care, and wait for thee, sweet hour of pray'r.

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