

*The humble sute of a sinner.**Robert Palmer.**CANTVS.*

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TENOR or Playnsong.

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But onely thou vvhose aide I craue,
whose mercy still is prest
To ease all those that come to thee
for succour and for rest.
And sith thou seest my refleſſe eyes,
my teares and grieuous grome,
Attend unto my sute (O Lord)
marke vwell my plaint and mone.

For sime hath so enclosed me,
and compas me a out:
That I am now remedieſſe,
if mercv h-lp not out.

For mortall man cannot release,
or mitigate this paine:
But euen thy Christ my Lo'd and God,
vvhich fer my sinne vvas slaine.

Vvhose bloudy, vvwounds are yet to fee,
though not with mortall eye:
Yet doe thy Saints belold them all,
and lo I trust shall! .
Though sime doth hinder me awhile,
vvhian thou shalt see it good:
I shall enjoy the sight of him,
and see his vvwounds and bloud.

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BASSVS.

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And as thine Angels, and thy Saints,
doe now behold the same:
So trust to possess that place,
vvhich them to praiere thy name.
But vwhilst I liue here in this vale,
vvhene sinners doe ſrequent
Afflitione euer with thy grace,
my ſinnes ſtill to lament.

Leafe that I tread in finners trace,
and give them my conſent
To dwelle vvhith them in vvhicke dneſſe,
vvhethero nature is bent.

Onely thy gracie muſt be my stay,
leafe that I fall dovvine flat:
And being dovvine th n of m, ells
cannot recouer that.

VVherefore this is yet once againe,
my ſute and my reuert:
To grant me pardon for my ſinne,
that I in thee may rest.
Then ſhall my heaſt my tongue & voyce
be instruments of praise:
And in thy Church and house of Saints,
Sing Psalms to thee alwayes,

O Come