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"For I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content." -- Phil. 4:11.

E♭ Major Francis Maria Cowper, 1792.

L. P. Breedlove, 1859.

1. My span of life will soon be gone, The pass-ing moments say, As length-'ning shad-ows o'er the mead Pro-claim the close of day.

2. Ere first I drew this vi-tal breath, From na-ture's pris-on free, Cross - es in num-ber, measure, weight, Were written, Lord, for me.

O that my heart might dwell a-loof From all cre - at - ed things, And learn that wis-dom from a-bove, Whence true con-tent-ment springs.

But Thou my Shep-herd, Friend, and Guide, Hast led me kind-ly on, Taught me to rest my faint - ing head On Christ, "the Cor-ner-stone".