

Teach me, my God and King

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1. Teach me, my God and King,
in all things you to see;
that what I do in anything
may for your glory be.
2. Oh help us see beyond
the way things may appear,
to view, as through a pane of glass,
your glory ever near.
3. All may of you partake,
no task can be so low,
which, undertaken for your sake,
will not your glory show.
4. A worker with this view
makes drudgery divine;
to labour, just for love of you,
turns water into wine.
5. This is the famous stone
that turns all things to gold;
for that which God has called his own
we should as treasure hold.

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