

Anne Steele, 1760

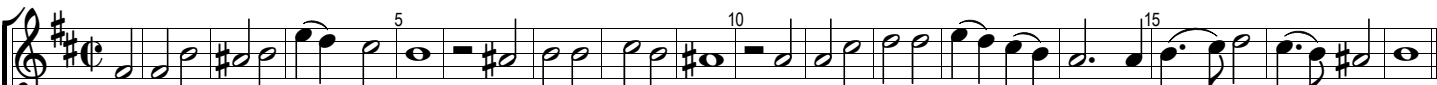
Pardoning Love 86. 86. (C. M.)

Mentz

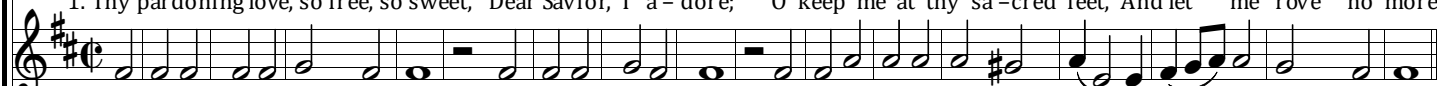
Transcribed from *The Village Harmony*, 1803.

B minor

Samuel Holyoke, 1797

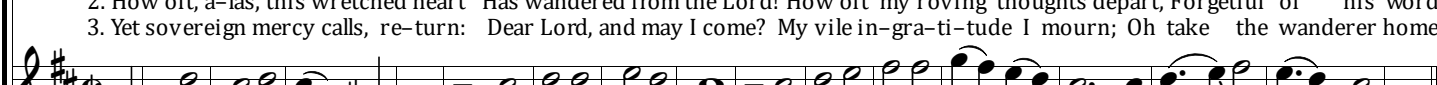
Tr.  5 10 15

1. Thy pardoning love, so free, so sweet, Dear Savior, I a-dore; O keep me at thy sa-cred feet, And let me rove no more.

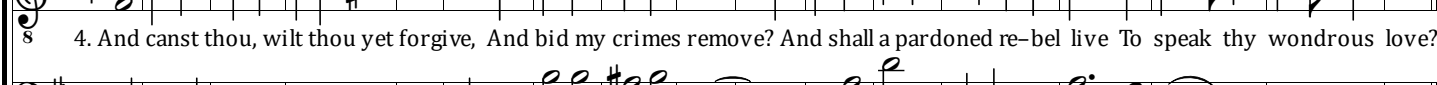
C. 

2. How oft, a-las, this wretched heart Has wandered from the Lord! How oft my roving thoughts depart, Forgetful of his word.

3. Yet sovereign mercy calls, re-turn: Dear Lord, and may I come? My vile in-gra-ti-tude I mourn; Oh take the wanderer home.

T.  8

4. And canst thou, wilt thou yet forgive, And bid my crimes remove? And shall a pardoned re-bel live To speak thy wondrous love?

B. 

5. Almighty grace, thy healing power How glorious, how divine! That can to bliss and life re-store So vile a heart as mine.