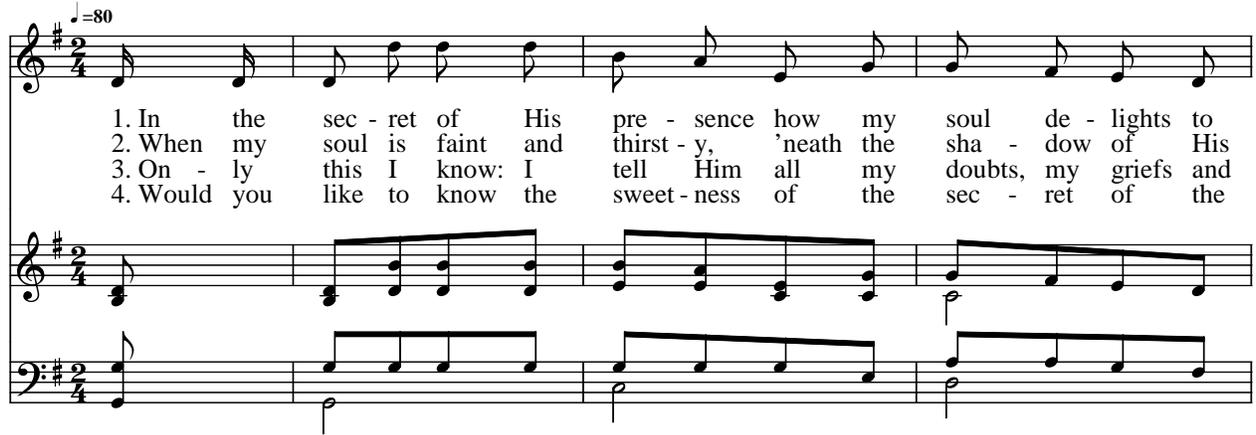


In the Secret of His Presence

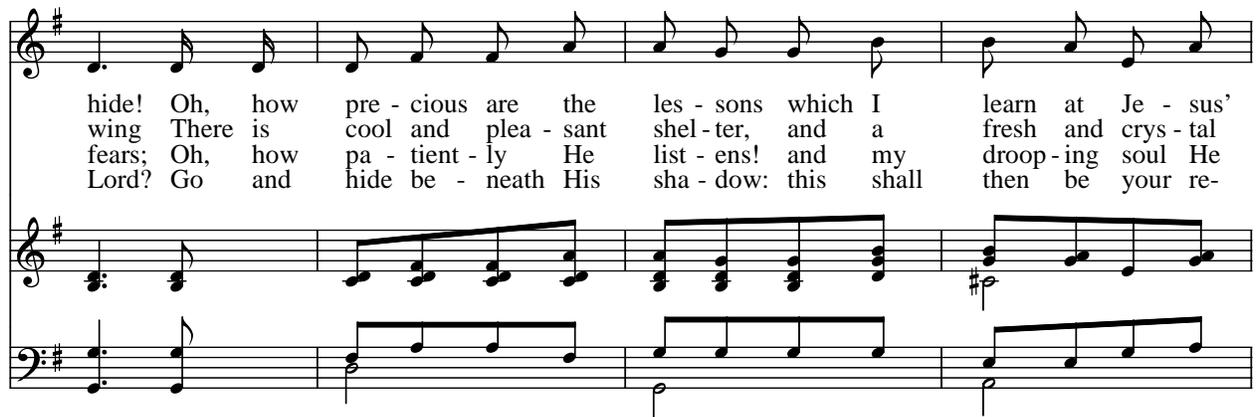
Ellen Lakshmi Goreh, 1883

George Coles Stebbins

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1. In the sec - ret of His pre - sence how my soul de - lights to
2. When my soul is faint and thirst - y, 'neath the sha - dow of His
3. On - ly this I know: I tell Him all my doubts, my griefs and
4. Would you like to know the sweet - ness of the sec - ret of the



hide! Oh, how pre - cious are the les - sons which I learn at Je - sus'
wing There is cool and plea - sant shel - ter, and a fresh and crys - tal
fears; Oh, how pa - tient - ly He list - ens! and my droop - ing soul He
Lord? Go and hide be - neath His sha - dow: this shall then be your re -



side! Earth - ly cares can ne - ver vex me, nei - ther tri - als lay me
spring; And my Sav - ior rests be - side me, as we hold com - mun - ion
cheers: Do you think He ne'er re - proves me? What a false Friend He would
- ward; And when - e'er you leave the si - lence of that hap - py meet - ing

rit.

low; For when Sa - tan comes to tempt me, to the sec - ret place I
 sweet: If I tried, I could not ut - ter what He says when thus we
 be, If He nev - er, nev - er told me of the sins which He must
 place, You must mind and bear the im - age of the Mas - ter in your

go, To the sec - ret place I go.
 meet, What He says when thus we meet.
 see, Of the sins which He must see.
 face, Of the Mas - ter in your face.