Sweet Is the Peace the Gospel Brings

1. Sweet is the peace the gospel brings To seeking minds and true.
   With devotion

2. Its laws and precepts are divine And show a Father's care.

3. Faithless tradition flees its pow'r, And unbelief gives way.
   With devotion

4. May we who know the sacred Name
   From every sin depart.
   Then will the Spirit's constant flame
   Preserve us pure in heart.

5. Ere long the tempter's power will cease,
   And sin no more annoy,
   No wrangling sects disturb our peace,
   Or mar our heartfelt joy.

6. That which we have in part received
   Will be in part no more,
   For he in whom we all believe
   To us will all restore.

7. In patience, then, let us possess
   Our souls till he appear.
   On to our mark of calling press;
   Redemption draweth near.

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Psalm 119:165
Psalm 119:97–104