

# Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus

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1. Hail, thou once de - spi - sèd Je - sus! Hail, thou Ga - li - le - an King!  
2. Pas - chal Lamb, by God ap - poin - ted, all our sins on thee were laid:  
3. Je - sus, hail! en - throned in glo - ry, there for ev - er to a - bide;  
4. Wor - ship, ho - nor, pow - er and bles - sing thou art wor - thy to re - ceive;

Thou didst suf - fer to re - lease us; thou didst free sal - va - tion bring.  
by al - migh - ty love an - oin - ted, thou hast full a - tone - ment made.  
all the - heav'n - ly hosts a - dore thee, sea - ted at thy Fa - ther's side.  
high - est prai - ses, with - out cea - sing, right it is for us to give.

Hail, thou u - ni - ver - sal Sa - viour, bear - er of our sin and shame!  
All thy peo - ple are for - gi - ven through the vir - tue of thy blood:  
There for sin - ners thou art plea - ding: there thou dost our place pre - pare;  
Help, ye bright an - ge - lic spi - rits, all your no - blest an - thems raise;

By thy me - rit we find fa - vor: life is giv - en through thy Name.  
o - pened is the gate of hea - ven, re - con - ciled are we with God.  
ev - er for us in - ter - ce - ding, till in glo - ry we ap - pear.  
help to sing our Sa - viour's me - rits, help to chant Em - man - u - el's praise!