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236 【主，我爱祢国度】

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(一) 主，我爱祢国度，就是祢的居所，就是教会，祢所救赎，借祢流血工作。

(二) 神，我爱祢教会，她是祢心奇珍，祢对待她爱护入微，犹如眼中瞳人。

(三) 为她我常求呼，为她我常哀哭，为她我常操心、劳碌，直到日子满足。

(四) 是我最高喜乐，因她属天特色，甜美交通，由衷奉献爱与赞美之歌。

(五) 祢的永恆真理，已向锡安宣告，地上荣耀无可比擬，天上光辉永照。

**(1) I love Thy kingdom, Lord, the house of Thine abode, the Church our blest Redeemer bought with His own precious blood.**

**(2) I love the Church, O God! Her walls before Thee stand, dear as the apple of Thine eye and graven on Thy hand.**

**(3) For her my tears shall fall, for her my prayers ascend; to her my cares and toils be given till toils and cares shall end.**

**(4) Beyond my highest joy I prize her heavenly ways, her sweet communion, solemn vows, her hymns of love and praise.**

**(5) Sure as Thy truth shall last, to Zion shall be given the brightest glories earth can yield, and brighter bliss of heaven.**

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