

Psalm 116

"I love the Lord"

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1. I love the Lord, be-cause my voice and pray-er heard hath he:
2. Up-on the name of God my Lord, then did I call and say:
3. The Lord in safe-ty doth pre-serve, all those that sim-ple be:

6
When in my days I called on him, he bowed his ear to me.
De-liv-er thou my soul, O Lord, I do thee hum-bly pray.
I was in woe-ful mi-se-ry, and he re-liev-ed me.

11
Ev'n when the snares of cru-el death, a-bout be-set me round:
The Lord is ve-ry mer-ci-ful, and just he is al-so:
And now my soul, say'th thou art safe, re-turn un-to thy rest:

16
When pains of hell me caught, and when, I woe and sor-row found.
And in our God com-pas-si-on doth plen-ti-ful-ly flow.
For large-ly, lo, the Lord to thee: his boun-ty hath ex-pressed.