

Throned Upon the Awful Tree

ARFON

1. Throned up - on the aw - ful tree, King of grief, I
 2. Si - lent through those three dread hours, wres - tling with the
 3. Hark that cry that peals a - loud up - ward through the
 4. Lord, should fear and an - guish roll dark - ly o'er my

watch with Thee; dark - ness veils Thine an - guished face,
 e - vil pow'rs, left a - lone with hu - man sin,
 whelm - ing cloud! Thou, the Fa - ther's on - ly Son,
 sin - ful soul, Thou, who once wast thus be - reft

none its lines of woe can trace, none can tell what
 gloom a - round Thee and with - in, till th' ap - point - ed
 Thou, His own A - noint - ed One. Thou dost ask Him—
 that Thine own might nèer be left— teach me by that

pangs un - known hold Thee si - lent and a - lone.
 time is nigh, till the Lamb of God may die.
 can it be? "Why hast Thou for - sak - en Me?"
 bit - ter cry in the gloom to know Thee nigh.

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