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# GOD Incomprehensible.

## I.

**F**AR in the Heav'ns my God retires,  
 My God, the point of my Desires,  
 And hides his Lovely Face ;  
 When he descends within my View  
 He charms my Reason to pursue,  
 But leaves it tir'd and fainting in th' unequal Chase.

## II.

Or if I reach unusual height,  
 Till near his Presence brought ;  
 There Floods of Glory check my Flight,  
 Cramp the bold Pinions of my Wit  
 And all untune my Thought ;  
 Plung'd in a Sea of Light I roll,  
 Where Wisdom, Justice, Mercy Shines ;  
 Infinite Rays in Crossing Lines  
 Beat thick Confusion on my Sight, and overwhelm  
 my Soul.

## III.

Come to my aid, ye Fellow-Minds,  
And help me reach the Throne,  
(What single Strength in vain designs,  
United Force hath done ;  
Thus Worms may Joyn, and grasp the Poles,  
Thus Atoms fill the Sea,)  
But the whole Race of Creature-Souls,  
Stretch'd to their last extent of Thought plunge and  
are lost in Thee.

## IV.

Great God ; behold my Reason lies  
Adoring ; yet my Love would rise  
On Pinions not her own :  
Faith shall direct her humble Flight  
Thro' all the trackless Seas of Light  
To Thee th' Eternal Fair, the Infinite Unknown.