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1. Be Thou my Vi - sion, O Lord of my heart; be
2. Be Thou my Wis - dom, be Thou my true Word; be
3. Be Thou my Breast-plate, my Sword for the fight; be

all else but naught to me, save that Thou art; be
Thou ev - er with me, and I with Thee, Lord; be
Thou my whole Ar - mor, be Thou my true Might; be

Thou my best thought in the day and the night, both
Thou my great Fa - ther, and I Thy true son; be
Thou my soul's Shel - ter, be Thou my strong Tow'r, O

wak - ing and sleep - ing, Thy pres - ence my light.
Thou in me dwell - ing, and I with Thee one.
raise Thou me heav'n - ward, great Pow'r of my pow'r.

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