

Easter Dogwoods L.M.

Jesus Christ the Apple-tree

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Thoughtfully

1. The tree of life, my soul hath seen, Laden with fruit, & always green;
2. For hap - pi - ness I long have sought, & pleas - ure dear - ly I have bought;
3. I'm wear - y with my form - er toil, Here I will sit & rest a while,
4. With great de - light I'll make my stay, There's none shall fright my soul a - way;

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The trees of na - ture fruit - less be, Com - par'd with Christ the Ap - ple - tree.
I miss'd of all, but now I see 'Tis found in Christ the Ap - ple - tree.
Un - der the shad - ow I will be, Of Je - sus Christ the Ap - ple - tree.
A - mong the sons of men I see There's none like Christ the Ap - ple - tree.

5. I'll sit & eat this fruit divine,
It cheers my heart like spirit'al wine;
And now this fruit is sweet to me,
That grows on Christ the Appletree.

6. This fruit doth make my soul to thrive,
It keeps my dying faith alive;
Which makes my soul in haste to be
With Jesus Christ the Appletree.

7. His beauty doth all things excel,
By faith I know, but ne'er can tell
The glory which I now can see,
In Jesus Christ the Appletree.