

**HAVE
YOU
TRIED**

**CHRIST'S
↑ WAY ↑**



Christ invites you:

"Come unto me . . . and I will give you rest."

Matthew 11:28

His way is the best way:

"For in him dwelleth all the fulness of the Godhead bodily. And ye are complete in him..."

Colossians 2:9-10

Christ advises you:

"But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness..."

Matthew 6:33

His way is the victorious way:

"I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me."

Philippians 4:13

Christ shows you:

". . . The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent ye, and believe the gospel."

Mark 1:15

His way is the bright way:

"...he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life."

John 8:12

Christ promises you:

"...him that cometh to me I will in no wise cast out."

John 6:37

His way is the heavenward way:

"When Christ, who is our life, shall appear, then shall ye also appear with him in glory."

Colossians 3:4

Crown or Crucify



"I stood alone at the bar of God,
In the hush of the twilight dim,
And faced the question that pierced my heart
'What will you do with him?'
'Crowned or crucified? Which shall it be?'
No other choice was offered to me.

"I looked on the face so marred with tears
That were shed in his agony.
The look in his kind eyes broke my heart,
'Twas full of love for me.
'The crown or the cross' it seemed to say:
'For or against me—choose thou today.'

"He whispered so tenderly to me;
While he pleadingly said, 'Obey!
Make me thy choice, for I love thee so'—
And I could not say him nay.
Crowned, not crucified—this must it be;
No other way was open to me."

"I knelt in tears at the feet of Christ,
In the hush of the twilight dim,
And all that I was, or hoped, or sought,
Surrendered unto him.
Crowned, not crucified—my heart shall know
No King but Christ who loveth me so."

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