

**The Love of God (is greater far)
646 Praise for the Lord**

1

The love of God is greater far
than tongue or pen can ever tell;
it goes beyond the highest star,
and reaches to the lowest hell.
The guilty pair, bowed down with care,
God gave his Son to win;
His erring child He reconciled,
And pardoned from his sin.

Refrain:

O love of God, how rich and pure!
How measureless and strong!
It shall forevermore endure—
the saints' and angels' song.

2

When hoary time shall pass away,
and earthly thrones and kingdoms fall;
when men who here refuse to pray
on rocks and hills and mountains call;
God's love so sure, shall still endure,
all measureless and strong;
Redeeming grace to Adam's race—
the saints' and angels' song.

3

Could we with ink the ocean fill,
and were the skies of parchment made;
were ev'ry stalk on earth a quill,
and ev'ryone a scribe by trade;
to write the love of God above
would drain the ocean dry;
nor could the scroll contain the whole,
though stretched from sky to sky. [Refrain]

Oh, amor de Dios

Not original: 2b, 3a

1

¡Oh,_amor de Dios! Su_inmensidad
El hombre no contar podrá;
Alcanza_a la profundidad
Y de los astros, más allá.
Al reo par, en su pecar,
Mandó_a Su Hijo_a ganar.
Al pródigo perdón le dio,
Le rescató del mal.

(coro)

¡Oh_amor de Dios! ¡Cuán rico es!
Perenne, puro_y fiel,
De santos y de ángeles
El cántico_eternal.

2

Y cuando_el tiempo pase ya
Con todo reino terrenal
Y_el que_aquí rehúsa_orar
A monte_y peña llamará,
El gran amor del Redentor
Por siempre durará.
La gran canción de salvación
Su pueblo_entonará.

3

Si fuera tinta todo_el mar,
Y todo_el cielo_un gran papel,
Y todo hombre_un escritor,
Y cada hoja un pincel,
El gran amor del Salvador
Agotaría_el mar;
Ni la_extensión de la_expansión
Diría el total.