

The Love of Christ Is Strong

A Song of Confession
Song of Songs 5:2-9; 8:6-7

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Music by **Stephanie Screen & Ben Harte Hutchinson**

Intro

♩ = 88 Am F C G(sus4) Am F G(sus4) G F G Am G F

Verses

7 F(add2) G(sus4) G C C(sus4) C G/B Am F G(sus4) G

1. Have mer - cy on me Lord, for-give my fain-ting soul.
3. I thought I had no time to lis - ten to your words.

13 Am F G Am Fmaj7 G(sus4) G

I have not sought you as I ought, my pas-sion has grown cold,
And now my ears can bare - ly hear, the mu - sic I once heard.

17 C C(sus4) C G/B Am F G(sus4) G

2. You came to me in love but I ig-nored your cry.
4. Lord, come to me a - gain and do not turn a - way.

21 Am F G Am Fmaj7 G(sus4) G **Chorus**

With earth - ly cares and world ly snares, I was pre - oc - cu - pied. *The*
I seek you, Lord, with - in your word. Draw near in love, I pray.

25 F G Am Cmaj7/E F G Am(sus4) Am F G

love of Christ is strong, — as strong as death. The migh - ty flame of

30 C G(sus4) G F G 1. Am F C G(sus4) Am F G(sus4) G

Je - sus' love can - not be quenched.

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42 F(add2) G(sus4) G F G Am Cmaj7/E F G

Final Chorus

The love of Christ is stronger than death

48 *Am(sus4) Am F G C G(sus4) G F G Am F CG(sus4)*

The love of Christ is strong, — as strong as

death. The might-y flame of Je-sus' love can - not be quenched.

54 **Outro** Am F G(sus4) G F G Am G F rit. F(add2) G(sus4) G C