

♩=112 "Commune with your own heart." Ps. 4. 4; 18. 6

Christopher Edwin Willing, 1868
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1. Hence, vain, in - trud - ing world, de - part; No more al - lure
 2. Here let me search my in - most mind, And try its re -
 3. E - ter - ni - ty, tre - mend - ous sound! To guil - ty souls
 4. Be this my great, my on - ly care, My chief pur - suit,
 5. Search, Lord, O search my in - most heart, And light, and hope,

nor vex my heart; Let e - very van - i - ty
 - al state to find, The sec - ret springs of thought
 a dread - ful wound; But O, if Christ and heav'n
 my ar - dent prayer, An in - terest in the Sav -
 and joy im - part; From guilt and er - ror set

be gone; I would be peace - ful and a - lone.
 ex - plore, And call my words and ac - tions o'er.
 be mine, How sweet the ac - cents, how di - vine!
 - iour's blood, My par - don sealed, and peace with God.
 me free, And guide me safe to heav'n and thee.