

♩=220 Not Ashamed of Christ. Mark 8. 38; Luke 9. 26 J. Grigg and B. Francis

1. Je - sus, and shall it ev - er be, A mor - tal man a - shamed of thee?  
 2. [A-shamed of Je-sus! soon-er far Let ev'n-ing blush to own a star;  
 3. [A-shamed of Je-sus! just as soon Let mid-night be a - shamed of noon;  
 4. A - shamed of Je-sus! that dear Friend, On whom my hopes of heav'n de - pend!

A-shamed of thee, whom an-gels praise; Whose glor-ies shine to end-less days?  
 He sheds his beams of light di - vine O'er this be - night-ed soul of mine.]  
 'Tis mid-night with my soul till he, Bright Morn-ing Star, bids dark-ness flee.]  
 No; when I blush, be this my shame, That I no more re - vere his name.

5. Ashamed of Jesus! yes, I may,  
 When I've no guilt to wash away;  
 No tear to wipe; no good to crave;  
 No fears to quell; no soul to save.

6. Till then, nor is my boasting vain,  
 Till then I boast a Saviour slain;  
 And O may this my glory be,  
 That Christ is not ashamed of me.

7. [His institutions would I prize;  
 Take up my cross, the shame despise;  
 Dare to defend his noble cause,  
 And yield obedience to his laws.]