

# He wants not friends that hath Thy love

Clausener Gesangbuch, 1653

O Jesu Mi Dulcissime  
LM

The first system of musical notation consists of two staves, a treble clef on top and a bass clef on the bottom. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The music is written in a simple, homophonic style with chords and single notes.

The second system of musical notation consists of two staves, a treble clef on top and a bass clef on the bottom. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The music continues from the first system, ending with a double bar line. A small number '8' is written above the first note of the treble staff.

**He wants not friends that hath Thy love,  
And may converse and walk with Thee;  
And with Thy saints here and above,  
With whom forever I must be.**

**In the communion of the saints  
Is wisdom, safety and delight;  
And, when my heart declines and faints,  
It's raised by their heat and light.**

**As for my friends, they are not lost;  
The several vessels of Thy fleet,  
Though parted now, by tempests tossed,  
Shall safely in the haven meet.**

**Still we are centered all in Thee,  
Members, though distant, of one head;  
In the same family we be,  
By the same faith and Spirit led.**

**Before Thy throne we daily meet  
As joint petitioners to Thee;  
In spirit we each other greet,  
And shall again each other see.**

**The heav'nly hosts, world without end,  
Shall be my company above;  
And Thou, my best and surest Friend,  
Who shall divide me from Thy love?**

Richard Baxter