

I REALLY WANT TO SEE JESUS

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Solo: Dear Friends, do you really want to see Jesus?

S: d : l l . d : t . t : t . s : l l . s :

As for me, I really want to see Jesus

S: x.m - .m : f - .l : s . s s . m : f f . m :

To stay with him, to sleep with him, to rest with him,

S: --.d : l d . t : -- .t : l d . d : --.d : l d . t - :

T: x x : d m . r : - x : f f . m : - x : d m . r - :

B: x x : f f . s : - x : f f . d , - x : f f . s - :

To gaze at him, to bathe in his love for e---ver.

S: -.t : l d . d : --.d : l d . d : -.t -.t : l - .s : - ---:--:

T: x : f f . m : - x : d m . m : -.r -.m : f - .m : ---:--:

B: x : f f . d , - s : f l . l : -.s -.s : f - .d , - ---:--:

1. Some Greeks came and asked to see Jesus. They had felt his healing presence
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and came yearning to know him better. Dear friends, let us follow

- d : l d : t s , - t l d . d : - d : l : d . d t . t :

their example; seek him, and we shall see Jesus. And we'll say, Rabbi

s , . t : l - .s , - m : l d : t t . s : l d . d : -.m m . m : l d . t :

you are the Son of God. But, for now, let Jesus look at us. Allow him to

- t s , t : d . l l - .s , - .m , - m : f l : s s : f f . m : - s : l d . d :

gaze into your eyes. And then, only then, can we see Jesus!

t t : l l . s : - d : l d . d : t s . t : l d . d : --:

2. Dear friends, why not contemplate that Beauteous face? //Please, create a Silence in your hearts, // and Listen! Listen! Listen! //And Listen to the Master Jesus. //Seek Him in pray'r and meditation. //The Bible is the best tool in our hands.

3. The desire to see Christ can be deformed. //That's the work of sin in the world, // in all its forms and guises. //We must be aware and be vigilant; // and watch, pray and avoid temptation, //and persevere in our love of God.

4. Dear friends, imitate Veronica. //She loved so much to see Jesus. //She went to him and wiped his face! And he stamped his face on her towel. //what a face! A healing face! What a gift! The face of Jesus!

5. Let's discover Jesus in the Eucharist; //the food for our souls, for our salvation. // Whoever eats of my body, and drinks my blood will live forever.

6. The Eucharist calls us to communion. // Let's discover Christ in our brethren. Let us move a great distance. From affective love to effective love, // from mere feelings to decision.