

1 Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, □

that you should follow in his steps.

2 He committed no sin, no guile was found on his lips, □

when he was reviled, he did not revile in turn.

3 When he suffered, he did not threaten, □

but he trusted himself to God who judges justly.

4 Christ himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, □

that we might die to sin and live to righteousness.

5 By his wounds, you have been healed,

for you were straying like sheep, □

but have now returned

to the shepherd and guardian of your souls.

*1 Peter 2.21b–25*

Glory to the Father and to the Son

and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning is now

and shall be for ever. Amen.

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