

# Blessed be the Fountain of blood

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The image shows a piano accompaniment for the hymn 'Blessed be the Fountain of blood'. The score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of four systems of music, each with a treble and bass clef staff. The first system starts at measure 1 and ends at measure 5. The second system starts at measure 6 and ends at measure 10. The third system starts at measure 11 and ends at measure 15, with a 'Refrain' section beginning at measure 14. The fourth system starts at measure 16 and ends at measure 20. The music features a steady accompaniment in the bass line and a more melodic line in the treble.

Blessèd be the fountain of blood,  
To a world of sinners revealed;  
Blessèd be the dear Son of God;  
Only by His stripes we are healed.  
Tho' I've wandered far from His fold,  
Bringing to my heart pain and woe,  
Wash me in the blood of the Lamb,  
And I shall be whiter than snow.

Thorny was the crown that He wore,  
And the cross His body o'ercame;  
Grievous were the sorrows He bore,  
But He suffered Thus not in vain.  
May I to that fountain be led,  
Made to cleanse my sins here below;  
Wash me in the blood that He shed,  
And I shall be whiter than snow.

Father, I have wandered from Thee,  
Often has my heart gone astray;  
Crimson do my sins seem to me-  
Water cannot wash them away.  
Jesus, to the fountain of Thine,  
Leaning on Thy promise, I go;  
Cleanse me by Thy washing divine,  
And I shall be whiter than snow.

## Refrain

*Whiter than the snow,  
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