

- IF I BELIEVE -

Pondering $\text{♩} = 90$

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Alma

Piano

This

man, How can he say the things he's say - ing, how can he preach the way he's preach - ing, how can he
man, e - ven the way that he is stand - ing, with arms out - stretched as if de - mand - ing that I ac -

look as if he's look - ing at my soul? And I, How can I feel the way I'm feel - ing when ev' - ry -
cept that what he's tell - ing me is true. And I, How can I find my - self be - liev - ing, when it would

thing that he's been teach - ing would throw my life com - plete - ly out of my con - trol? If I be -
mean that I'd be leav - ing all that I've done, all that I want - ed to pur - sue?

lieve the things that he is teach - ing me, if means that ev' - ry thing I've done is wrong. He says that

Christ will come and wash my sins clean! But of course, that's on - ly if I be - lieve...

This lieve! No! I'm not rea - dy to

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make such de - ci - sions, there's too much that I don't know. No! I'm not rea - dy to

head this di - rec - tion, to see where this path - way goes. I liked my life how it

was be - fore he came here. But now that I've heard him I

know there's some - thing more! Lord, am I rea - dy to

fol - low this pro - phet, to give up my wants and needs. Of course, if you did - n't

think I was rea - dy, then why would you send to me, this man.

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This man, I think it's more than just a feel - ing, I sense a

dif - frence when he's speak - ing, some - thing that tells me that the words he says are true. And

I, there's more and more I'm un - der - stand - ing of this hope in Christ that he's ex - plain - ing, I feel my

heart burn and I know what I must do. For I be - lieve the things that he is teach - ing me, al - though it

means that what I've done is wrong. I know that Christ will come and wash my sins clean! But of

course, that's just be - cause I be - lieve.

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