

# GENERAL HYMNS.

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*Not too fast.*

\* The small notes to be used for the second and third verses.

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*"Behold, I stand at the door and knock."*—Rev. iii. 20.

**P I** O JESU, Thou art standing  
Outside the fast-closed door,  
In lowly patience waiting  
To pass the threshold o'er.

Shame on us, Christian brothers,  
His Name and sign who bear,  
Oh, shame, thrice shame, upon us,  
To keep Him standing there!

2 O Jesu, Thou art knocking ;  
And lo ! that Hand is scarred,  
And thorns Thy Brow encircle,  
And tears Thy Face have marred.

*cres.* { Oh love that passeth knowledge,  
So patiently to wait !  
*dim.* { Oh sin that hath no equal,  
So fast to bar the gate !

3 O Jesu, Thou art pleading  
In accents meek and low—  
" I died for you, My children,  
And will ye treat Me so ! "

O Lord, with shame and sorrow  
We open now the door :  
*cres.* Dear Saviour, enter, enter,  
*mf* And leave us nevermore. Amen.