

METRE 25 John Newton

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1. Pre-cious Bi - ble! What a trea-sure Does the word of God af - ford! } Let the world ac-count me poor, Hav-ing this I need no more.
All I want for life or pleasure Food and med-'cine, shield and sword; }

2. Food, to which the world's a stranger Here my hun - gry soul en - joys; } On a dy - ing Christ I feed, He is meat and drink in - deed.
Of ex - cess there is no danger,—Though it fills, it nev - er cloyς; }

3. When my faith is weak and sick - ly, Or when Sa - tan wounds my mind, } To the prom-is - es I flee— Each af-fords a rem - e - dy.
Cor-dials to re - vive me quick-ly, Heal-ing med-'cines here I find; }