

DRAKE'S BROUGHTON

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1 Firm - ly I be - lieve and tru - ly God is Three, and  
 2 And I trust and hope most ful - ly In that Man - hood  
 3 Sim - ply to his grace and wholl - y Light and life and

God is One; And I next ack - now - ledge du - ly  
 cru - ci - fied; And each thought and deed un - ru - ly  
 strength be - long, And I love su - preme - ly, sole - ly,

Man - hood ta - ken by the Son.  
 Do to death, as he has died.  
 Him the ho - ly, him the strong.

4 And I hold in veneration,  
 For the love of him alone,  
 Holy Church as his creation,  
 And her teachings as his own.

5 Adoration aye be given,  
 With and through th'angelic host,  
 To the God of earth and heaven,  
 Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

6 And I take with joy whatever  
 Now besets me, pain or fear,  
 And with a strong will I sever  
 All the ties which bind me here.

7 Sanctus fortis, Sanctus Deus,  
 De profundis oro te,  
 Miserere, Judex meus,  
 Parce mihi, Domine.

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