

Illinois

Joseph Hart, 1762
The Stony Heart

88. 88. (L. M.)

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E Major

Andrew W. Johnson, 1847

Tr. 1. O for a glance of heavenly day, To take this stubborn heart away, And thaw with beams of love divine, This heart, this fro - zen heart of mine! heart of mine!
2. The rocks can rend, the earth can quake; The seas can roar, the mountains shake: Of feeling, all things show some sign, But this un - fee - ling heart of mine. heart of mine.

A. 3. To hear the sorrows thou hast felt, O Lord, an a - da - mant would melt: But I can read each moving line. And nothing moves this heart of mine. heart of mine.

T. 4. Thy judgments, too, which devils fear - Amazing thought! -unmoved I hear; Goodness and wrath in vain combine To stir this stu - pid heart of mine. heart of mine.
5. But something yet can do the deed, And that dear something much I need; Thy Spirit can from dross refine, And move and melt this heart of mine. heart of mine.

B.

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1. Measure 3, *Tenor*: second note changed from G# (1a) to F# (sol).
2. *Alto* part written.