A Starless Crown

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1. There is a land mine eyes shall see
   When I shall lay life’s armor down;
2. The gains of earth are all but loss,
   Eternal joys are all for me.
3. Forbid it, Lord, that I should be
   Content to live for self alone.

But all its bliss is not for me,
If I must wear a starless crown.
When I by faith uplift the cross
And lead one soul, dear Lord, to Thee.
Oh, may some soul I win for Thee
Adorn my crown when life is done.

Chorus

A starless crown, when life is done,
No glittering gems which I have won?

Forbid it, Lord, that there should be,
A starless crown in heav’n for me.