Grander than Ocean’s Story

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1. Grander than ocean’s story, Or songs of forest trees; Purmer than breath of morning, Or evening’s gentle breeze; Clearer than mountain echoes, Ring out from peaks above;

2. Dearer than any friendship Our truest comrades show; Stronger than all the yearning A mother’s heart may know; Deeper than earth’s foundations, And far above all thought; Wondrous the condescension, And grace beyond degree;

3. Richer than all earth’s treasure, The wealth my soul receives; Brighter than royal jewels The crown that Jesus gives; Rolls on the glorious anthem Of God’s eternal love. Broaden than heav’n’s high arches—The love that Christ has brought. I would be ever singing The love of Christ to me.

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