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Thomas Weelke's When David heard

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When Da - vid heard that Ab - sa-lom was slain, was slain, that

Ab - sa - lom was slain, that Ab - sa-lom was slain, Ab - sa-lom was slain,

he went up, he went up to his cham-ber o - ver, o - ver the gate

and wept, and wept; and thus he said, and thus he said, and

thus he said: O, o my son Ab - sa-lom, my son,

my son Ab - sa - lom, my son Ab - sa - lom.

Would God I had died for thee, would God I had died for thee, had died for thee,

would God I had died for thee. O Ab - sa - lom,

o Ab - sa - lom, Ab - sa - lom, my son, o my son.