

THE DIVINE IMAGE

TEN BLAKE SONGS

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Semplice

To Mer - cy, Pi - ty, — Peace, and Love All pray in their dis - tress;

6 And to these vir - tues of — de - light Re - turn — their thank - ful - ness.

12 For Mer - cy, Pi - ty, Peace, and Love Is God, our Fa - ther dear,

18 And Mer - cy, Pi - ty, — Peace, and — Love Is man, His — child and care.

24 For — Mer - cy has a — hu - man heart, Pi - ty a hu - man — face,

29 And Love, the — hu - man form di - vine, And Pea - ce, the — hu - man dress.

35 Then e - ve - ry man, of e - ve - ry clime, That prays in his — dis - tress,

41 Prays to the hu - man form di - vine, — Love, Mer - cy, — Pi - ty, Peace. And *pp*

47 all must love the hu - man, form, In hea - then, Turk, — or Jew: —

55 Where Mer - cy, Love, and Pi - ty dwell There God — is dwel - ling too.