O Love, How Deep  "Puer Nobis"

Latin, 15th cent.  
tr. Benjamin Webb (1819-1885)

melody from Trier MS., 15th cent.  
adapt. and harm. Michael Praetorius (1571-1621)  
Descant and Organ Part  
by Paul Halley

1 O love, how deep, how broad, how high, How love,  
2 For us baptized, for us he bore His  
3 For us he prayed; for us he taught; For  
4 For us to wicked men betrayed, Scourged,  

1 passing thought and fancy, That God, the Son of  
2 holy thirst and hungered sore; For us temptations  
3 us his daily works he wrought; by words and signs and  
4 mocked, in purple robe arrayed, He bore the shameful  

1 God, should take Our mortal form for mortal's sake.  
2 sharp he knew; for us the temptation overthrew.  
3 actions, thus still seeking not himself, but us.  
4 cross and death; For us gave up his dying breath.
5 All glory to our Lord and God For love so deep, so high, so broad; The Trinity whom we adore For ever and for ever more.

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