S24. 284. Singzbhekaphi Nkhosi (I cound not do without Thee)

S284-1. Sheet Music

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S284-2. Siswati Lyric

1. Singabhkaphi Nkhosi, Singabheki kuWe?

Singasitwa ngubani, Singasitwa nguWe?

Wadla tsine bantfu; Wenta tintfo tonkhe;

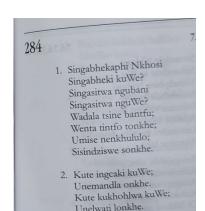
Umise nenkhululo; Sisindziswe sonkhe.

2. Kute ingcaki kuWe; Unemandla onkhe.

Kute kukhohlewa kuWe; Unelwati lonkhe.

Silondvolote Babe, Ngalamandla aKho;

Sikhanyisele Babe, Ngalo lwati lwaKho.



3. Sisingatse ngemusa, Kulo loluhamba;

Sisite endleleni, Ngekweswela kwetfu;

Sesekel' ekufeni, Sngakhweshi kuWe;

Semkele ezulwini, Ngalosiphe Yena. Amen.

S284-3. English Lyric

- 1. I could not do without thee,
 O Saviour of the lost,
 whose precious blood redeemed me
 at such tremendous cost;
 thy righteousness, thy pardon,
 thy precious blood, must be
 my only hope and comfort,
 my glory and my plea.
- 2. I could not do without thee,
 I cannot stand alone,
 I have no strength or goodness,
 no wisdom of my own;
 but thou, belovèd Saviour,
 art all in all to me,
 and weakness will be power
 if leaning hard on thee.
- 3. I could not do without thee, for, oh, the way is long, and I am often weary, and sigh replaces song: how could I do without thee? I do not know the way; thou knowest, and thou leadest, and wilt not let me stray.

- 4. I could not do without thee,
 O Jesus, Saviour dear;
 e'en when my eyes are holden,
 I know that thou art near;
 how dreary and how lonely
 this changeful life would be
 without the sweet communion,
 the secret rest with thee.
- 5. I could not do without thee; no other friend can read the spirit's strange deep longings, interpreting its need; no human heart could enter each dim recess of mine, and soothe, and hush, and calm it, O Blessèd Lord, but thine.
- 6. I could not do without thee, for years are fleeting fast, and soon in solemn loneness the river must be passed; but thou wilt never leave me, and though the waves roll high, I know thou wilt be near me, and whisper, 'It is I.'

S284-4. Reference

Siswati Hymn 284.

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