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My Song is Love Unknown

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Samuel Crossman (1624-1683),
alt. RJP

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With dignity ♩ = 82

Unison
Voices

Organ

mf

Man.

3 *mf*

My song is love un-known, my

Ped.

6

Sav-ior's love to me, love to the love-less

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9

shown ___ that they might love-ly be. O who am I that

13

for my sake my Lord ___ should take frail flesh and

17

die.

Man. *mp*

Man.

He came from his blest throne — sal -

mp

- va - tion to be - stow, — but men — made —

strange, and none the longed-for Christ would — know. But

29

O my friend, my friend in - deed, who at my need his

32

life did spend.

Ped.

35

cresc.

38 *f* Here
f Here might I stay and

41 might I stay and sing, no
 sing, no sto - ry so di -

44 sto-ry so di - vine: nev-er was such
 - vine: nev-er was such love, dear King, such

48

grief as thine. This is my friend, in

51

cresc.

whose sweet praise I all my days could

cresc.

54

rit.

glad - ly spend.

rit.

Robert J. Powell

Born in Benoit, Mississippi in 1932, Robert Powell is currently the Organist at Trinity United Methodist Church in Greenville, South Carolina. He previously served as Organist/Choir Director for Christ Episcopal Church, a position he held for 34 years.

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