

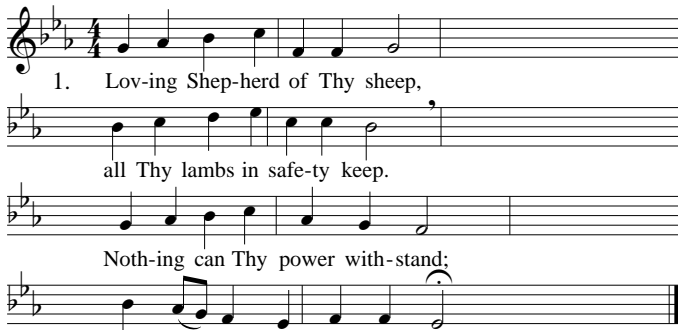
# HYMN 54

Formerly Hymn 45

## Loving Shepherd of Thy Sheep

Song 13

Orlando Gibbons, 1623



1. Lov-ing Shep-herd of Thy sheep,  
all Thy lambs in safe-ty keep.  
Noth-ing can Thy power with-stand;  
none can pluck them from Thy hand.

2. May they praise Thee every day,  
gladly all Thy will obey;  
like Thy blessèd ones above,  
happy in Thy precious love.
3. Loving Shepherd, ever near,  
teach Thy lambs Thy voice to hear;  
suffer not their steps to stray  
from the straight and narrow way.
4. Where Thou leadest may they go,  
walking in Thy steps below;  
then, before Thy Father's throne,  
Saviour, claim them for Thine own.