

Hymns09.4 FAR BEYOND OUR UNDERSTANDING

For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God...

For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength. 1 Corinthians 1:18, 25

Far beyond our understanding,
stands the cross against the sky.

Fools with faith can see it saving, behold it saving
While the brilliant wonder why.

See it hung above the altar,

Set on tables, hung on chains golden chains round the neck

For our faith the central symbol

For the world just doubt remains.

Just accept what Christ was doing

On that God-forsaken hill

Simply trust that in His dying

Love is living by God's will.

For to us it means salvation

To the world it means disgrace

Lift it high, and serve beneath it

Nothing else can take its place. For all time and in this place