

Prayer of Baha'u'llah

My God, my Adored One, my King, my Desire!
What tongue can voice my thanks to Thee?

I was heedless,
Thou didst awaken me.

I had turned back from Thee,
Thou didst graciously aid me to turn towards Thee.

I was as one dead,
Thou didst quicken me with the water of life.

I was withered,
Thou didst revive me
with the heavenly stream of Thine utterance
which hath flowed forth
from the Pen of the All-Merciful.

O Divine Providence!

All existence is begotten by Thy bounty;
deprive it not of the waters of Thy generosity,
neither do Thou withhold it
from the ocean of Thy mercy.

I beseech Thee to aid and assist me
at all times and under all conditions,
and seek from the heaven of Thy grace
Thine ancient favor.

Thou art, in truth, the Lord of bounty,
and the Sovereign of the kingdom of eternity.