

I asked GOD for strength, That I might achieve....

I was made weak, That I might learn humbly to
obey.

I asked for health, That I might do greater things....

I was given infirmity, That I might do better things.

I asked for riches, That I might be happy....

I was given poverty, That I might be wise.

I asked for power, That I might have the praise of all....

I was given weakness, That I might feel the need of
GOD.

I asked for all things, That I might enjoy life....

I was given life, That I might enjoy all things.

I got nothing that I asked for, but everything I had hoped
for.

Almost despite myself, my unspoken prayers were
answered.

I am among all people, Most richly blessed.