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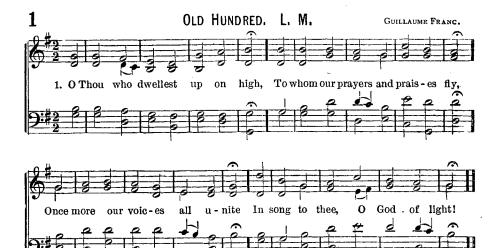
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WORSHIP.

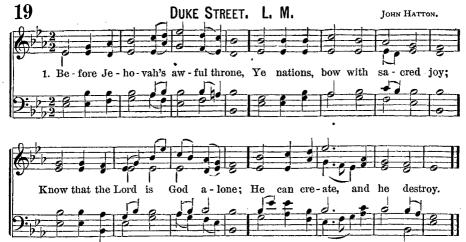


- 54, 3, 19.
- 2 Our humble gratitude we speak, For all the blessings of the week, As at thy throne of grace we bow And ask thee for a blessing now.
- 3 O bless us as we meet to-day, While unto thee we sing and pray; O bless the word of truth we hear, And to each heart be very near.
- 4 'T is vain within these walls to kneel Unless our need of thee we feel; 'T is vain to lift the voice in praise Unless devotion tunes our lays.
- 5 Help us to worship thee aright; Let self be banished from our sight, Unless thy Spirit prompts the view To search our motives through and through.

- 47, 64, 168.
- 1 FATHER supreme, whose wondrous love
 Our utmost thought so far exceeds,
 We seek thy blessing from above,
 A rich supply for all our needs.
- 2 On thee alone our hopes we rest, To thee alone we lift our eyes; Regard our prayer, though unexpressed, Accept our spirit's sacrifice.
- 3 'T is not for present power or wealth, Or worldly fame, we look to thee; We ask thy gift of heavenly health, The gift of immortality.
- 4 Fulfill in us thy faithful word,
 Through Him who died to make itsure,—
 Our Mercy-seat, our Righteousness,
 Who lives again to die no more.

Anon.

WORSHIP-PRAISE AND REVERENCE OF GOD.



- 1, 58, 336, 2 His sovereign power, without our aid, Made us of clay, and formed us men; And when like wandering sheep we strayed, He brought us to his fold again.
- 3 We'll crowd thy gates with thankful songs, |2 Ye seraphs who sit near his throne, High as the heavens our voices raise; And earth, with her ten thousand tongues, Shall fill thy courts with sounding praise.
- 4 Wide as the world is thy command, Vast as eternity thy love; Firm as a rock thy truth shall stand, When rolling years shall cease to move. Isaac Watts.

20108, 101, 23.

- 1 Servants of God, in joyful lays Sing ye the Lord Jehovah's praise; His glorious name let all adore, From age to age, forevermore.
- 2 Who is like God? so great, so high, He bows himself to view the sky; And yet, with condescending grace, Looks down upon the human race.
- 3 He hears the uncomplaining moan Of those who sit and weep alone; He lifts the mourner from the dust; In him the poor may safely trust.
- 4 O then aloud, in joyful lays, Sing to the Lord Jehovah's praise; His saving name let all adore, From age to age, forevermore. James Montgomery.

54, 592, 104.

- 1 NATURE, with all her powers, shall sing Her great Creator and her King; Nor air, nor earth, nor skies, nor seas, Deny the tribute of their praise.
- Begin to make his glories known; Tune high your harps, and spread the sound Throughout creation's utmost bound.
- 3 O may our ardent zeal employ Our loftiest thoughts and loudest songs! Let there be sung, with warmest joy, Hosanna from ten thousand tongues.
- 4 Yet, mighty God, our feeble frame Attempts in vain to reach thy name; The highest notes that angels raise Fall far below thy glorious praise.

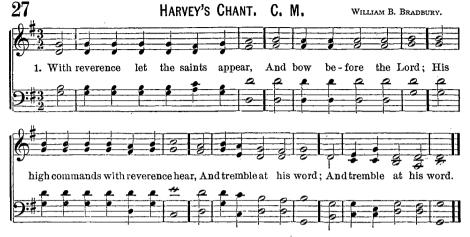
Anon.

1 My God, my King, thy various praise Shall fill the remnant of my days, Thy love shall tune my thankful tongue With humble prayer and grateful song.

212, 301, 304.

- 2 The wings of every hour shall bear Some thankful tribute to thine ear; And every setting sun shall see New works of duty done for thee.
- 3 Let distant climes and nations raise The long succession of thy praise; And every kindred make thy song The joy and triumph of their tongue.

WORSHIP-PRAISE AND REVERENCE OF GOD.



74, 446, 395.

- 2 How terrible thy glories be!
 How bright thine armies shine!
 Where is the power that vies with thee,
 Or truth compared with thine?
- 3 Sing, all ye ransomed of the Lord, Your great Deliverer sing; Ye pilgrims now for Zion bound, Be joyful in your King.
- 4 O Jesus, Lord of earth and heaven, Our life and joy, to thee Be honor, thanks, and blessing given Through all eternity.

Isaac Watts.

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201, 7, 546.

- What shall I render to my God
 For all his kindness shown?
 My feet shall visit thine abode,
 My songs address thy throne.
- 2 Among the saints who fill thy house My offering shall be paid; There shall my zeal perform the vows My soul in anguish made.
- 3 How much is mercy thy delight,
 Thou ever-blessed God!
 How dear thy servants in thy sight!
 How precious is their blood!
- 4 How happy all thy servants are!
 How great thy grace to me!
 My life, which thou hast made thy care,
 Lord, I devote to thee.

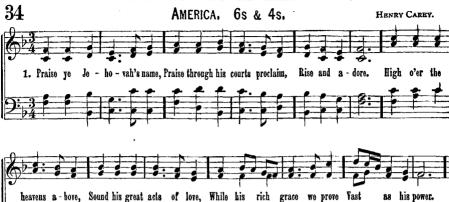
- 5 Now I am thine, forever thine, Nor shall my purpose move; Thy hand hath loosed my bonds of pain, And bound me with thy love.
- 6 Here in thy courts I leave my vow,
 And thy rich grace record;
 Witness, ye saints, who hear me now,
 If I forsake the Lord

Isaac Watts.

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227, 546, 395.

- 1 Holy and reverend is the name Of our eternal King; Thrice holy Lord! the angels cry; Thrice holy! let us sing.
- 2 The deepest reverence of the mind, Pay, O my soul! to God; Lift with thy hands a holy heart To his sublime abode.
- 3 With sacred awe pronounce his name Whom words nor thoughts can reach; A broken heart shall please him more Than the best forms of speech.
- 4 Thou holy God, preserve our souls From all pollution free; The pure in heart are thy delight, And they thy face shall see.
- 5 Till then thy service shall be ours, Thy praise our constant theme; We'll worship thee with all our powers, Whose mercy doth redeem.
 Yohn Needham.



- 127, 155, 684.
- 2 Now let the trumpet raise Sounds of triumphant praise, Wide as his fame. There let the harp be found; Organs of solemn sound, Roll your deep notes around, Filled with his name.
- 3 While his high praise you sing, Shake every sounding string; Sweet the accord! He vital breath bestows; Let every breath that flows, His noble fame disclose; Praise ye the Lord.

William, Goode.

- 35
 127, 684, 155.
 1 God of the morning ray,
 God of the rising day,
 Glorious in power!
 In thee we live and move,
 And thus we daily prove
 Thy condescending love
 Each passing hour.
- 2 God of our feeble race,
 God of redeeming grace,
 Spirit all-blest!
 Our own eternal Friend,
 Thy guardian influence lend,
 From every snare defend;
 In thee we rest.

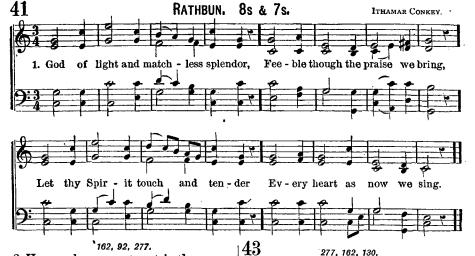
Thomas Hastings.

36 155, 127, 684.

- 1 COME, thou almighty King,
 Help us thy name to sing,
 Help us to praise.
 Father all-glorious,
 O'er all victorious,
 Come, and reign over us,
 Ancient of Days.
- 2 Come, thou incarnate Word, Gird on thy mighty sword, Our prayer attend; Come and thy people bless, And give thy word success; Spirit of holiness, On us descend.
- 3 Come, holy Comforter,
 Thy sacred witness bear
 In this glad hour:
 Thou who almighty art,
 Rule now in every heart,
 And ne'er from us depart,
 Spirit of power.
- 4 Thou art the mighty One, On earth thy will be done, From shore to shore. Thy sovereign majesty May we in glory see, And through eternity Love and adore.

Charles Wesley.

WORSHIP-PRAISE AND REVERENCE OF GOD.



- 2 Heaven above cannot contain thee; At thy presence earth would flee; And though every sin doth pain thee, Still thy mercy spareth me!
- 3 Grateful praise my tongue shall offer,
 'Neath thy smile or 'neath thy rod;
 Take the humble gift I proffer,—
 Heart and mind, and strength, O God!
- 4 Living only to thy glory,
 From all selfish motives free,
 So shall I proclaim the story
 Of the One who died for me.
 F. E. Belden.

42 162, 277, 130.

- 1 Praise the Lord! ye heavens, adorehim; Praise him, angels in the hight; Sun and moon, rejoice before him; Praise him, all ye stars of light.
- 2 Praise the Lord, for he hath spoken; Worlds his mighty voice obeyed; Laws which never shall be broken, For their guidance he hath made.
- 3 Praise the Lord, for he is glorious; Never shall his promise fail; God hath made his saints victorious, Sin and death shall not prevail.
- 4 Praise the God of our salvation;
 Hosts on high his power proclaim;
 Heaven and earth, and all creation,
 Laud and magnify his name.

 John Kempthorne.

- 1 Praise to thee, thou great Creator!
 Praise to thee from every tongue;
 Join, my soul, with every creature,
 Join the universal song.
- 2 Father, source of all compassion, Pure, unbounded grace is thine: Hail the God of our salvation, Praise him for his love divine!
- 3 For thy countless blessings given,
 For the hope of future joy,
 Sound his name through earth and heaven,
 Let his praise your tongues employ.
- 4 Joyfully on earth adore him,
 Till in heaven your song you raise;
 Then, enraptured, fall before him,
 Lost in wonder, love, and praise!

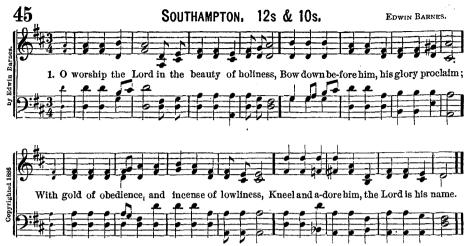
44 162, 277, 92.

- LORD of heaven and earth and ocean, Hear us from thy bright abode;
 While our hearts, with true devotion, Own their great and gracious God.
- 2 Now with joy we come before thee, Seek thy face, thy mercies sing; Lord of life, of light and glory, O, accept the praise we bring!
- 3 Health, and every needful blessing, Unto us are daily shown; And with joy thy love confessing, Now we bend before thy throne.

Crosse.

John Fawcett.

WORSHIP—PRAISE AND REVERENCE OF GOD.



2 Low at his feet lay thy burden of carefulness, High on his heart he will bear it for thee, Comfort thy sorrows, and answer thy prayerfulness.

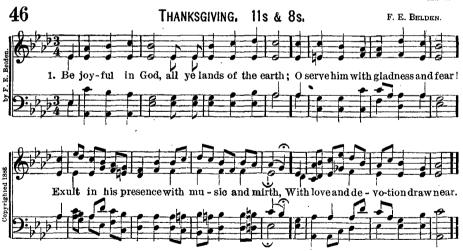
Guiding thy steps as may best for thee be.

Fear not to enter his courts in the slenderness Mornings of joy give for evenings of tearfulness, Of the poor wealth thou wouldst reckon as thine:

Truth in its beauty, and love in its tenderness, These are the offerings to lay on his shrine.

4 These, though we bring them in trembling and fearfulness,

He will accept for the Name that is dear; Trust for our trembling, and hope for our fear.



Jehovah is God, and Jehovah alone, Creator and ruler o'er all;

And we are his people, his scepter we own, His sheep, and we follow his call.

3 O, enter his gates with thanksgiving and song,

Your vows in his temple proclaim:

His praise with melodious accordance prolong,

And bless his adorable name.

4 For good is the Lord, inexpressibly good, And we are the work of his hand; His mercy and truth from eternity stood, And shall to eternity stand.

James Montgomery.

WORSHIP-ATTRIBUTES AND PROVIDENCE OF GOD.

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And then pronounced them good.

Lord, how thy wonders are displayed

Where'er I turn my eye!

If I survey the ground I tread,

Or gaze upon the sky!

3 There's not a plant or flower below

But makes thy glories known;

And clouds arise, and tempests blow,
By order from thy throne.
Creatures that borrow life from thee
Are subject to thy care;

There's not a place where we can flee But God is present there.

Isaac Watts.

84 486, 291, 686.

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1 FATHER, how wide thy glory shines!
How high thy wonders rise!
Known through the earth bycountless signs,
By countless through the skies.

2 But, when we view thy strange design To save rebellious worms, Where vengeance and compassion join In their divinest forms,— Here the whole Deity is known; Nor dares a creature guess Which of the glories brightest shone— The justice, or the grace.

3 Now while the glories of the Lamb Adorn the heavenly plains; While seraphs chant Immanuel's name, And try their choicest strains, O may I bear some humble part In that immortal song!

Wonder and joy shall tune my heart, And love command my tongue.

Isaac Watts.

WORSHIP-ATTRIBUTES AND PROVIDENCE OF GOD.



2 The creature of thy hand, On thee alone I live;

My God, thy benefits demand More praise than I can give.

- 3 Lord, what can I impart
 When all is thine before?
 Thy love demands a thankful heart;
 The gift, alas! how poor.
- 4 O! let thy grace inspire
 My soul with strength divine;
 Let every word and each desire
 And all my days be thine.

Anne Steele.

86 688, 30, 89.
1 O Lord, our heavenly King,
Thy name is all divine;
Thy glories round the earth are spread,
And o'er the heavens they shine.

- 2 Lord, what is worthless man, That thou shouldst love him so? Next to thine angels he is placed, And lord of all below.
- 3 How rich thy bounties are,
 And wondrous are thy ways!
 In us O let thy power frame
 A monument of praise!

Isaac Watts.

87
11, 236, 89.
1 The God who rules on high,
And all the earth surveys,
Who rides upon the stormy sky,
And calms the roaring seas,—

- 2 This awful God is ours,
 Our Father and our Love;
 He will send down his heavenly powers,
 To carry us above.
- 3 There we shall see his face,
 And never, never sin;
 There, from the rivers of his grace
 Drink endless pleasures in.
- 4 Yea, and before we rise
 To that immortal state,
 The thought of such amazing bliss
 Should constant joys create.

Isaac Watts.

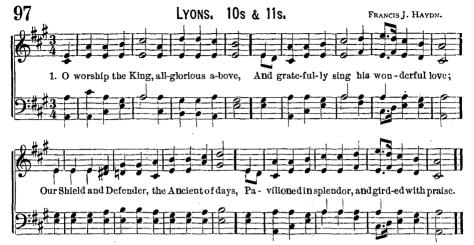
88 601, 558, 236. 1 My soul, repeat His praise,

Whose mercies are so great; Whose anger is so slow to rise, So ready to abate.

- 2 High as the heavens are raised Above the ground we tread, So far the riches of his grace Our highest thoughts exceed.
- 3 The pity of the Lord,
 To those that fear his name,
 Is such as tender parents feel;
 He knows our feeble frame.
- 4 His power subdues our sins;
 And his forgiving love,
 Far as the east is from the west,
 Doth all our gilt remove.

Isaac Watts.

WORSHIP-ATTRIBUTES AND PROVIDENCE OF GOD.



2 O tell of his might and sing of 'his grace, Whose robe is the light; whose canopy, space;

His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,

And dark is his path on the wings of the storm.

3 Thy bountiful care; what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air, it shines in the light;

It streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,

And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

4 Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, In Thee do we trust, nor find thee to fail; Thy mercies, how tender! how firm to the end!

Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

Robert Grant.

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1 Though troubles assail, and dangers affright;

Though friends should all fail, and foes all unite,

Yet one thing secures us, whatever betide, The promise assures us, "The Lord will provide."

2 The birds, without barn or store-house, are fed;

From them let us learn to trust for our bread:

His saints what is fitting shall ne'er be denied,

So long as 't is written, "The Lord will provide."

3 When Satan appears to close up our path, And fills us with fears, we triumph by faith;

He cannot take from us, though oft he has tried,

The heart-cheering promise, "The Lord will provide."

4 He tells us we're weak, our hope is in vain;
The good that we seek we ne'er shall obtain:
But when such suggestions our graces
have tried.

This answers all questions, "The Lord will provide."

5 No strength of our own, nor goodness, we claim,

Our trust is all thrown on Jesus' dear name;

In this our strong tower, for safety we hide, The Lord is our power—"The Lord will provide."

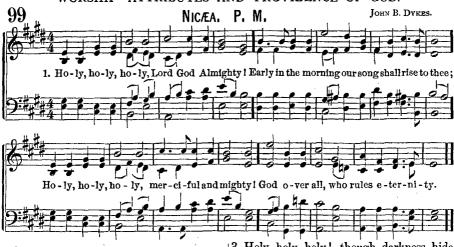
6 When life sinks apace, and death is in view,
The word of his grace shall comfort us
through;

Not fearing or doubting, with Christ at our side,

We'll still trust his promise,—"The Lord will provide."

John Newton.





2 Holy, holy, holy! angels adore thee, Casting down their bright crowns around the glassy sea;

Thousands, and ten thousands worship low before thee.

Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.

3 Holy, holy! though darkness hide thee,

Though the eye of man thy great glory may not see;

Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,

Perfect in power, in love and purity.

Reginald Heber.



249, 568.

2 Lord, thy sure mercies, ever in my sight, My heart shall gladden through the tedious day;

And 'midst the dark and gloomy shades of night,

To thee, my God, I'll tune the grateful lay.

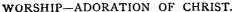
3 Why faint, my soul? why doubt Jehovah's aid?

Thy God the God of mercy still shall prove;

Within his courts thy thanks shall yet be paid;

Unquestioned be his faithfulness and love.

Anon.





101, 336, 301.

- 2 Thy truth unchanged has ever stood; Thou savest those that on thee call; To them that seek thee, thou art good, To them that find thee, all in all.
- 3 We taste thee, O thou Living Bread, And long to feast upon thee still; We drink of thee, the Fountain-head, And thirst our souls from thee to fill!
- 4 Our restless spirits yearn for thee,
 Where'er our changeful lot is cast;
 Glad, when thy gracious smile we see,
 Blest, when our faith can hold thee fast.
- 5 O Jesus, ever with us stay; Make all our moments calm and bright; Chase the dark night of sin away, Shed o'er the world thy holy light! Bernard of Clairvaux.

109 301, 336, 215.

- 1 O THAT I could forever dwell
 Delighted at my Saviour's feet,
 Behold the form I love so well,
 And all his tender words repeat!
- 2 The world shut out from all my soul,
 And heaven brought in with all its
 bliss,
 - O, is there aught, from pole to pole, One moment to compare with this?
- 3 This is the hidden life I prize,—
 A life of penitential love;
 When most my follies I despise,
 And raise my highest thoughts above;

- 4 When all I am I clearly see,
 And freely own, with deepest shame;
 When the Redeemer's love to me
 Kindles within a deathless flame.
- 5 Thus would I live till nature fail,
 And all my former sins forsake;
 Then rise to God within the vail,
 And of eternal joys partake.

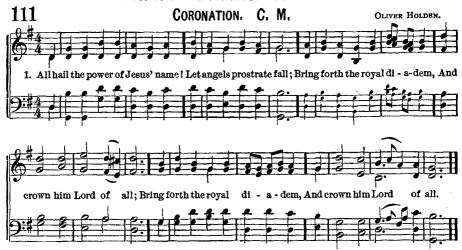
Andrew Reed.

110 1168, 101, 47,

- 1 AWAKE, my soul, in joyful lays, And sing thy great Redeemer's praise: He justly claims a song from me, His loving kindness, O, how free!
- 2 He saw me ruined in the fall, Yet loved me, notwithstanding all; He saved me from my lost estate: His loving-kindness, O, how great!
- 3 Though numerous hosts of mighty foes, Though earth and hell my way oppose, He safely leads my soul along: His loving-kindness, O, how strong!
- 4 When trouble, like a gloomy cloud, Has gathered thick and thundered loud, He near my soul has always stood: His loving-kindness, O, how good!
- 5 And when earth's rightful King shall come

To take his ransomed people home, I'll sing upon that blissful shore His loving-kindness evermore.

Samuel Medley



114, 70, 1229.

- 2 Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, A remnant, weak and small, Hail him who saves you by his grace, And crown him Lord of all.
- 3 Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget
 The wormwood and the gall;
 Go, spread your trophies at his feet,
 And crown him Lord of all.
- 4 Let every kindred, every tribe, On this terrestrial ball, To him all majesty ascribe, And crown him Lord of all.
- O that, with yonder sacred throng,
 We at his feet may fall!
 We'll join the everlasting song,
 And crown him Lord of all.
 Edward Perronet.

112

27, 438, 264.

- COME, let us join our cheerful songs
 With angels round the throne;
 Ten thousand thousand are their tongues,
 But all their joys are one.
- 2 Worthy the Lamb who died, they cry, To be exalted thus; Worthy the Lamb, our hearts reply, For he was slain for us.
- 3 Jesus is worthy to receive Honor and power divine;
 And blessings more than we can give,
 Be, Lord, forever thine.

- 4 To him who reigns in worlds of light,

 The eternal King of heaven,
 Be honor, majesty, and might,
 And praise, and glory given.
- 5 Let all creation join in one To bless the sacred name Of him who sits upon the throne, And to adore the Lamb.

Isaac Watts.

113 488, 114, 227.

1 Come, ye that love the Saviour's name, And joy to make it known, The Sovereign of your hearts proclaim, And bow before his throne.

2 Behold your Lord, your Master, crowned With glories all divine, And tell the wondering nations round

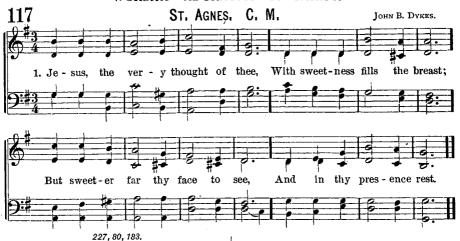
How bright those glories shine.

- 3 When in his earthly courts we view
 The glories of our King,
 We long to love as angels do,
 And wish like them to sing.
- 4 And shall we long and wish in vain?

 Lord, teach our songs to rise:

 Thy love can animate the strain,

 And bid it reach the skies.
- 5 Since thou art ours, most gracious Lord, Can hope and comfort die? We'll trust in thine almighty word, That built the earth and sky.
 Anne Steek.



- 2 No voice can sing, no heart can frame, Nor can the memory find A sweeter sound than Jesus' name, The Saviour of mankind.
- 3 O hope of every contrite heart!
 O joy of all the meek!
 To those who fall, how kind thou art!
 How good to those who seek!
- 4 But what to those who find? Ah! this
 Nor tongue nor pen can show:
 The love of Jesus,—what it is,
 None but his loved ones know.
- 5 Jesus, our only joy be thou,
 As thou our prize wilt be;
 In thee be all our glory now,
 And through eternity.

Bernard of Clairvaux.

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27, 187, 114.

- 1 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds
 In a believer's ear!
 It soothes his sorrows, heals his wounds,
 And drives away his fear.
- 2 It makes the wounded spirit whole, And calms the troubled breast;
 'T is manna to the hungry soul, And to the weary, rest.
- 3 Dear name! the rock on which I build!
 My shield and hiding-place!
 My never-failing treasury, filled
 With boundless stores of grace!

- 4 Jesus, my Shepherd, Guardian, Friend!
 My Prophet, Priest, and King!
 For all the blessings thou dost send,
 Accept the praise I bring.
- 5 Weak is the effort of my heart,
 And cold my warmest thought;
 But when I see thee as thou art,
 I'll praise thee as I ought.
- 6 Till then I would thy love proclaim
 With every fleeting breath;
 So shall the music of thy name
 Refresh my soul in death.

John Newton.

- 119 120, 147, 227.

 1 The Saviour! O what endless charms
 Dwell in the blissful sound!
 Its influence every fear disarms,
- 2 The mighty Former of the skies Stooped to our vile abode, While angels viewed with wondering eyes, And hailed the incarnate God.

And spreads sweet comfort round.

- 3 O the rich depths of love divine!
 Of bliss, a boundless store!
 Dear Saviour, let me call thee mine,
 I cannot wish for more.
- 4 On thee alone my hope relies, Beneath thy cross I fall; My Lord, my Life, my Sacrifice! My Saviour, and my All!

Anne Steele.

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- 235, 658.

 2 I'd sing the precious blood he spilt,
 My ransom from the dreadful guilt
 Of sin and wrath divine!
 I'd sing his glorious righteousness,
 In which all-perfect heavenly dress
 My soul shall ever shine.
- 3 I'd sing the character he bears,
 And all the forms of love he wears,
 Exalted on his throne;
 In loftiest songs of sweetest praise,
 I would to everlasting days
 Make all his glories known.
- 4 Well, the delightful day will come,
 When my dear Lord will take me home,
 And I shall see his face;
 Then, with my Saviour, Brother, Friend,
 A blest eternity I'll spend,
 Triumphant in his grace.

 Samuel Medley.

And raise to him your thankful songs;
In him ye are complete!

In him, who all our praise excels.

Alone in Jesus to rejoice,

And worship at his feet;

The fullness of the Godhead dwells,
And all perfections meet:
The head of all celestial powers,
Divinely theirs, divinely ours:
In him ye are complete!

3 Still onward urge your heavenly way.

235, 658.

1 Come join, ye saints, with heart and voice,

Come, take his praises on your tongues,

3 Still onward urge your heavenly way,
Dependent on him day by day,
His presence still entreat;
His precious name forever bless,
Your glory, strength, and righteousness:
In him ye are complete!

Anon.



Hallelujah! amen.

3 King of glory, reign forever,
Thine an everlasting crown;
Nothing from thy love shall sever
Those whom thou shalt call thine own;
Happy objects of thy grace,
Destined to behold thy face!
Hallelujah!

Hallelujah! amen.

4 Saviour, hasten thine appearing;
Bring, O bring, the glorious day
When, the awful summons hearing,
Heaven and earth shall pass away!
Then, with golden harps, we'll sing,
"Glory, glory to our King!
Hallelujah! hallelujah!
Hallelujah! amen."

Thomas Kelly.

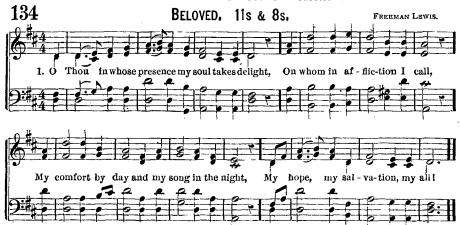
Sing his praises, sing his praises, Sing of him who came to die.

2 How shall mortal man adore thee,
 Thou the high, Inimortal One?
Sinful dust might bow before thee
 While the countless ages run;
 Yet 't were vain to worship thee
 Unless love the motive be.
O my Saviour! O my Saviour!
 Grant this gift of love to me.

3 Vain are all the words I've spoken,
Lord, to show that love is mine;
Godly life shall be the token
Of my love for things divine.
This I covet, this bestow,—
Strength to live aright below;

Then how much thy child doth love thee,
O my Saviour, thou shalt know!

F. E. Belden.



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The star that on Israel shone? Say if in your tents my Beloved has been, And where with his flock he has gone.

3 His voice, as the sound of the dulcimer sweet,

Is heard through the shadows of death; The cedars of Lebanon bow at his feet, The air is perfumed with his breath.

2 Ye daughters of Zion, declare, have you | 4 His lips, as a fountain of righteousness flow, To water the gardens of grace;

> From which their salvation the Gentiles shall know,

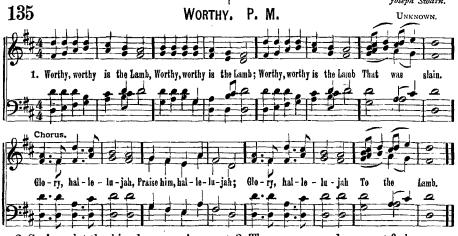
And bask in the smiles of his face.

5 He looks, and ten thousands of angels

And myriads wait for his word;

He speaks, and eternity, filled with his voice.

Re-echoes the praise of the Lord. Joseph Swain.

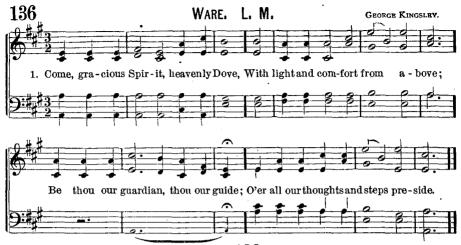


2 Saviour, let thy kingdom come! Now the man of sin consume; Bring thy blest millenium, Holy Lamb.

3 Thus may we each moment feel. Love him, serve him, praise him still, Till we all on Zion's hill See the Lamb.

Anon.

WORSHIP-HOLY SPIRIT.



47, 3, 58.

- 2 To us the light of truth display, And make us know and choose thy way; Plant holy fear in every heart, That we from God may ne'er depart.
- 3 Lead us to holiness,—the road
 That we must take to dwell with God;
 Lead us to Christ, the living way,
 Nor let us from his precepts stray.
- 4 Lead us to God, our final rest,
 To be with him forever blest;
 Lead us to heaven, its bliss to share—
 Fullness of joy forever there!

 Simon Browne.

137 58, 140, 47.

- Pour out thy Spirit from on high;
 Lord, thine assembled servants bless;
 Graces and gifts to each supply,
 And clothe us all with righteousness.
- 2 Wisdom, and zeal, and faith impart, Firmness, with meekness from above, To bear thy people on our heart, And love the souls whom thou dost love;
- 3 To watch and pray, and never faint,
 By day and night strict guard to keep;
 To warn the sinner, cheer the saint,
 Nourish thy lambs, and feed thy sheep.
- 4 Then, when our work is finished here, In humble hope our charge resign: When the chief Shepherd shall appear, O God! may they and we be thine!

138

168, 212, 215,

1 COME, blessed Spirit, source of light, Whose power and grace are unconfined. Dispel the gloomy shades of night, The thicker darkness of the mind.

- 2 To my enlightened eyes display The glorious truth thy words reveal; Cause me to run the heavenly way, Make me delight to do thy will.
- 3 Thine inward teachings make me know,
 The wonders of redeeming love,
 The vanity of things below,
 And excellence of things above.
- 4 While through these dubious paths I stray, Spread, like the sun, thy beams abroad; Show me the dangers of the way, And guide my feeble steps to God.

 Benjamin Beddome.

139

215, 171, 219.

- 1 Come, Holy Spirit, calm my mind, And fit me to approach my God; Remove each vain, each worldly thought, And lead me to thy blest abode.
- 2 Hast thou imparted to my soul A living spark of holy fire?
 - O, kindle now the sacred flame; Make me to burn with pure desire.
- 3 A brighter faith and hope impart, And let me now my Saviour see;
 - O, soothe and cheer my burdened heart, And bid my spirit rest in thee.

Stewart.

WORSHIP--HOLY SPIRIT.



240, 272, 407.

- 2 Holy Spirit, power divine, Cleanse this guilty heart of mine; Long has sin, without control, Held dominion o'er my soul.
- 3 Holy Ghost, with joy divine, Cheer this saddened heart of mine, Bid my many woes depart, Heal my wounded, bleeding heart.
- 4 Holy Spirit, all divine,
 Dwell within this heart of mine,
 Cast down every idol-throne,
 Reign supreme, and reign alone.

 Andrew Reed.

159

15, 457, 480.

- 1 Gracious Spirit, love divine, Let thy light within me shine, All my guilty fears remove, Fill me with thy heavenly love.
- 2 Speak thy pardoning grace to me, Set the burdened sinner free, Lead me to the Lamb of God, Wash me in his precious blood.
- 3 Life and peace to me impart, Seal salvation on my heart, Breathe thyself into my breast Earnest of immortal rest.
- 4 Let me never from thee stray,
 Keep me in the narrow way,
 Fill my soul with joy divine,
 Keep me, Lord, forever thine.

 Tohn Stocker.

160

407, 531 240.

- Come, divine and peaceful Guest, Enter each devoted breast;
 Holy Ghost, our hearts inspire, Kindle there the gospel fire.
- 2 God, the everlasting God,
 Makes with mortals his abode;
 Whom the heavens cannot contain,
 He vouchsafes to dwell in man.
- 3 Never will he thence depart, Inmate of a humble heart; Carrying on his work within, Striving till he cast out sin.
- 4 Crown the agonizing strife,
 Principle and Lord of life;
 Life divine in us renew,
 Thou the Gift and Giver too!

 Charles Wesley.

161

15, 339, 407.

- 1 HOLY SPIRIT, truth divine, Dawn upon this soul of mine; Word of God, and inward light, Wake my spirit, clear my sight.
- 2 Holy Spirit, love divine, Glow within this heart of mine, Kindle every high desire, Perish self in thy pure fire.
- 3 Holy Spirit, power divine!
 Fill and nerve this will of mine;
 Be my law, and I shall be
 Firmly bound, yet ever free.

Samuel Longfellow.





- 2 Fearful dangers are around us, Satan watches to destroy: Lord, our foes would fain confound us; O, for us thy might employ!
- 3 On thy word our souls are resting; Taught by thee, thy name we love; Sweetest of all names is Jesus: How it doth our spirits move!
- 4 Let us not, O Lord, be weary Of the roughness of the way; Though the road be often dreary, Thou shalt drive our gloom away.

163

130, 41, 92.

- Holy Spirit, source of gladness, Shine amid the clouds of night; O'er our weariness and sadness Breathe thy life and shed thy light;
- 2 Send us thine illumination; Banish all our fears at length; Rest upon this congregation, Spirit of unfailing strength.
- 3 Let that love which knows no measure Now in quickening showers descend, Bringing us the richest treasure Man can wish or God can send.
- 4 Hear our earnest supplication; Every struggling heart release; Rest upon this congregation, Spirit of eternal peace.

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960, 130, 660.

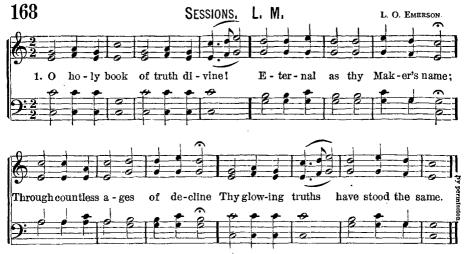
- 1 Holy Spirit, fount of blessing, Ever watchful, ever kind; Thy celestial aid possessing, Prisoned souls deliverance find; -
- 2 Seal of truth, and bond of union, Source of light, and flame of love, Symbol of divine communion, In the olive-bearing dove.
- 3 Heavenly guide from paths of error, Comforter of minds distressed; When the billows swell with terror, Pointing to an ark of rest:—
- 4 Promised pledge! Eternal Spirit! Greater than all gifts below,-May our hearts thy grace inherit; May our lips thy glories show. Thomas J. Judkin.

165

277, 41, 92.

- 1 Love divine, all love excelling, Joy of heaven, to earth come down! Fix in us thy humble dwelling, All thy faithful mercies crown.
- 2 Jesus, thou art all compassion,— Pure, unbounded love thou art; Visit us with thy salvation, Enter every trembling heart.
- 3 Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit Into every troubled breast! Let us all thy grace inherit; Let us find thy promised rest. Charles Wesley.

Paul Gerhardt.



3, 47, 215.

- 2 The dust of time is on thy page,
 Yet dims no pure and hallowed thought;
 In every clime, in every age,
 Have saints thy holy comfort sought.
- 3 Thou art the life, the joy, the light,
 The hope of trusting thousands here,
 Whose faith shall find eternal sight
 Beyond this dreary mortal sphere.
- 4 No other rule by which to live, No other faith like thine to save; No other hope such peace can give When near the cold and silent grave.
- 5 O wondrous lamp of promise sweet!

 Thy light illumes the trusting soul
 With glory that shall be complete
 When days and years have ceased to roll.

 F. E. Belden.

169 s, 101, 336.

- 1 The heavens declare thy glory, Lord;
 In every star thy wisdom shines;
 But when our eyes behold thy word,
 We read thy name in fairer lines.
- 2 The rolling sun, the changing light, And nights and days, thy power confess; But the blest volume thou didst write, Reveals thy justice and thy grace.
- Sun, moon, and stars convey thy praise Round the whole earth, and never stand; So, when thy truth began its race, It touched and lightened every land.

- 4 Nor shall thy spreading gospel rest
 Till through the world thy truth has run;
 Till Christ has all the nations blessed
 That see the light or feel the sun.
- 5 Great Sun of righteousness! arise;
 Bless the dark world with heavenly light:
 Thy gospel makes the simple wise,
 Thy laws are pure, thy judgments right.
- 6 Thy noblest wonders here we view
 In souls renewed and sins forgiven:
 Lord, cleanse my sins, my soul renew,
 And makethy word my guide to heaven.

 Isaac Watts.

170 171, 58, 101.

- Let everlasting glories crown
 Thy head, my Saviour and my Lord;
 Thy hands have brought salvation down,
 And stored the blessings in thy word.
- 2 In vain the trembling conscience seeks Some solid ground to rest upon; With deep distress the spirit breaks, Till we apply to Christ alone.
- 3 How well thy blessed truths agree!

 How wise and holy thy commands!

 Thy promises, how firm they be,

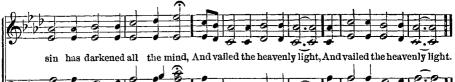
 How sure our hope and comfort stands!
- 4 Should all the forms that men devise
 Assault my faith with treach'rous art,
 I'd call them vanity and lies,
 And bind the gospel to my heart.

 Beac Watts

ORTONVILLE. C. M.

THOMAS HASTINGS.





175, 117, 183.

2 When God's own Spirit clears our view, How bright the doctrines shine! Their holy fruits and sweetness show The author is divine.

- 3 How blest are we, with open face To view thy glory, Lord, And all thy image here to trace, Reflected in thy word!
- 4 O teach us, as we look, to grow
 In holiness and love,
 That we may long to see and know
 Thy glorious face above.

 Campbell's Collection.

180 227, 201, 546,

- 1 A GLORY gilds the sacred page,
 Majestic like the sun;
 It gives a light to every age,
 It gives, but borrows none.
- 2 The Spirit breathes upon the word, And brings the truth to sight; Precepts and promises afford A sanctifying light.
- 3 The hand that gave it, still supplies
 The gracious light and heat;
 His truths upon the nations rise,
 They rise, but never set.
- 4 Let everlasting thanks be thine,
 For such a bright display;
 It makes a world of darkness shine
 With beams of heavenly day.

 Win. Combes

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546, 395, 446,

1 LET others boast of wealth or power, And glory in their pride; Thy word, O God, we value more Than all the world beside.

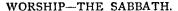
- 2 Here mines of knowledge, love, and joy Are open to our sight, The purest gold without alloy, And gems divinely bright.
- 3 The counsels of redeeming grace
 These sacred leaves unfold,
 And here the Saviour's lovely face
 Our raptured eyes behold.
- 4 Here light, descending from above,
 Directs our doubtful feet;
 Here promises of heavenly love
 Our ardent wishes meet.

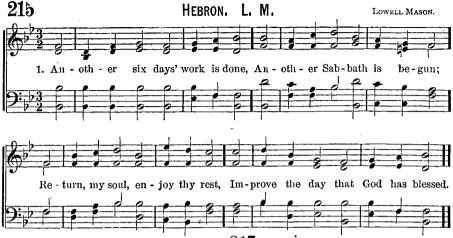
Samuel Stennett.

182 175, 446, 147.

- 1 THERE is an ancient, blessed book, Sent down from age to age; Admiring angels bend to look Upon its hallowed page.
- 2 Preserved by wondrous care and skill, For our instruction given, It speaks of God, and shows his will, And points the way to heaven.
- 3 O let us seek for heavenly grace
 To hear and read aright!
 Till we behold the Saviour's face,
 And faith gives place to sight.

Anon.





- 212, 843, 514. 2 Come, bless the Lord, whose love assigns So sweet a rest to weary minds: A blessed antepast is given, On this day more than all the seven.
- 3 O that our thoughts and thanks may rise 2 O let us help repair the breach, As grateful incense to the skies, And draw from Christ that sweet repose Which none but he who feels it knows.
- 4 This heavenly calm within the breast Is the best pledge of glorious rest, Which for the church of God remains, The end of cares, the end of pains. Samuel Stennett.

21658, 47, 212.

- 1 Blest hour, when mortal man retires To hold communion with his God, To send to heaven his warm desires, And listen to the sacred word.
- 2 Blest hour, when earthly cares resign Their empire o'er his anxious breast; While all around, the calm divine Proclaims the holy day of rest.
- 3 Blest hour, when God himself draws nigh, 2 Well pleased his people's voice to hear, To hush the penitential sigh, And wipe away the mourner's tear.
- 4 Blest hour! for, where the Lord resorts, Foretastes of future bliss are given; And mortals find his earthly courts The house of God, the gate of heaven. Thomas Raffles.

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212, 343, 101.

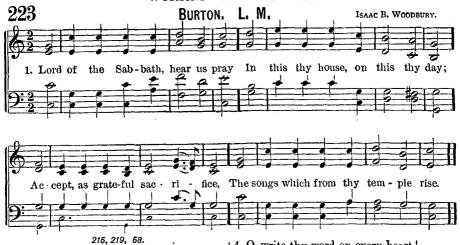
- 1 WE'VE entered now on holy time, God's blessed rest-day all divine; The labors of the week are past, Now let earth's cares aside be cast.
- And all of God's commandments teach, Calling his rest-day our delight, Thus walking blameless in his sight,
- 3 This holy rest to us is given, To call our minds from earth to heaven: That we may not forget the Lord, And trample down his holy word.
- 4 The faith of Jesus, too, we need; For thus the flying angel said: Commands of God and Jesus' faith Will shield us in the day of wrath. Anon

223, 101, 58.

- 1 Thus far we're spared again to meet Before Jehovah's mercy-seat; To seek his face, to sing and pray, And hail another Sabbath-day.
- Now met to praise his holy name, Whose mercies flow each day the same, Whose kind compassions never cease, We seek instruction, pardon, peace.
- 3 Let every tongue its silence break, Let every one his goodness speak, Who deigns his glory to display On each returning Sabbath-day.

Anon.





- 2 Thine earthly Sabbaths, Lord, we love, But there's a nobler rest above; To that our laboring souls aspire With ardent hope and strong desire.
- 3 No more fatigue, no more distress, No sin nor death can reach that place; No tears shall mingle with the songs That warble from immortal tongues.
- 4 No rude alarm of raging foes, No cares to break the long repose, No midnight shade, no clouded sun, But sacred, high, eternal noon.
- 5 O long-expected day, begin! Dawn on these realms of woe and sin; Fain would I leave this weary road, And go to meet my blessed Lord. Philip Doddridge.

224 108, 336, 171.

- LORD, on this Sabbath-day of rest
 We lift to thee our earnest praise,
 Obedient to the high behest
 Which thou didst give to guide our ways.
- 2 We thank thee for the holy light
 That from thy law shines full and clear,
 Directing our weak steps aright
 Through earth's low path of doubt and
- 3 For Jesus, too, whom thou didst send
 To teach the way of grace and truth,
 We bow before thy throne, and blend
 The thanks of age, the love of youth.

4 O, write thy word on every heart!
In us let thy pure Spirit live,
That his rich presence may impart
Such peace as thou alone canst give.
T. R. Williamson.

225

This day the Lord has called his own;
 O, let us, then, his praise declare!
 Fix our desires on him alone,
 And seek his face with fervent prayer.

1, 219, 343.

2 Lord, in thy love we would rejoice, Which bids the burdened soul be free; And with united heart and voice, Devote these sacred hours to thee.

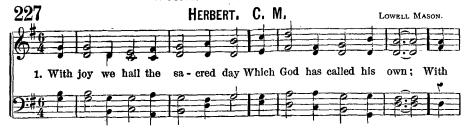
- 3 Now let the world's delusive things
 No more our groveling thoughts employ,
 But faith be taught to stretch her wings
 In search of heaven's unfading joy.
- 4 O, let these earthly Sabbaths, Lord,
 Be to our lasting welfare blessed!
 The purest comfort here afford,
 And fit us for eternal rest.

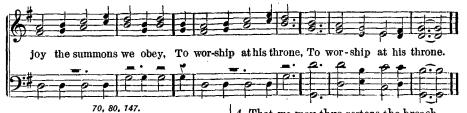
 William H. Bathurst.

226 108, 171, 212.

- 1 I LOVE thine earthly Sabbaths, Lord,
 For they are days of holy rest;
 And thou hast passed thy changeless word,
 That they shall be forever blest.
- 2 I love thine earthly Sabbaths, Lord, That congregate thy people here, To join their hearts in sweet accord, And fit them for a higher sphere.
 Anon.

WORSHIP-THE SABBATH.





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- 2 Thy chosen temple, Lord, how fair!
 Where willing votaries throng
 To breathe the humble, fervent prayer,
 And pour the choral song.
- 3 Spirit of grace, O deign to dwell
 Within thy church below;
 Make her in holiness excel,
 With pure devotion glow.
- 4 Let peace within her walls be found; Let all her sons unite To spread with grateful zeal around, Her clear and shining light.
- 5 Then hail! thou sacred, blessed day, The best of all the seven, When hearts unite their vows to pay
- When hearts unite their vows to pay Of gratitude to heaven.

Henry F. Lyte.

228

70, 201, 208.

- Dear Lord, we would thy praises sing
 On this thy holy day;
 With grateful hearts our tribute bring;
 To thee our homage pay.
- 2 This day, which thou for us hast blessed, And set apart as thine,— This day, when God himself did rest, Hath honors all divine.
- 3 Lord, we would turn away our feet
 From this thy holy day,
 And call its rest and worship sweet,
 Not doing our own way.

- 4 That we may thus restore the breach
 Which in thy law is made,
 We need thy grace our hearts to teach,
 We need thy Spirit's aid.
- O, give us wisdom from above
 To worship thee aright,
 Till we shall meet Him whom we love,
 And faith is lost in sight.

120, 117, 183.

1 Come, dearest Lord, and feed thy sheep, On this sweet day of rest;

O bless this flock, and make this fold Enjoy a heavenly rest.

- Welcome and precious to my soul Are these sweet days of love, But what a Sabbath shall I keep When I shall rest above!
- 3 I come, I wait, I hear, I pray;
 Thy footsteps, Lord, I trace;
 Here, in thine own appointed way,
 I wait to see thy face.
- 4 These are the sweet and precious days
 On which my Lord I've seen;
 And oft, when feasting on his word,
 In raptures I have been.
- 5 O, if my soul, when Christ appears, In this sweet frame be found, I'll clasp my Saviour in my arms, And leave this earthly ground! William Mason.



C. M. ELIZABETHTOWN.

GEORGE KINGSLEY.





201, 227, 114.

- 2 How sweet to be allowed to pray, Our sins may be forgiven! With filial confidence to say, "Father, who art in heaven!"
- 3 How sweet the words of peace to hear From him to whom 't is given To wake the penitential tear, And lead the way to heaven!
- 4 And if to make our sins depart, In vain the will has striven, He who regards the inmost heart Will send his grace from heaven. Mrs. Follen.

227, 120, 80.

- 1 When the worn spirit wants repose, And sighs her God to seek, How sweet to hail the hours that close The labors of the week!
- 2 How sweet to hail the Sabbath-day, The day of holy rest; From earth's wild cares to soar away To regions pure and blest.
- 3 Sweet day! thine hours too soon will cease; 1 Come, thou beloved Redeemer, come, Yet, while they gently roll, Breathe, heavenly Spirit, source of peace, A sabbath o'er my soul.
- 4 Soon will my pilgrimage be done, The world's long week be o'er,-That Sabbath dawn which needs no sun. That day which fades no more. James Edmoston

546, 446, 438.

- 1 How bright a day was that which saw Creation's work complete! All nature owned her Maker's law, And worshiped at his feet.
- 2 The world, arranged by power divine, In perfect order stood; And, resting from his great design, God saw that all was good.
- 3 Not such a Sabbath now appears, For sin has ruined all: No longer man with pleasure hears A gracious Father's call.
- 4 Yet, Lord, bring back the reign of peace, Let brighter days begin; And teach vain creatures how to cease From folly and from sin.
- 5 Let sinners be again made thine, Though once with vengance cursed; And let the holy Sabbath shine, As glorious as at first.

Anon.

233

438, 227, 117.

Thy waiting church to bless; Shine forth upon this Sabbath-day, Thou Sun of righteousness.

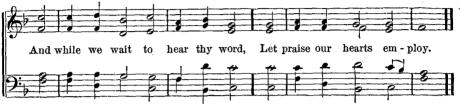
2 Thou art our Maker, thou our God, And thy great name we own; All praise and honor and renown We yield to thee alone.

Anon,

BADEA. S. M.

GERMAN.





11, 85, 30.

- 2 With sweet delight the day That thou hast called thine own We hail, and all our homage pay To thine exalted throne.
- 3 O may thy saints be blessed!
 Assist us while we pray;
 May we enjoy a holy rest,
 And keep the sacred day.
- 4 When Sabbaths here shall end,
 And from these courts we move,
 May we an endless Sabbath spend
 In heavenly courts above.

Anon.

237

89, 11, 151.

- 1 SIX days of toil and care,
 I bid you all adieu;
 And now, O peaceful Sabbath hours,
 I gladly welcome you.
- 2 My heart with rapture turns To Eden's vale so fair; Then forward to the heavenly world, And views the Sabbath there.
- 3 Sweet day of rest, through thee
 Shall memory faithful prove
 To him who made the earth and sea,
 And starry worlds above.
- 4 Each Sabbath spent aright
 Shall bring us nearer thee,
 Till in that glorious land of light
 We're made forever free.

238

191, 266, 85.

- 1 Welcome, sweet day of rest,
 The day believers prize,
 Welcome to this reviving breast,
 And these rejoicing eyes.
 - 2 The King himself comes near,
 And feasts his saints to-day;
 Here we may sit, and taste his cheer,
 And love, and praise, and pray.
 - 3 One day within the place Where Christ, my Lord, has been, Is sweeter than ten thousand days Of folly and of sin.
 - 4 My willing soul would stay
 In such a frame as this
 Till called to rise and soar away
 To everlasting bliss.

Isaac Watts

239

688, 601, 151.

- SWEET is the work, O Lord,
 Thy glorious name to sing;
 To praise and pray, to hear thy word,
 And grateful offerings bring.
- 2 Sweet, on this day of rest, To join in heart and voice With those who love and serve thee best, And in thy name rejoice.
- 3 To songs of praise and joy-Be every Sabbath given, That such may be our blest employ Eternally in heaven.

Harriet Auber.

Anon.



15, 531, 457.

- 2 Day of calm and sweet repose, Gently now thy moments run; Balm to soothe our cares and woes, Till our labor here is done.
- 3 Holy day that most we prize,
 Day of solemn praise and prayer,
 Day to make the simple wise,
 O, how great thy blessings are!
- 4 Welcome, welcome, day of rest,
 With thy influence all divine;
 May thy hallowed hours be blessed
 To this waiting heart of mine.

 Anon.

241 15, 339, 531,

- 1 Holy Sabbath, sacred rest,
 Welcome to each waiting breast;
 Cheering hour that points away
 To eternity's glad day.
- 2 Ever since creation's birth, Thou hast been to cheer our earth; When the course of time began, Thou wast made, and made for man.
- 3 While thou bringest peaceful rest, Man by thee is doubly blest; Thou dost tend our thoughts to raise To our great Creator's praise.
- 4 Thus drawn nearer to our Lord,
 Hearts attuned to sweet accord,
 We shall hail the glorious day
 When all flesh shall own thy sway.
 R. F. Cottrell.

242 15, 272, 37.

- 1 Holy day! Jehovah's rest!
 Of creation's week the best;
 Last of all the chosen seven,
 Blest of God, to man 't was given
- 2 First his six day's work was done, Then the Sabbath hour begun; Thus he blessed the seventh day, Thus in resting we obey.
- 3 While we praise our Maker's name, We his faithful promise claim; Meet with us, dear Lord, we pray, Thine are we, and thine this day.
- 4 Let thy Spirit on us shine, Help us keep thy law divine; Day by day so shall we be Shining lights, O Lord, for thee.

243 407, 457, 480.

- 1 Welcome, sacred day of rest!
 Sweet repose from worldly care,
 Day above all days the best,
 When our souls for heaven prepare.
- 2 Gracious Lord, we love this day,
 When we hear thy holy word;
 When we sing thy praise, and pray;
 Earth can no such joys afford.
- 3 But a better rest remains,—
 Heavenly Sabbaths, happier days,
 Rest from sin, and rest from pains,
 Endless joys, and endless praise.



81

1114. 827, 685, 2 While we seek supplies of grace

Through the dear Redeemer's name, Show thy reconciling face,

Take away our sin and shame;
From our worldly cares set free
May we rest this day in thee.

- 3 Here we come thy name to praise,
 May we feel thy presence near,
 May thy glory meet our eyes
 While we in thy courts appear;
 Here afford us, Lord, a taste
 Of our everlasting feast.
- 4 May the gospel's joyful sound
 Conquer sinners, comfort saints;
 Make the fruits of grace abound,
 Bring relief to all complaints;
 Thus may all our Sabbaths be
 Till we rise to reign with thee.

 Tokan Newton.

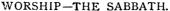
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1114, 489, 827.

1 Closing Sabbath! Ah, how soon Have thy sacred moments passed: Scarcely shines the morn, the noon, Ere the evening brings thy last! And another Sabbath flies, Solemn witness! to the skies.

- 2 What is the report it bears
 To the secret place of God?
 Does it speak of worldly cares,
 Thoughts which cling to earth's low sod?
 Or has sweet communion shone
 Through its hours from God alone?
- 3 Could we hope the day was spent
 Prayerfully, with constant heart,
 We might yield it up content,
 Knowing, though so soon it part,
 We should see a better day,
 Which could never pass away.
- 4 God of Sabbaths, O, forgive
 That we use thy gifts so ill;
 Teach us daily how to live
 That we ever may fulfill
 All thy gracious love designed,
 Giving Sabbaths to mankind.

Anon.





492, 611, 416,
2 Thou art a port protected
From storms that round us rise,
A garden intersected
With streams of paradise;
Thou art a cooling fountain
In life's dry, dreary sand;
From thee, like Pisgah's mountain,

We view our promised land.

3 A day of sweet reflection
Thou art, a day of love;
A day to raise affection
From earth to things above.
New graces ever gaining
From this our day of rest,
We seek the rest remaining
In mansions of the blest.
Christopher Wordsworth.

Christopher Wordsworth.

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492, 330, 195,
1 Thy holy day's returning
Our hearts exult to see,
And, with devotion burning,
Ascend, great God, to thee.
To-day, with purest pleasure,
Our thoughts from earth withdraw;
We search for heavenly treasure,
We learn thy holy law.

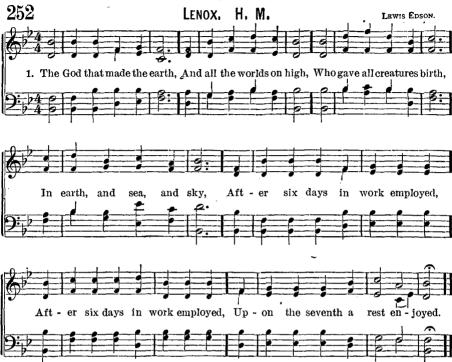
We join to sing thy praises,
O God of Sabbath-day!
Each voice in gladness raises
Its loudest, sweetest lay.
Thy richest mercies sharing,
Inspire us with thy love;
By grace our souls preparing
For nobler praise above.

248 [Tune, Sabbath, No. 244.] 7s. 61
1 HAIL, thou bright and sacred morn,
Risen with gladness in thy beams!
Light, which not of earth is born,
From thy dawn in glory streams;
Airs of heaven are breathed around,
And each place is holy ground.

2 Great Creator! who this day
From thy perfect work didst rest,
By the souls that own thy sway
Hallowed be its hours and blest,
Cares of earth aside be thrown,
This day given to God alone.

Julia A. Elliot.





2 The Sabbath-day was blessed,
Hallowed, and sanctified;
It was Jehovah's rest,
And so it must abide;
'T was set apart before the fall,
'T was made for man, 't was made for all.

167, 264, 859.

3 And when from Sinai's mount,
Amidst the fire and smoke,
Jehovah did recount,
And all his precepts spoke,
He claimed the rest-day as his own,
And wrote it with his law on stone.

4 The Son of God appeared
With tidings of great joy;
God's precepts he revered,
He came not to destroy;
None of the law was set aside,
But every tittle ratified.

Our Saviour did not die
 To render null and void
 The law of the Most High,
 Which cannot be destroyed;

But, bruised for us, our stripes he bore,—We'll go in peace and sin no more.

R. F. Cottrell.

253

200 859, 167, 254.

Welcome, the Sabbath hour,
The holy and the blest!

With sweet, subduing power
It calms the soul to rest;
And hope and love spring up anew,
To cheer us on our journey through.

Our only care and aim
 Throughout this hallowed day,
 To glorify thy name,
 And grateful homage pay;
 Advance the glory of thy cause,
 And vindicate thy righteous laws.

Bescend, celestial Dove!
E'en while we wait and sing;
Come from the throne of love,
With healing on thy wing;
With ardent zeal each heart inspire,
And rebaptize with holy fire.

H. N. Smith.

WORSHIP-THE SABBATH.



2 We praise thee, our Maker, our God, and our King,

We thank thee to - day for this Sabbath of rest,

Extolling thy goodness we joyfully sing; For thou hast preserved us, and guarded our way,

From hour unto hour, and from day unto day.

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3 O send us thy Spirit, and teach us thy word,

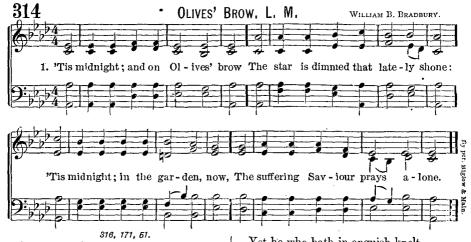
Di - vine is its mission, di - vine - ly 'tis blest.

Nor let thy sweet blessings from us be deferred;

O help us, our Father, thy will to discern, And ever to practice the truths that we learn.

P. E. Belden.



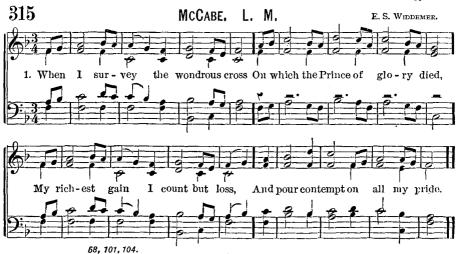


- 2 'T is midnight; and from all removed, The Saviour wrestles lone with fears; E'en that disciple whom he loved Heeds not his Master's grief and tears.
- 3 'T is midnight; and for others' guilt The Man of sorrows weeps in blood;

Yet he who hath in anguish knelt, Is not forsaken by his God.

4 'T is midnight; and from ether plains
Is borne the song that angels know;
Unheard by mortals are the strains
That sweetly soothe the Saviour's woe.

William B. Tappan.



2 See, from his head, his hands, his feet, Sorrow and love flow mingled down; Did e'er such love and sorrow meet? Or thorns compose so rich a crown?

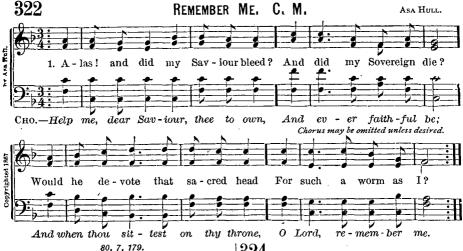
3 Since I, who was undone and lost,

Have pardon through his name and

word;

Forbid it, then, that I should boast, Save in the cross of Christ, my Lord.

4 Were the whole realm of nature mine, That were a tribute far too small; Love so amazing, so divine, Demands my life, my soul, my all.



- 2 Was it for crimes that I have done He groaned upon the tree? Amazing pity! grace unknown! And love beyond degree!
- 3 Well might the sun in darkness hide, And shut his glories in, When Christ the Lord was crucified For man, the creature's sin.
- 4 Thus might I hide my blushing face, While his dear cross appears, Dissolve my heart in thankfulness, And melt mine eyes to tears.
- 5 But drops of grief can ne'er repay The debt of love I owe; Here, Lord, I give myself away; 'T is all that I can do.

Isaac Watts.

323

396, 179, 187.

- 1 BEHOLD the Saviour of mankind Nailed to the shameful tree! How vast the love that him inclined To die for you and me!
- 2 Hark! how he groans, while nature shakes, And earth's strong pillars bend; The temple's vail in sunder breaks, The solid marbles rend.
- 3 'T is done! the precious ransom's paid! 'T is done, the Saviour cries; See where he bows his sacred head: He bows his head, and dies. Samuel Wesley.

546, 227, 117.

1 SEE! through his holy hands and feet The cruel nails they drive: Our ransom thus is made complete, Our souls are saved alive.

- 2 And see! the spear has pierced his side, And shed that sacred flood— That holy, reconciling tide— The water and the blood.
- 3 O holy cross! from thee we learn The only way to heaven; And O, to thee may sinners turn, And look, and be forgiven!

V. Fortunatus.

325

80, 183, 147.

1 THERE is a dear and hallowed spot, Oft present to my eye; By saints it ne'er can be forgot— That place is Calvary.

2 O, what a scene was there displayed, Of love and agony,

When our Redeemer bowed his head, And died on Calvary!

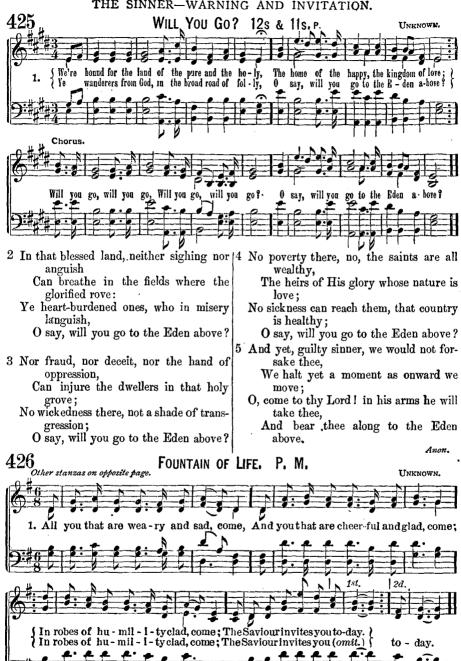
3 When fainting under guilt's dread load, Unto the cross I'll fly,

And trust the merits of the blood That flowed at Calvary.

4 Whene'er I feel temptation's power, On Jesus I'll rely, And in the sharp, conflicting hour, Repair to Calvary.

Anon

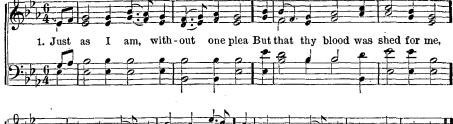






WOODWORTH. L. M.

WILLIAM B. BRADBURY.





168, 101, 212.

- 2 Just as I am, and waiting not
 To rid my soul of one dark blot,
 To thee, whose blood can cleanse each spot,
 O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
- 3 Just as I am, though tossed about
 With many a conflict, many a doubt—
 "Fightings within, and fears without,"
 O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
- 4 Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind,—Sight, riches, healing of the mind,
 Yea, all I need, in thee to find,
 O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
- 5 Just as I am, thou wilt receive, Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve; Because thy promise I believe, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
- 6 Just as I am, thy love I own
 Has broken every barrier down;
 Now to be thine, and thine alone,
 O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

 Charlotte Elliott.

429 624, 361, 314.

- 1 WITH broken heart and contrite sigh, A trembling sinner, Lord, I cry; Thy pardoning grace is rich and free: O God, be merciful to me!
- 2 I smite upon my troubled breast
 With deep and conscious guilt oppressed;
 Christ and his cross my only plea:
 O God, be merciful to me!

- 3 Far off I stand with tearful eyes, Nor dare uplift them to the skies; But thou dost all my anguish see: O God, be merciful to me!
- 4 Nor alms, nor deeds that I have done, Can for a single sin atone; To Calvary alone I flee: O God, be merciful to me!
- 5 And when, redeemed from sin and hell, With all the ransomed throng I dwell, My raptured song shall ever be, "God has been merciful to me!"

430 Cornelius Elven.
471, 316, 347,

1 WITH tearful eyes I look around; Life seems a dark and stormy sea, Yet, 'mid the gloom, I hear a sound, A heavenly whisper, "Come to me."

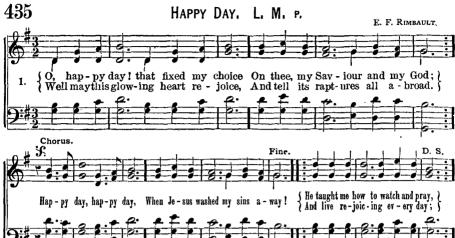
2 It tells me of a place of rest; •
It tells me where my soul may flee:
O, to the weary, faint, oppressed,
How sweet the bidding, "Come to me.

- 3 "Come, for all else must fail and die!

 Earth is no resting place for thee;

 To heaven direct thy weeping eye,

 I am thy portion; come to me."
- 4 O voice of mercy! voice of love!
 In conflict, grief, and agony,
 Support me, cheer me from above!
 And gently whisper, "Come to me."
 Charlotte Elliots.



212, 228, 47. 2 'Tis done, the great transaction's done; I am my Lord's, and he is mine;

He drew me, and I followed on, Charmed to confess the voice divine.

- 3 Now rest, my long-divided heart, Fixed on this blissful center, rest; Nor ever from thy Lord depart, With him of every good possessed.
- 4 High Heaven, that heard the solemn vow, That yow renewed shall daily hear, Till in time's latest hour I bow, And bless at last a bond so dear.
- 5 And when the bright celestial train, From highest heaven to earth shall come; 2 Lord, I was deaf: I could not hear Then with my Lord I'll rise, and reign Forever in that happy home. Philip Doddridge.

436 538, 171, 108.

- 1 Jesus, my all, to heaven is gone, He whom I fix my hopes upon; His track I see, and I'll pursue The narrow way, till him I view.
- 2 The way the holy prophets went, The road that leads from banishment, The King's highway of holiness, I'll go; for all his paths are peace.
- 3 This is the way I long have sought, And mourned because I found it not; My grief a burden long has been, Because I was not saved from sin.

- 4 Lo! glad I come, and thou, blest Lamb, Shalt take me to thee, whose I am; Nothing but sin have I to give, Nothing but love shall I receive.
- 5 Then will I tell to all around, • What a dear Saviour I have found; I'll point to thy redeeming blood, And say, "Behold the way to God." John Cennick.

437 361, 101, 624.

- 1 LORD, I was blind: I could not see In thy marred visage any grace; But now the beauty of thy face, In radiant vision dawns on me.
- The thrilling music of thy voice; But now I hear thee and rejoice, And all thy uttered words are dear.
- 3 Lord, I was dumb: I could not speak The grace and glory of thy name; But now, as touched with living flame, My lips thine eager praises wake.
- 4 Lord, I was dead: I could not stir My lifeless soul to come to thee; But now, since thou hast quickened me, I rise from sin's dark sepulcher.
- 5 Lord, thou hast made the blind to see, The deaf to hear, the dumb to speak, The dead to live; and lo, I break The chains of my captivity! W. T. Matson.



I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"Behold I freely give
The living water; thirsty one,
Stoop down, and drink, and live."
I came to Jesus, and I drank
Of that life-giving stream;
My thirst was quenched, my soul revived,
And now I live in him.

3 I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"I am this dark world's light;
Look unto me: thy morn shall rise,
And all thy day be bright."
I looked to Jesus, and I found
In him my star, my sun;
And in that light of life I'll walk
Till all my journey's done.

Horatius Bonar.

451 . 486, 83.

1 I HEARD a voice, the sweetest voice That mortal ever heard;

O, how it made my heart rejoice, And every feeling stirred!

"T was Jesus spoke to me so mild; He called me to his side,

And said, although with heart defiled, I might in him confide.

I saw his face, the fairest face
That mortal ever saw;
I longed the Saviour to embrace,
From him new life to draw.

"Come unto me," he kindly said,
"And I will give thee rest;
The ransom-price I fully paid;
Repent! believe! be blest!"

3 I felt his love, the strongest love That mortal ever felt;

O, how it drew my soul above,

And made my hard heart melt?

My hunder at his fact I laid

My burden at his feet I laid,
And knew the joy of heaven,
As in my willing ear he said
The blessed word, "Forgiven!"

Peter Stryker.

452 486, 83.

1 My God, my God, to thee I cry; Thee only would I know:

Thy purifying blood apply,

And wash me white as snow.

Touch me, and make the leper clean; Purge mine iniquity:

Unless thou wash my soul from sin,
I have no part in thee.

2 But art thou not already mine? Answer, if mine thou art;

Whisper within, thou Love divine.

And cheer my drooping heart.

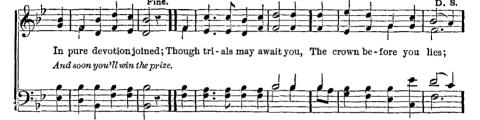
Behold for me the Victim bleeds,
His wounds are open wide;

For me the blood of sprinkling pleads,
And speaks me justified.

Charles Western

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- 246, 415.
- 2 Ye shall be mine, says Jesus, In that auspicious day When I make up my jewels, Released from cumb'rous clay; He'll polish and refine you From worthless dross and tin. And to his heavenly kingdom Will bid you enter in.
- 3 We'll range the wide dominion Of our Redeemer round, And in dissolving raptures Be lost in love profound; While all the flaming harpers Begin the lasting song, With hallelujahs rolling From the unnumbered throng. Anon.

493 246, 836,

1 FAREWELL, all earthly treasure., I bid you all adieu; Farewell, all earthly honor, I want no more of you. I want my union grounded On God's eternal Son, Beyond the power of Satan, Where sin can never come.

- 2 I want my name engraven Among the righteous ones, Who see my Father's glory, And wear a starry crown. For these, the better riches, I'm willing to pass through All earthly tribulation, And count it my just due.
- 3 I'm willing to be cleansèd, And bear the daily cross; I'm willing to be purgèd From every kind of dross. I see the fiery furnace, And feel its cleansing flame; The fruit of it is holy, The gold will still remain.
- 4 All earthly tribulation Is but a moment here: And O, if we are faithful, A crown of life we'll wear! We shall be pure and holy, And feed on angels' food, Rejoicing in bright glory Around the throne of God.



- 2 Though the road be rough and thorny, Trackless as the foaming sea, Thou hast trod this way before me, And I'll gladly follow thee.
- 3 Though I meet with tribulations, Sorely tempted though I be; I remember thou wast tempted, And rejoice to follow thee.
- 4 Though thou lead'st me through affliction, Poor, forsaken, though I be; Thou wast destitute, afflicted, And I only follow thee.
- 5 Though to Jordan's rolling billows, Cold and deep, thou leadest me, Thou hast crossed the waves before me, And I still will follow thee.



Sinful though my heart may be; Thou might'st leave me, but the rather Let thy mercy rest on me.

3 Have I long in sin been sleeping? Long been slighting, grieving thee? O forgive and rescue me!

4 Pass me not, O holy Spirit! Thou canst make the blind to see; Testify of Jesus' merit, Speak the word of peace to me. Elizabeth Codner.





- 2 Let the world despise and leave me— They have left my Saviour, too; Human hearts and looks deceive me— Thou art faithful, thou art true.
 - O, 'tis not in grief to harm me,
 While thy love is left to me;
 O 'two not in joy to charm me
 - O, 'twere not in joy to charm me, If that love be hid from me.
- 3 Soul, then know thy full salvation;
 Rise o'er sin, and fear, and care;
 Joy to find in every station
 Something still to do or bear.
 Think what Spirit dwells within thee;
 Think what Father's smiles are thine;
 Think that Jesus died to win thee;
 Child of Heaven, canst thou repine?
- 4 Haste thee on from grace to glory,
 Armed by faith and winged by prayer;
 Heaven's eternal day's before thee;
 God's own hand shall guide thee there.

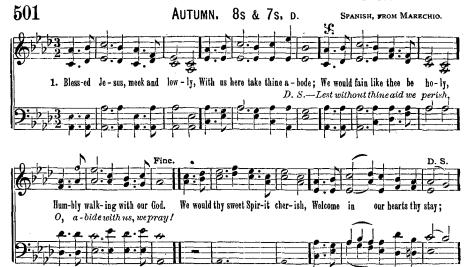
Soon shall close thy earthly mission, Soon shall pass thy pilgrim days; Hope shall change to glad fruition, Faith to sight, and prayer to praise.

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844, 503.

1 FAR from mortal cares retreating,
Sordid hopes and vain desires,
Here, our willing footsteps meeting,
Every heart to heaven aspires.
From the Fount of glory beaming,
Light celestial cheers our eyes:
'T is the grace of pardon streaming
From the portals of the skies.

From the portals of the skies.

Who may share this great salvation?
Every pure and humble mind,
Every kindred, tongue, and nation,
From the stains of guilt refined.
Blessings all around bestowing,
God withholds his care from none;
Grace and truth are ever flowing
From the fountain of his throne.



- 2 Guide us in the path to heaven,
 Rugged though that path may be;
 Let each bitter cup that's given,
 Serve to draw us nearer thee.
 In thy footsteps traced before us,
 There we see earth's scorn and frown;
 There is suffering ere the glory,
 There's a cross before the crown.
- 3 In thy vineyard let us labor,
 Of thy goodness let us tell;
 All is ill without thy favor,
 With thy presence all is well.
 While the evening shadows gather,
 Through this dreary night of tears,
 Tarry with us, O our Saviour,
 Till the morning light appears.
- 4 Then with thee may we forever
 Reign with all the good and blest,
 Where no sin from thee can sever,
 Where the weary are at rest;
 There to praise the matchless Giver.
 There with angels to adore
 Him who did through grace deliver
 Us from death forevermore.

1 VAIN are all terrestrial pleasures,
Mixed with dross the purest gold;
Seek we then for heavenly treasures—
Treasures never waxing old.
Let our best affections center
On the things around the throne:
There no thief can ever enter;
Moth and rust are there unknown.

- 2 Earthly joys no longer please us;
 Here we would renounce them all;
 Seek our only rest in Jesus—
 Him our Lord and Master call.
 Faith, our languid spirits cheering,
 Points to brighter worlds above;
 Bids us look for his appearing,
 Bids us triumph in his love.
- 3 May our light be always burning,
 And our loins be girded round,
 Waiting for our Lord's returning—
 Longing for the welcome sound.
 Thus the Christian life adorning,
 Never need we be afraid,
 Should he come at night or morning,
 Early dawn or evening shade.

David E. Ford.



- 2 Here I raise my Ebenezer,
 Hither by thy help I've come,
 And I hope by thy good pleasure
 Safely to arrive at home.
 Jesus sought me when a stranger,
 Wandering from the fold of God;
 He to rescue me from danger
 Interposed his precious blood.
- 3 O, to grace how great a debtor
 Daily I'm constrained to be!
 Let thy goodness like a fetter
 Bind me closer still to thee.
 Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,—
 Prone to leave the God I love,—
 Here's my heart—O, take and seal it;
 Seal it for thy courts above.

 Robert Robinson.



- 2 Let me go where none are weary,
 Where is raised no note of woe;
 Let me go and bathe my spirit
 In the rapture angels know:
 Let me go, for bliss eternal
 Lures my soul away, away,
 And the victor's song triumphant
 Thrills my heart, I cannot stay.
- 3 Let me go, why should I tarry?
 What has earth to bind me here?
 What but cares and toils and sorrows?
 What but death and pain and fear?
 Let me go, for hopes most cherished,
 Blasted round me often lie:
 Here I've gathered brightest flowers
 But to see them fade and die.

 Anon.



- 2 We speak of its freedom from sin,
 From sorrow, temptation and care,
 From trials without and within,—
 But what must is be to be there!
 We speak of its service of love,
 Of the robes which the glorified wear,
 Of the church of the first-born above,—
 But what must it be to be there!
- 3 Our mourning is all at an end,
 When, raised by the life-giving word,
 We see the new city descend,
 Adorned as a bride for her Lord:
 The city so holy and clean,
 No sorrow can breathe in the air;
 No gloom of affliction or sin,
 No shadow of evil is there.
- 1 Do Thou, midst temptation and woe,
 For heaven my spirit prepare;
 And shortly I also shall know
 And feel what it is to be there.
 Then o'er the bright fields we shall roam,
 In glory celestial and fair,
 With saints and with angels at home,
 And Jesus himself will be there.

 Elizabeth Mills.

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1 How tedious and tasteless the hours
When Jesus no longer I see!
Sweet prospects, sweet birds, and sweet
flowers,

Have all lost their sweetness to me;
The midsummer sun shines but dim,
The fields strive in vain to look gay;
But when I am happy in him,
December's as pleasant as May.

2 His name yields the richest perfume,
And sweeter than music his voice;
His presence disperses my gloom,
And makes all within me rejoice:
I should, were he always thus nigh,
Have nothing to wish or to fear;

No mortal so happy as I,

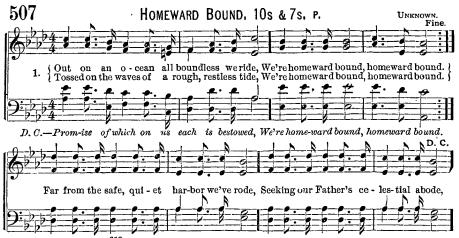
My summer would last all the year.

My Lord, if indeed I am thine,
If thou art my Sun and my Song,
Say, why do I languish and pine?
And why are my winters so long?
O drive these dark clouds from my sky,
Thy soul-cheering presence restore;
Or take me to thee up on high,

Where winter and clouds are no more.

John Newton.





2 Wildly the storm sweeps us on as it roars, 2 What though the billows of life darkly We're homeward bound, homeward

Look! yonder lie the bright heavenly

We're homeward bound, homeward bound.

Steady, O pilot! stand firm at the wheel; Steady, we soon shall outweather the gale; O, how we fly 'neath the loud-creaking sail! We're homeward bound, homeward

bound.

3 Into the harbor of heaven now we glide, We're home at last, home at last; Softly we drift on its bright silver tide, We're home at last, home at last. Glory to God! all our dangers are o'er, We stand secure on the glorified shore; Glory to God! we shall shout evermore; We're home at last, home at last.

1 CHRISTIAN, thy warfare will shortly be o'er, O do not fear, do not fear;

no more;

Be of good cheer, of good cheer.

What though the night be so dreary and

What though thy foes be unwearied and strong,

Soon thou shalt join in the conqueror's

Be of good cheer, of good cheer.

roll,

O do not fear, do not fear; Friends all forsake thee, and cares press

thy soul; Be of good cheer, of good cheer.

Christian, remember that Christ loves thee still;

Only be faithful, and do Jesus' will, Soon thou wilt stand with him on Zion's hill;

Be of good cheer, of good cheer.

3 Christian, the angels will soon come for

O do not fear, do not fear;

He whom thou lovest in glory thou'lt see; Be of good cheer, of good cheer.

O, if thou would'st to the end firm endure, Keep thy robe holy, and spotless, and pure, Victorious faith will make Canaan sure; Be of good cheer, of good cheer.

Soon thou shalt rest where thy foes come 4 Christian, the shadows will soon flee away, O do not fear, do not fear;

Then thou wilt enter an eternal day;

Be of good cheer, of good cheer. In the bright kingdom forever to dwell, Join angel choirs, and the rich anthem

Bid to thy sorrow a long, long farewell; Be of good cheer, of good cheer.

Anon



134, 46.

2 O brother, be faithful! the city of gold,
Prepared for the good and the blest,
Is waiting its portals of pearl to unfold,

And welcome thee into thy rest.

Then, brother, prove faithful! not long shall we stay

In weariness here, and forlorn,

Time's dark night of sorrow is wearing away,

We haste to the glorious morn.

3 O brother, be faithful! He soon will descend,

Creation's omnipotent King,
While legions of angels his chariot attend,
And palm-wreaths of victory bring.

O brother, be faithful! and soon shalt thou hear

Thy Saviour pronounce the glad word, Well done, faithful servant, thy title is clear,

To enter the joy of thy Lord.

ter thy tears,

4 O brother, be faithful! eternity's years Shall tell for thy faithfulness now, When bright smiles of gladness shall scat-

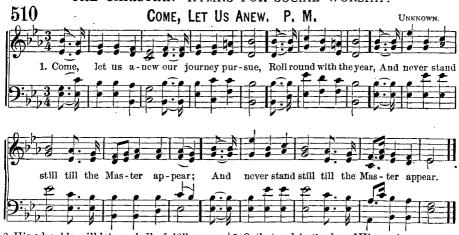
And a coronet gleam on thy brow.

O brother, be faithful! the promise is sure,

That waits for the faithful and tried;
To reign with the ransomed, immortal
and pure,

And ever with Jesus abide.

U. Smith.



2 His adorable will let us gladly fulfill, And our talents improve

By the patience of hope, and the labor of love.

3 Our life as a dream, our time as a stream. Glides swiftly away, And the fugitive moment refuses to stay.

4 The arrow is flown, the moment is gone; The millennial year Rushes on to our view, and eternity's here.

5 O, that each in the day of His coming may say, "I have fought my way through;

I have finished the work thou didst give me to do."

6 O, that each from his Lord may receive the glad word. "Well and faithfully done!

Enter into my joy, and sit down on my throne."

Charles Wesley.



My joys are immortal, I stand on the mount! I gaze on my treasure and long to be there, With Jesus and angels, and kindred so dear.

3 O Jesus, my Saviour, with thee I am blest,-My life and salvation, my joy and my rest: Thy name be my theme, and thy love be my song;

Thy grace shall inspire both my heart and my tongue.

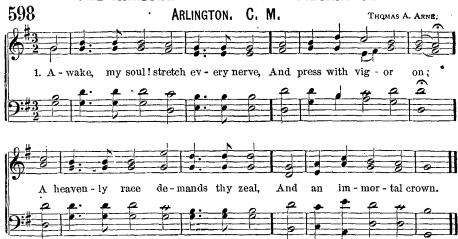
2 I'm happy, I'm happy, O, wondrous account! | 4 O, who's like my Saviour? he's Salem's bright King;

> He smiles, and he loves me, and helps me to sing:

I'll praise him, I'll praise him, with notes loud and clear,

While rivers of pleasure my spirit do cheer. Anon.

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794, 354, 369.

- 2 'Tis God's all-animating voice,
 That calls thee from on high;'Tis he whose hand presents the prize
 To thine aspiring eye.
- 3 A cloud of witnesses around Hold thee in full survey; Forget the steps already trod, And onward urge thy way.
- 4 Blest Saviour, introduced by thee,
 Our race have we begun;
 And, crowned with victory, at thy feet
 We'll lay our trophies down.

 Philip Doddridge.

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794, 369, 446.

- 1 Am I a soldier of the cross, A follower of the Lamb? And shall I fear to own his cause? Or blush to speak his name?
- 2 Must I be carried to the skies On flowery beds of ease, Whilst others fought to win the prize, And sailed through bloody seas?
- 3 Are there no foes for me to face?
 Must I not stem the flood?
 Is this vile world a friend of grace,
 To help me on to God?
- 4 Sure I must fight if I would reign; Increase my courage, Lord; I'll bear the toil, endure the pain, Supported by thy word.

- 5 Thy saints in all this glorious war Shall conquer, though they die; They see the triumph from afar, With faith's discerning eye.
- 6 When that illustrious day shall rise, And all thy armies shine In robes of victory through the skies, The glory shall be thine.

Isaac Watts.

600 399, 179, 644.

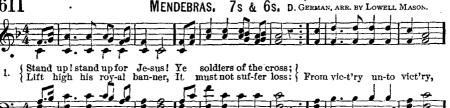
- O, IT is hard to work for God,
 To rise and take his part
 Upon this battle-field of earth,
 And not sometimes lose heart!
- 2 He hides himself so wondrously, 'As though there were no God; He is least seen when all the powers Of ill are most abroad;
- 3 Or he deserts us in the hour
 The fight is all but lost,
 And seems to leave us to ourselves •
 Just when we need him most.
- 4 It is not so, but so it looks;
 And we lose courage then;
 And doubts will come though God hath
 kept
 His promises to men.
- 5 But right is right, since God is God;
 And right the day must win;
 To doubt would be disloyalty,
 To falter would be sin!

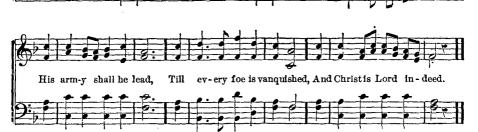
 Frederick W. Fabor.

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2 Stand up! stand up for Jesus! The trumpet-call obey; Forth to the mighty conflict, In this his glorious day: Ye that are men, now serve him, Against unnumbered foes: Let courage rise with danger, And strength to strength oppose.

833, 246,

- 3 Stand up! stand up for Jesus! . Stand in his strength alone; The arm of flesh will fail you; Ye dare not trust your own: Put on the gospel armor, And, watching unto prayer, Where duty calls, or danger, Be never wanting there.
- 4 Stand up! stand up for Jesus! The strife will not be long; This day the noise of battle, The next the victor's song: To him that overcometh,. A crown of life shall be: He with the King of Glory Shall reign eternally.

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833, 415.

1 God is my strong salvation; What foe have I to fear? In darkness and temptation, My Light, my Help is near: Though hosts encamp around me, Firm in the fight I stand; What terror can confound me, With God at my right hand?

2 Place on the Lord reliance; My soul, with courage wait; His truth be thine affiance, When faint and desolate: His might thy heart shall strengthen, His love thy joy increase; Mercy thy day shal! lengthen; The Lord will give thee peace! James Montgomery.

613

833, 415.

- 1 Go forward, Christian soldier, Beneath his banner true: The Lord himself, thy Leader, Shall all thy foes subdue. His love foretells thy trials, He knows thy hourly need; He can, with bread of heaven, Thy fainting spirit feed.
- 2 Go forward, Christian soldier, Nor dream of peaceful rest, Till Satan's host is vanquished, And heaven at last possessed; Till Christ himself shall call thee To lay thine armor by, And wear in endless glory, The crown of victory.

Laurence Tuttiett.

George Duffield.



2 Walk in the light! and thou shalt own
Thy darkness passed away;
Because that light on thee hath shone
In which is perfect day.

179, 581, 724.

- 3 Walk in the light! and e'en the tomb No fearful shade shall wear; Glory shall chase away its gloom, For Christ hath conquered there.
- 4 Walk in the light! and thine shall be
 A path, though thorny, bright;
 For God, by grace, shall dwell in thee,
 And God himself is light.

Bernard Barton.

636 399, 354, 1**1**4.

- 1 HEED not the tempter's siren voice,
 A deep with dangers rife;
 Mortal, thou hast a nobler choice—
 Life, life, eternal life.
- O, shun the world's bewitching snare,
 Its fever, and its strife;
 Mortal, thou hast a nobler share—
 Life, life, eternal life.
- 3 Like Abram hast thou faith to bear The sacrificial knife? Then with the faithful thou shalt share Life, life, eternal life.
- 4 For love of God canst thou lay down
 Thy life 'mid hottest strife?
 Then thou hast won a starry crown—
 Life, life, eternal life.

 Anon.

637 895, 446, 598.

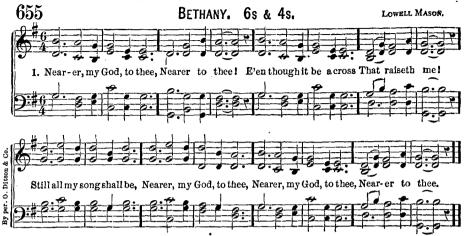
- I'm not ashamed to own my Lord, Nor to defend his cause,
 Maintain the honor of his word,
 The glory of his cross.
- 2 Jesus, my Lord, I know his name; His name is all my trust; Nor will he put my soul to shame, Nor let my hope be lost.
- 3 Firm as his throne his promise stands,
 And he can well secure
 What I've committed to his hands
 Till the decisive hour.
- 4 Then will he own my worthless name Before his Father's face, And in the New Jerusalem Reserve for me a place.

Isaac Watts.

638 724, 669, 117.

- 1 Let worldly minds the world pursue; It has no charms for me: Once I admired its trifles too, But grace has set me free.
- 2 Its joys can now no longer please,
 Nor e'en content afford:
 Far from my heart be joys like these,
 For I have seen the Lord.
- 3 As by the light of opening day
 The stars are all concealed,
 So earthly pleasures fade away
 When Jesus is revealed.

John Newton.

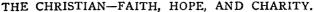


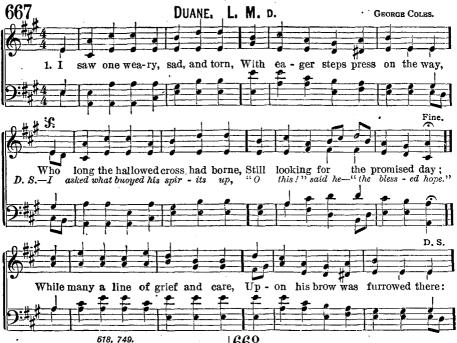
- 2 Though like a wanderer,
 Daylight all gone,
 Darkness be over me,
 My rest a stone;
 Yet in my dreams I'd be
 Nearer, my God, to thee,
 Nearer, my God, to thee,
 Nearer to thee.
- 3 There let the way appear,
 Steps up to heaven;
 All that thou sendest me,
 In mercy given;
 Angels to beckon me
 Nearer, my God, to thee,
 Nearer, my God, to thee,
 Nearer to thee.
- 4 Then, with my waking thoughts
 Bright with thy praise,
 Out of my stony griefs
 Bethel I'll raise;
 So by my woes to be
 Nearer, my God, to thee,
 Nearer, my God, to thee,
 Nearer to thee,
- 5 Or if, on joyful wing
 Cleaving the sky,
 Sun, moon, and stars forgot,
 Upward I fly,
 Still all my song shall be,
 Nearer, my God, to thee,
 Nearer, my God, to thee,
 Nearer to thee!

Sarah F. Adams.

- 656 485, 659,
- 1 Fade, fade, each earthly joy;
 Jesus is mine;
 Break, every tender tie;
 Jesus is mine.
 Dark is the wilderness;
 Earth has no resting-place;
 Jesus alone can bless;
 Jesus is mine.
- 2 Tempt not my soul away;
 Jesus is mine;
 Here would I ever stay;
 Jesus is mine.
 Perishing things of clay,
 Born but for one brief day,
 Pass from my heart away;
 Jesus is mine.
 - 3 Farewell, ye dreams of night;
 Jesus is mine;
 Lost in this dawning bright,
 Jesus is mine.
 All that my soul has tried
 Left but a dismal void;
 Jesus has satisfied;
 Jesus is mine.
 - 4 Farewell, mortality;
 Jesus is mine;
 Hail! immortality;
 Jesus is mine.
 Welcome, O loved and blest!
 Welcome, sweet scenes of rest;
 Welcome, my Saviour's breast;
 Jesus is mine!

Mrs, Horatius Bonar.





2 And one I saw, with sword and shield, Who boldly braved the world's cold frown,

And fought, unvielding, on the field, To win an everlasting crown. Though worn with toil, oppressed by foes, No murmur from his heart arose: I asked what buoyed his spirits up, "O this!" said he—" the blessed hope."

3 And there was one who left behind The cherished friends of early years, And honor, pleasure, wealth resigned, To tread the path bedewed with tears. Through trials deep and conflicts sore, Yet still a smile of joy he wore: I asked what buoyed his spirits up, "O this!" said he—" the blessed hope."

4 While pilgrims here we journey on In this dark vale of sin and gloom, Through tribulation, hate, and scorn, Or through the portals of the tomb. Till our returning King shall come To take his exile captives home, O! what can buoy the spirits up? 'Tis this alone—the blessed hope.

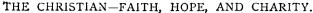
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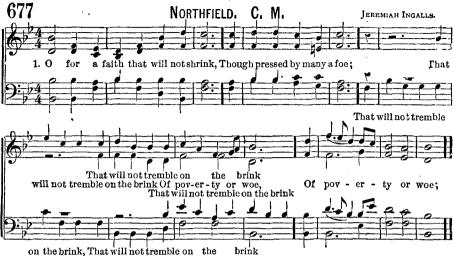
518, 749, 1 Away, my unbelieving fear! Fear shall in me no more have place: My Saviour doth not yet appear, He hides the brightness of his face; But shall I therefore let him go, And basely to the tempter yield? No, in the strength of Jesus, no; I never will give up my shield.

2 Although the vine its fruit deny, Although the olive yield no oil, The withering fig-trees droop and die, The fields elude the tiller's toil, The empty stall no herd afford, And perish all the bleating race; Yet I will triumph in the Lord, The God of my salvation praise.

3 Barren although my soul remain, And not one bud of grace appear, No fruit of all my toil and pain, But sin and only sin is here; Although my gifts and comforts lost, My blooming hopes cut off I see, Yet will I in my Saviour trust, And glory that he died for me. Charles Wesley.

Annie R. Smith.





- 2 That will not murmur or complain Beneath the chastening rod, But in the hour of grief or pain Can lean upon its God.
- 3 A faith that shines more bright and clear When tempests rage without; That when in danger knows no fear, In darkness feels no doubt;
- 4 That bears unmoved the world's dread frown,

Nor heeds its scornful smile; That sin's wild ocean cannot drown, Nor its soft arts beguile.

5 Lord, give me such a faith as this, And then, whate'er may come, I'll taste e'en here the hallowed bliss Of an eternal home.

William H. Bathurst.

678 201, 308.

- 1 REJOICE, believer, in the Lord,
 Who makes your cause his own;
 The hope that's built upon his word
 Shall ne'er be overthrown.
- 2 Though many foes beset your road, And feeble is your arm, Your life is hid with Christ in God, Beyond the reach of harm.
- 3 Weak as you are, you shall not faint, Or, fainting, shall not die; Jesus, the strength of every saint, Will aid you from on high.

- 4 Though now unseen by outward sense, Faith sees him always near,
 - A guide, a glory, a defense; What, then, have we to fear?
- 5 As surely as he overcame,
 And triumphed once for you,
 So surely you that love his name
 Shall triumph in him too.

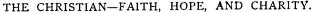
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679 395, 546.

- 1 How happy every child of grace, Who knows his sins forgiven! This earth, he cries, is not my place, I seek my place in heaven;
- A country far from mortal sight,
 Yet, O, by faith I see
 The land of rest, the saint's delight,
 The heaven prepared for me.
- 3 O what a blessed hope is ours!
 While here on earth we stay
 We more than taste the heavenly powers,
 And antedate that day.
- 4 We feel the resurrection near,
 Our life in Christ concealed,
 And with his glorious presence here
 Our earthen vessels filled.
- 5 On him with rapture I shall gaze,
 Who bought the bliss for me,
 And shout and wonder at his grace
 Through all eternity.

Charles Westey.

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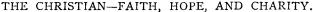
2 It points us to a land of rest, Where saints with Christ will reign; Where we shall meet the loved of earth, And never part again,—

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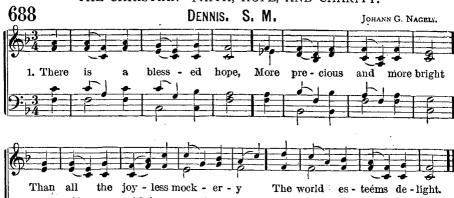
- 3 A land where sin can never come, Temptations ne'er annoy. Where happin as will ever dwell, And that without alloy.
- 4 O, how unlike the present world
 Will be the one to come!
 Here, pain and sorrow, care and fear,
 Attend where'er we roam;
- 5 In that bright world no tears will flow, Death ne'er an enter there; For all who gain that heavenly land Will be as angels are.
- 6 Fly, lingering moments, fly, O, fly,
 Dear Saviour, quickly come!
 We long to see thee as thou art,
 And reach that blissful home.

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 10 GIFT of gifts! O grace of faith!
 My God, how can it be
 That thou, who hast discerning love,
 Shouldst give that gift to me?
- 2 How many hearts thou mightst have had More innocent than mine! How many souls more worthy far Of that sweet touch of thine!
- 3 Ah, grace! into unlikeliest hearts
 It is thy boast to come,
 The glory of thy light to find
 In darkest spots a home.
- 4 The crowd of cares, the weightiest cross, Seem trifles less than light; Earth looks so little and so low When faith shines full and bright.
- 5 O, happy, happy that I am! If thou canst be, O Faith, The treasure that thou art in life, What wilt thou be in death!

Frederick Faber.







732, 558, 810.

- 2 There is a lovely star That lights the darkest gloom, And sheds a peaceful radiance o'er The prospects of the tomb.
- 3 There is a cheering voice
 That lifts the soul above,
 Dispels the painful, anxious doubt,
 And whispers, "God is love."
- 4 That voice from Calvary's hight
 Proclaims the soul forgiven;
 That star is revelation's light,
 That hope, the hope of heaven.

 Anon.

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558, 89, 814.

- 1 FAITH is the polar star
 That guides the Christian's way,
 Directs his wanderings from afar
 To realms of endless day:
- 2 Faith is the rain-bow's form

 Hung on the brow of heaven,
 The glory of the passing storm,
 The pledge of mercy given:
- 3 The Faith that works by love, And purifies the heart, A foretaste of the joys above To mortals can impart:
- 4 It guides us far from strife,
 Where'er our footsteps roam,
 And promises eternal life
 When we have reached our home.

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89, 558, 384.

- 1 Thou ever-present Aid
 In suffering and distress,
 The mind which still on thee is stayed,
 Is kept in perfect peace.
- 2 The soul by faith reclined
 Upon thy sheltering breast,
 'Mid raging storms exults to find
 An everlasting rest.
- 3 Sorrow and fear are gone,
 Whene'er thy face appears;
 It stills the sighing orphan's moan,
 And dries the widow's tears.
- 4 It hallows every cross;
 It sweetly comforts me,
 Makes me forget my every loss,
 And find my all in thee.
- 5 O God, to whom I fly, Do thou my wishes fill; What though created streams are dry? Thou art my fountain still.
- 6 Stripped of each earthly friend, I find them all in one; And peace and joy which never end, And heaven, in thee alone.
- 7 Here, then, I doubt no more,
 But in his pleasure rest
 Whose wisdom, love, and truth, and
 power,
 Engage to make me blest.

 Charles Wesley.

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2 I cannot, dare not, walk alone; The tempest rages in the sky, A thousand snares beset my feet, A thousand foes are lurking nigh: Still thou the raging of the sea, O Master! let me walk with thee.

3 If I may rest my hand in thine, I'll count the joys of earth but loss, And firmly, bravely journey on; I'll bear the banner of the cross Till Zion's glorious gates I see: Yet, Saviour, let me walk with thee. Mrs. L. D. A. Stuttle.

752234, 320.

- 1 The Lord my pasture shall prepare, And feed me with a shepherd's care; His presence shall my wants supply, And guard me with a watchful eye; My noonday walks he shall attend, And all my midnight hours defend.
- 2 When on the sultry glebe I faint, Or on the thirsty mountain pant, To fertile vales and dewy meads My weary, wandering steps he leads Where peaceful rivers, soft and slow, Amid the verdant landscape flow.
- 3. Though in the paths of death I tread, With gloomy horrors overspread, My steadfast heart shall fear no ill For thou, O Lord! art with me still; Thy friendly staff shall give me aid, And guide me through the dreadful shade. Joseph Addison.

234, 320.

1 Thou hidden Source of calm repose, Thou all-sufficient love divine, My help and refuge from my foes, Secure I am if thou art mine! And, lo! from sin and grief and shame I hide me, Jesus, in thy name.

2 Jesus, my all in all thou art, My rest in toil, my ease in pain, The healing of my broken heart;

In strife my peace, in loss my gain, My smile beneath the tyrant's frown, In shame my glory and my crown.

3 In want my plentiful supply, In weakness my almighty power,

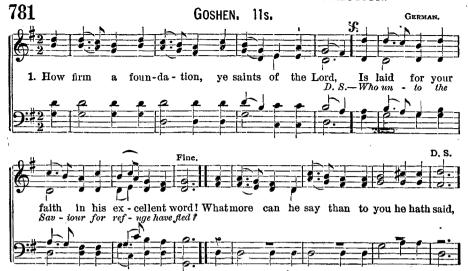
In bonds my perfect liberty, My light in Satan's darkest hour; No trouble can my soul appall: Thou art my life, my heaven, my all.

Charles Wesley

754 234, 320.

- 1 Forth from the dark and stormy sky, Lord, to thine altar's shade we fly; Forth from the world, its hope and fear, Saviour, we seek thy shelter here: Weary and weak, thy grace we pray; Turn not, O Lord! thy guests away.
- 2 Long have we roamed in want and pain, Long have we sought thy rest in vain; Burdened with doubt, in darkness lost, Long have our souls been tempest-tossed. Low at thy feet our sins we lay; Turn not, O Lord! thy guests away. Reginald Heber.

THE CHRISTIAN-GUIDANCE AND PROTECTION.



. 783, 512.

2 "Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dismayed;

For I am thy God, and will still give thee

I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause

thee to stand, Upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.

3 "When through the deep waters I call thee

The rivers of sorrow shall not overflow;
For I will be with thee, thy troubles to

And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.

4 "When through fiery trials thy pathway shall lie,

My grace all-sufficient shall be thy supply;

The flame shall not hurt thee; I only design

Thy dross to consume, and thy gold to refine.

5 "The soul that on Jesus doth lean for repose, I will not, I will not, desert to his foes; That soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,

I'll never—no never—no never forsake."

George Keith.

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788, 512.

1 Though faint, yet pursuing, we go on our way;

The Lord is our Leader, his word is our stay;

Though suffering, and sorrow, and trials be near,

The Lord is our Refuge, and whom can we fear?

2 Heraiseth the fallen, he cheereth the faint; The weak, and oppressed, he will hear their complaint;

The way may be weary, and thorny the road, But how can we falter?—our help is in God!

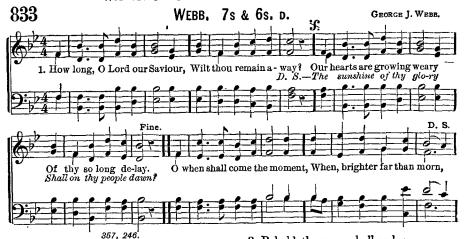
3 And to his green pastures our footsteps he leads,

His flock in the desert how kindly he feeds!
The lambs in his bosom he tenderly bears,
And brings back the wanderers all safe
from the snares.

4 Though clouds may surround us, our God is our light;

Though storms rage around us, our God is our might;

So, faint yet pursuing, still onward we come: The Lord is our Leader, and heaven is our home!



2 How long, O gracious Master, Wilt thou thy household leave? So long hast thou now tarried; Few thy return believe. Immersed in sloth and folly, Thy servants, Lord, we see; And few of us stand ready With joy to welcome thee.

3 O, wake thy slumbering people: Send forth the solemn cry; Let all the saints repeat it,-"The Saviour draweth nigh!" May all our lamps be burning, Our loins well girded be, Each longing heart preparing With joy thy face to see.

Anon.

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357, 246.

 THE world is very evil, The times are waxing late; Be sober and keep vigil; The Judge is at the gate,— The Judge who comes in mercy, The Judge who comes with might,-Who comes to end the evil,

Who comes to crown the right. 2 Arise, arise, good Christian, Let right to wrong succeed; Let penitential sorrow To heavenly gladness lead,— To light that has no evening, That knows no moon nor sun,-The light so new and golden, The light that is but one.

3 Behold the morn shall waken, And shadows shall decay, And each true-hearted servant Shall shine as does the day; And God, our King and Portion, In fullness of his grace, Shall we behold forever, And worship face to face. John M. Neale.

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357, 415.

1 Office the robes of whiteness! O for the tearless eyes!

O for the glorious brightness Of the unclouded skies!

O for the no more weeping, Within that land of love, The endless joy of keeping

The bridal feast above!

2 O for the bliss of flying, My risen Lord to meet!

O for the rest of lying Forever at his feet!

O for the hour of seeing My Saviour face to face!

The hope of ever being In that sweet meeting-place!

3 Jesus, thou King of Glory, I soon shall dwell with thee; I soon shall sing the story

Of thy great love to me: Meanwhile, my thoughts shall enter E'en now before thy throne,

That all my love may center In thee, and thee alone.

C. L. Smith.





- 2 With him, I-on Zion shall stand, For Jesus has spoken the word; The breadth of Immanuel's land, Survey, by the side of my Lord. But when, on thy bosom reclined, Thy face I am strengthened to see, My fullness of rapture I find, My heaven of heavens, in thee.
- 3 How happy the people whose home Is found in the city of God! As pilgrims no more they shall roam, Nor travel a dangerous road. Physician divine, unto me Thy soul-healing blessing now give, And keep me while waiting for thee, And then to that city receive.

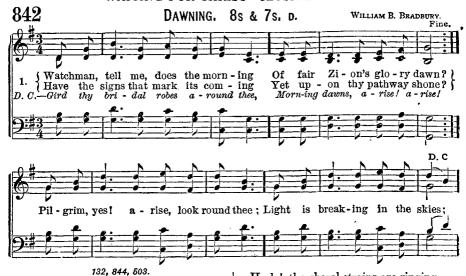
Charles Wesley

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- 1 Away with our sorrow and fear! We soon shall recover our home; The city of saints shall appear, The day of eternity come. From earth we shall quickly remove, And mount to our promised abode,-The house of our Father above, The palace of angels and God.
- 2 By faith we already behold That lovely Jerusalem here; Her walls are of jasper and gold, As crystal her buildings are clear. Immovably founded in grace, She stands as she ever has stood; And soon, at the end of our race, We'll rest in that city of God.

Charles Wesley.

WAITING FOR CHRIST-CLOSING WORK.



- 2 Watchman, see, the light is beaming Brighter still upon thy way; Signs through all the earth are gleaming, Omens of the coming day When the Jubal trumpet, sounding, Shall awake from earth and sea All the saints of God, now sleeping, Clad in immortality.
- 3 Watchman, hail the light ascending
 Of the grand, Sabbatic year;
 All with voices loud proclaiming
 That the kingdom now is near:
 Pilgrim, yes, I see just yonder,
 Canaan's glorious hights arise;
 Salem, too, appears in grandeur,
 Towering 'neath its sunlit skies
- 4 Watchman, in the golden city,
 Seated on his jasper throne,
 Zion's King, arrayed in beauty,
 Reigns in peace from zone to zone:
 There on sunlit hills and mountains,
 Golden beams serenely glow;
 Purling streams and crystal fountains,
 On whose banks sweet flow'rets blow.
- 5 Watchman, see, the land is nearing, With its vernal fruits and flowers; On, just yonder,—O how cheering! Bloom forever Eden's bowers.

Hark! the choral strains are ringing,
Wafted on the balmy air,
See the millions, hear them singing,
Soon the pilgrim will be there.
Sidney S. Brewer.

844, 501, 412.

1 Gracious Father, guard thy children
From the foe's destructive power;
Save, O save them, Lord, from falling
In this dark and trying hour.
Thou wilt surely prove thy people,
All our graces must be tried;
But thy word illumes our pathway,
And in God we still confide.

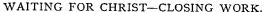
- 2 We are in the time of waiting;
 Soon we shall behold our Lord,
 Wafted far away from sorrow,
 To receive our rich reward.
 Keep us. Lord, till thine appearin.
 - Keep us, Lord, till thine appearing, Pure, unspotted from the world; Let thy Holy Spirit cheer us Till thy banner is unfurled.
- 3 With what joyful exultation
 Shall the saints thy banner see,
 When the Lord for whom we've waited
 Shall proclaim the Jubilee!
 Freedom from this world's pollutions;
 Freedom from all sin and pain;
 Freedom from the wiles of Satan,
 And from death's destructive reign.

WAITING FOR CHRIST-CLOSING WORK.



844, 501.

- 2 Christian, rouse and arm for conflict, Nerve thee for the battle-field; Bear the helmet of salvation, And the mighty gospel shield; Let the breastplate, peace, be on thee, Take the Spirit's sword in hand; Boldly, fearlessly, go forth then, In Jehovah's strength to stand.
- 3 Wicked spirits gather round thee,
 Legions of those foes to God—
 Principalities most mighty—
 Walk unseen the earth abroad;
 They are gathering to the battle,
 Strengthened for the last deep strife;
 Christian, arm! be watchful, ready,
 Struggle manfully for life.
- 4 And the prince of evil spirits,
 Great deceiver of the world!
 He who at the blessed Jesus
 Once his deadly weapons hurled,
 Cometh with unwonted power,
 Knowing that his reign will cease
 When the kingdom shall be given
 To the mighty Prince of peace.
- 5 Christian, rouse! fight in this warfare,
 Cease not till the victory's won;
 Till your Captain loud proclaimeth,
 "Servant of the Lord, well done!"
 He, alone, who thus is faithful,
 Who abideth to the end,
 Hath the promise, in the kingdom
 An eternity to spend.





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F. E. Belden.



2 And when that bright morning In splendor shall dawn, Our tears will be ended, Our sorrows all gone.

We cannot be mistaken;

3 The Bridegroom from glory To earth shall descend, Ten thousand bright angels Around him attend.

4 The graves will be opened, The saints will arise, And with the Redeemer Mount up to the skies.

5 The saints, then immortal, In glory shall reign; The Bride with the Bridegroom Forever remain.



2 Tell, O tell us, are the landmarks
On our voyage all passed by?
Are we nearing now the haven?
Can we e'en the land descry?
Do we truly
See the heavenly kingdom nick

844, 132.

See the heavenly kingdom nigh?

3 Light is beaming, day is coming!

Let us sound aloud the cry;

We behold the day-star rising

Pure and bright in yonder sky!

Saints, be joyful;

Your redemption draweth nigh.

4 We have found the chart and compass,
And are sure the land is near;
Onward, onward we are hasting,
Soon the haven will appear;
Let your voices
Sound aloud your holy cheer.

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857, 132.

1 Lift your heads, ye friends of Jesus,
Partners in his patience here;
Christ, to all believers precious,
Lord of lords shall soon appear.
Mark the tokens
Of his heavenly kingdom near.

Of his heavenly kingdom near.

2 Yes, the prize shall soon be given;
We his open face shall see;
Love, the earnest of our heaven,
Love our full reward shall be;
Love shall crown us
Kings through all eternity.

Charles Wesley.

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844, 857.

1 O'en the distant mountain breaking,
Comes the reddening dawn of day;
Rise, my soul, from sleep awaking,

Rise, and sing, and watch, and pray;
'T is the Saviour

On his bright returning way.

2 O thou long-expected, weary
Waits my anxious soul for thee;
Life is dark, and earth is dreary
Where thy light I do not see:
O my Saviour,
When wilt thou return to me?

3 Long, too long, in sin and sadness,
Far away from thee I pine;
When, O when, shall I the gladness
Of thy Spirit feel in mine?
O my Saviour,
When shall I be wholly thine?

4 Nearer is my soul's salvation,
Spent the night, the day at hand;
Keep me in my lowly station,
Watching for thee, till I stand,
O my Saviour,
In thy bright and promised land.

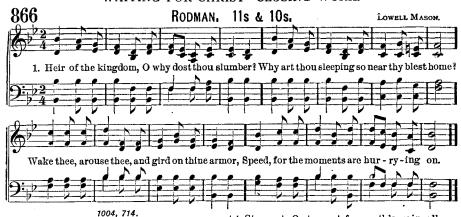
5 With my lamp well-trimmed and burning. Swift to hear, and slow to roam, Watching for thy glad returning. To restore me to my home; Come, my Saviour, O my Saviour, quickly come!

my Saviour, quickly come!

Yohn S. B. Monsell.

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WAITING FOR CHRIST-CLOSING WORK.



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How canst thou tarry in sight of the prize? Up, and adorn thee, the Saviour is coming; Haste to receive him descending the skies.

3 Earth's mighty nations, in strife and commotion,

Tremble with terror, and sink in dismay; Listen, 't is naught but the chariot's loud rumbling

Heir of the kingdom, no longer delay.

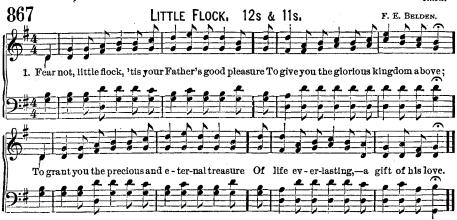
2 Heir of the kingdom, say, why dost thou 4 Stay not, O stay not for earth's vain allurements!

See how its glory is passing away;

Break the strong fetters the foe hath bound o'er thee;

Heir of the kingdom, turn, turn thee away. 5 Keep the eye single, the head upward lifted; Watch for the glory of earth's coming King; Lo! o'er the mountain-tops light is now breaking:

Heirs of the kingdom, rejoice ye and sing. Anon.



971, 425.

2 No more shall ye suffer for Christ, tribulation, No more shall ye rudely be scattered and torn;

Your trials and sorrows, your fears and temptations,

Will shortly be over; no more shall ye mourn.

3 Earth has not the bliss which in heaven is offered.

And knows not the joys that await all the blest:

The saints are the heirs to the kingdom that's proffered,-

The kingdom of righteousness, kingdom of rest.

4 Then fear not, ye flock, for your Shepherd, returning,

Shall gather his sheep in his heavenly fold; Shall lead you in pastures for which ye are vearning.

And shelter you safe in the city of gold. F. E. Belden.

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WAITING FOR CHRIST-CLOSING WORK.



2 Glad tidings! glad tidings! the kingdom | 3 Glad tidings! glad tidings! the kingdom is near;

On the plains of fair Canaan we soon shall appear;

There with harps tuned celestial our voices we'll raise

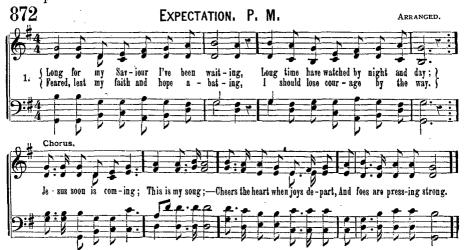
To the Lord, our Redeemer, in accents of praise.

is near;

Then rejoice, ye sad exiles, and be of good

Lo! the promised possession we soon shall

And with Jesus in glory eternally live.



2 Here in this vale of sin and sorrow I have been wandering many years, Still looking for that happy morrow When God would wipe away my tears.

3 Ofttimes the tempter comes in power, Fain then would lead my steps astray; But when the clouds begin to lower, Hope turns the darkness into day.

4 O it will be but little longer I must these many woes endure; Then let my faith and hope grow stronger; My Father's promise still is sure.

Anon



OAKLEY. C. M. D.

WILLIAM H. OAKLEY.



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When tossed upon the waves of life,
With fear on every side,
When fiercely howls the gathering storm,
And foams the angry tide,
Beyond the storm, beyond the gloom,
Breaks forth the light of morn,
Bright beaming from my Father's house,

To cheer the soul forlorn.

3 In that pure home of tearless joy
Earth's parted friends shall meet,
With smiles of love that never fade,
And blessedness complete.
There, there adieus are sounds unknown;
Death frowns not on that scene,
But life and glorious beauty shine,
Untroubled and serene.

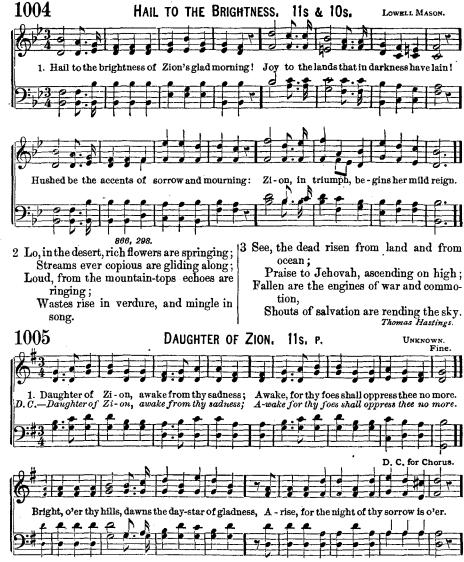
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THERE is a city, fair and bright,
 That eye hath never seen,
 Where ever dwelleth pure delight,
 And heavenly praise serene.

High walls of precious gems and gold Secure from every ill; Unheard-of bliss and joys untold Within its borders dwell.

- 2 There living waters ceaseless flow From out the heavenly throne; There fairest fruits perennial grow, And want is never known. Nor sun by day nor moon by night This heavenly city needs, But glory sheds a crystal light That never wanes nor fades.
- 3 Nor sin nor sorrow cometh there,
 Nor ever death nor pain,
 In love abiding, free from care,
 The saints forever reign.
 Among the many mansions there,
 O, is there one for me?
 Dear Lord, an humble place prepare,
 That I may dwell with thee.

REWARD OF SAINTS.



subdued them,

And scattered their legions, was mightier far;

They fled like the chaff from the scourge that pursued them;

In vain were their steeds and their chariots of war.

2 Strong were thy foes; but the arm that |3 Daughter of Zion, the power that hath saved thee,

> Extolled with the harp and the timbrel shall be:

Shout; for the foe is destroyed that enslaved thee,

The oppressor is vanquished, and Zion is free.

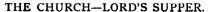
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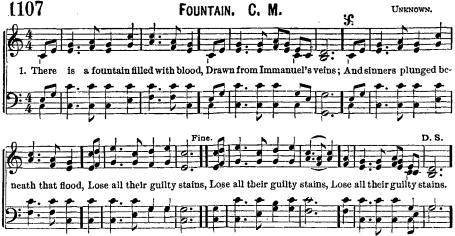


2 Work, for the night is coming, Work through the sunny noon; Fill brightest hours with labor; Rest comes sure and soon. Give every flying minute Something to keep in store; Work, for the night is coming, When man works no more.

Work, for the night is coming
Under the sunset skies;
While their bright tints are glowing,
Work, for daylight flies.
Work till the last beam fadeth,—
Fadeth to shine no more;
Work while the night is darkening,
When man's work is o'er.

Sidney Dyer.





- 179. 395. 531.
- 2 The dying thief rejoiced to see That fountain in his day; And there may I, though vile as he, Wash all my sins away.
- 3 Thou dying Lamb! thy precious blood Shall never lose its power, Till all the ransomed Church of God Are saved, to sin no more.
- 4 E'er since by faith I saw the stream
 Thy flowing wounds supply,
 Redeeming love has been my theme,
 And shall be till I die.
- 5 Lord, I believe thou hast prepared, Unworthy though I be, For me a blood-bought, free reward, A golden harp for me!
- 6 There in a nobler, sweeter song,
 I'll sing thy power to save,
 When this poor lisping, stammering tongue
 Is ransomed from the grave.
 William Cowper.

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114, 895, 176.

- Behold God's own exalted Son, Adored by seraphs bright, A servant now to men become, With men he takes delight.
- 2 Admiring angels wondering view
 The condescending love
 Of him to whom their homage due
 Was offered once above.

- 3 Because he loves, he condescends
 To wash his brethren's feet;
 And leaves example to his friends
 Of lowliness complete.
- 4 Who would reject his offered grace?
 Refuse to bow the knee?
 Disdain to take the humble place,
 Where he has deigned to be?
- 5 Let all who would be like their Lord,
 Accepted in his sight,
 Not only hear, but do his word;
 In doing there's delight.

R. F. Cottrell.

1109 179, 201. 364,

- 1 Behold the Lord of earth and sky
 With his poor followers meet!
 He girds himself as they wait by,
 To humbly wash their feet!
- 2 Didst thou, dear Lord, perform this task For men so low as we? While we obey, by faith we ask To have a part with thee.
- 3 Why should we blush thy will to do?
 Or shrink from following thee?
 We would the sacred scene renew
 Of thy humility.
- 4 Thy blessed promise we would claim, As now we humbly ask That thy sweet grace may in us frame True meekness for our task.



2 I asked the warrior on the field: This was his soul-inspiring song:

"With courage, bold, the sword I'll wield, The battle is not long.

Then weep no more, but well endure The conflict, till thy work is done; For this we know, the prize is sure, When victory is won."

3 I asked again: earth, sea, and sun Seemed, with one voice, to make reply: "Time's wasting sands are nearly run,

Eternity is nigh. Then weep no more—with warning tones, Portentous signs are thickening round, The whole creation, waiting, groans,

To hear the trumpet sound. 4 Not far from home! O blessed thought! The traveler's lonely heart to cheer;

Which oft a healing balm has brought, And dried the mourner's tear.

Then weep no more, since we shall meet Where weary footsteps never roam— Our trials past, our joys complete, Safe in our Father's home.

Annie R. Smith.

1 A THRILLING cry—we hear the sound; The faithful watchmen lift their voice; From land to land the world around-It bids the saints rejoice:

Ye pilgrims, rise, break forth and sing The glorious coming of your King; The thrilling cry—we hear it sound, "Prepare to meet your Lord."

2 Blow, watchmen, blow the certain sound, For dark and dangerous is the night;

And daring scoffers gather round-The evil servants smite.

Ye faithful ones the strict watch keep, With lamps well trimmed, and do not sleep-The thrilling cry, we hear it sound, "Prepare to meet your Lord."

3 In earth's dark hour God's word gives light, ' Its rays dispel the thickening gloom:

The path to glory now is bright-The Bridegroom soon will come. Then lift your voices, saints, and sing Your sweetest strains to Zion's King-The thrilling cry-we hear it sound,

"Prepare to meet your Lord."



He will save you just now; Just now he will save you, He will save you just now.

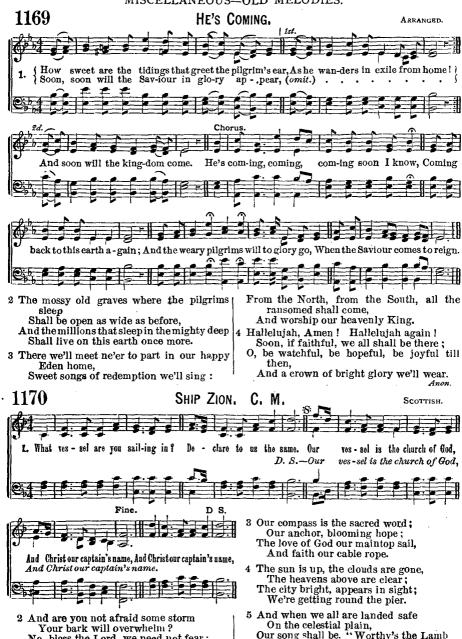
3 He is able, he is able, He is able just now; Just now he is able, He is able just now.

He is waiting just now; Just now he is waiting, He is waiting just now.

5 He will bless you, he will bless you, He will bless you just now; Just now he will bless you. He will bless you just now.

Anon.

MISCELLANEOUS-OLD MELODIES.



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For rebel sinners slain."

Inon.

No. bless the Lord, we need not fear; Our Father's at the helm.

SPECIAL DEPARTMENT.

(BIBLE SONGS.)



1 WILL SING OF JESUS' LOVE.

"I will sing of thy power; yea, I will sing aloud of thy mercy."—Ps. 59:16. "In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace."—Eph. 1:7.



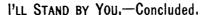


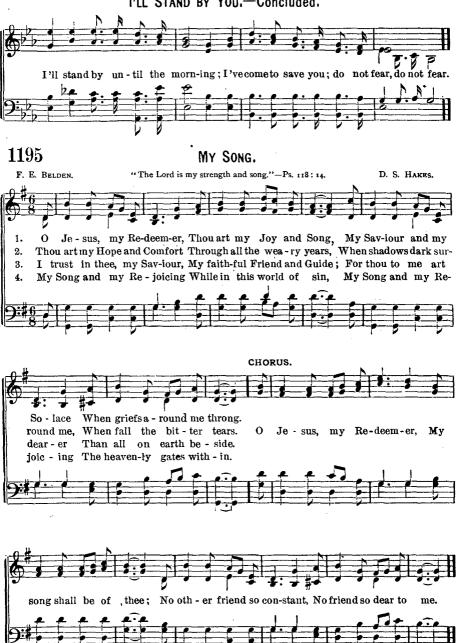
I'LL STAND BY YOU.

"Then they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, and he bringeth them out of their distresses. He maketh the storm a calm, so that the waves thereof are still. So he bringeth them into their desired haven."—Ps. 109: 28-30.



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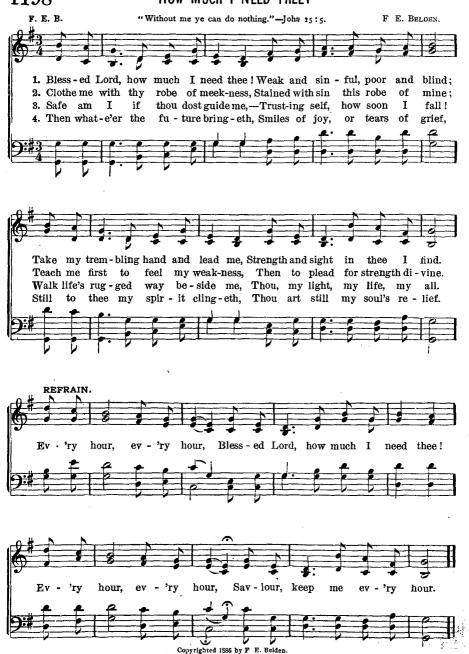
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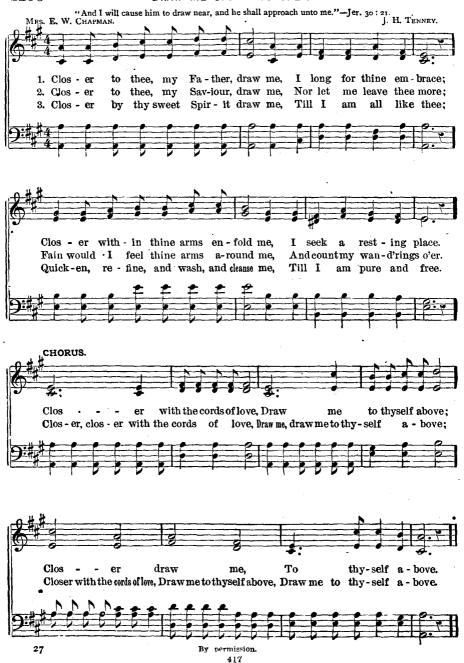
THE LORD IS MY LIGHT.



How Much I NEED THEE!



DRAW ME CLOSER TO THEE.



IN THE SHADOW OF THE CROSS.

"An hiding place from the wind, and a covert from the tempest; as rivers of water in a dry place, as the shadow of a great rock in a weary land."—Isa. 32: 1.



SHADOW OF THE CROSS.—Concluded,





I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."—John 3:16.



"Rejoice because your names are written in heaven."—Luke 10 20. "He that overcometh, the same shall be clothed in white raiment, and I will not blot out his name out of the book of life, but I will confess his name before my Father and before his angels."—Rev. 3:5. "And whosoever was not found written in the book of life, was cast into the lake of fire."—Rev. 20:15.



THE ROCK THAT IS HIGHER. "From the end of the earth will I cry unto thee, when my heart is overwhelmed; lead me to the Rock that is higher than 1."—Ps. 61; 2. W. G. FISCHER. E. JOHNSON. sometimes the shadows are deep, And rough seems the path to the goal; 1. sometimes how long seems the day, And some - times how heav-y my feet; 0 to the Rock let me keep, Or bless - ings or sor-rows pre-vail; near 3. And sor-rows, how oft - en they sweep Like tem-pests down o - ver the soul!

But toil - ing in life's dust - y way, The Rock's bless-ed shad-ow, how sweet!

Or climb-ing the mount-ain way steep, Or walk - ing the shad - ow - y vale. But CHORUS. the Rock ñу, then let me let me fly,- To the high - er than then the is high than I;

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me fly,-To the Rock that is high - er than I.

me fly,

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CLINGING AND RESTING.

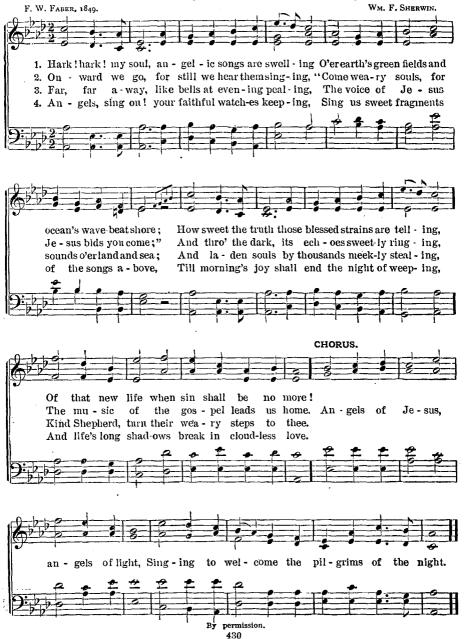




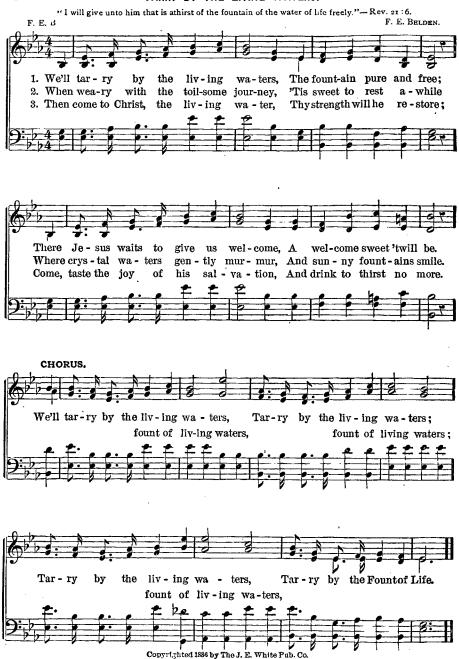
1210 BUILD ON THE ROCK. "Whosoever heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them, I will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock: and the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell not: for it was founded upon a rock."—Matt. 7:24, 25. F. E. B. F. E. BELDEN. 1. We'll build on the Rock, the liv-ing Rock, On Je-sus, the Rock of A-ges; 2. Some build on the sink-ing sands of life, On vis-ions of earth-ly treas-ure; build on the Rock for - ev - er sure, The firm and the true foun-da-tion; a - bide the fear - ful shock, When loud the tem-pest ra - ges. So shall Some build on the waves of sin and strife, Of fame, and world-ly pleas-ure. the hope which shall en-dure, The hope of our sal-va-tion. Its hope CHORUS. on the Rock, We'll build on the Rock; We'll build on the Rock, on the sol-id Rock, We'll build on the Rock, on the sol-id Rock; We'll build on the Rock, on the sol - id Rock, On Christ, the might - y Rock.

HARK! HARK! MY SOUL.

"And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."—Luke 2:13, 14.



TARRY BY THE LIVING WATERS.



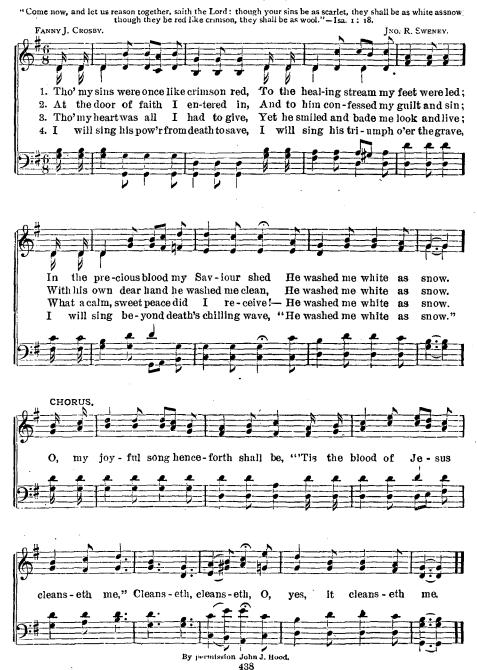


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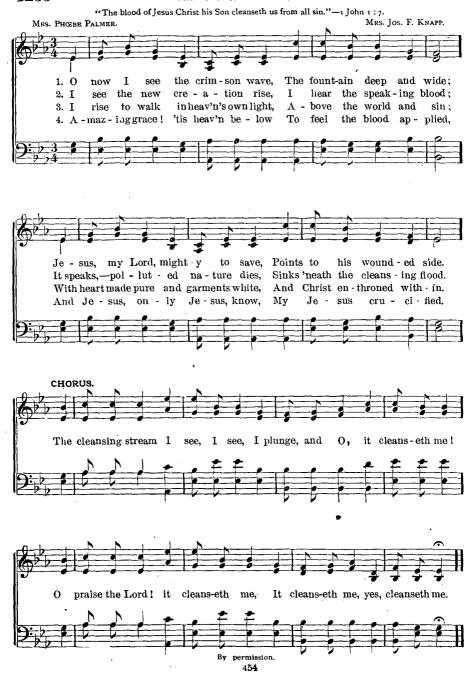




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THE CLEANSING WAVE.



ASK NOT TO BE EXCUSED.

"A certain man made a great supper, and bade many: and sent his servant at supper time to say to their that were bidden, Come; for all things are now ready. And they all with one consent began to make excuse.

* * So that servant came, and showed his lord these things. Then the master of the house, being angry, said his servant, Go out quickly into the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in hither the poor and the maimed, and the halt, and the blind. * * For I say unto you, That none of those men which were bidden shall taste of my supper."—Luke 14:16-24.

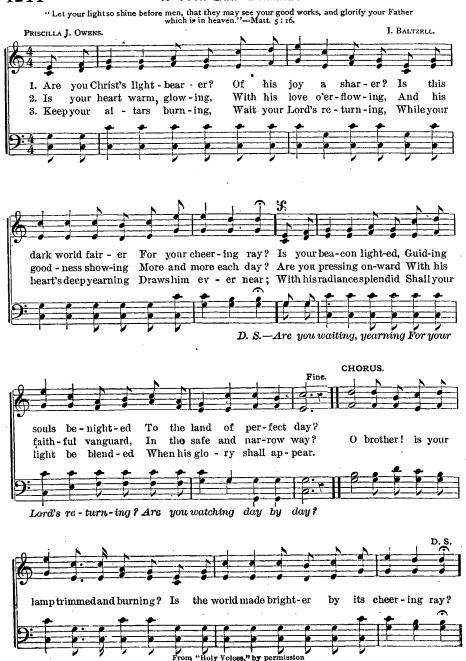




a - bused, Thou art excused from heav'n.

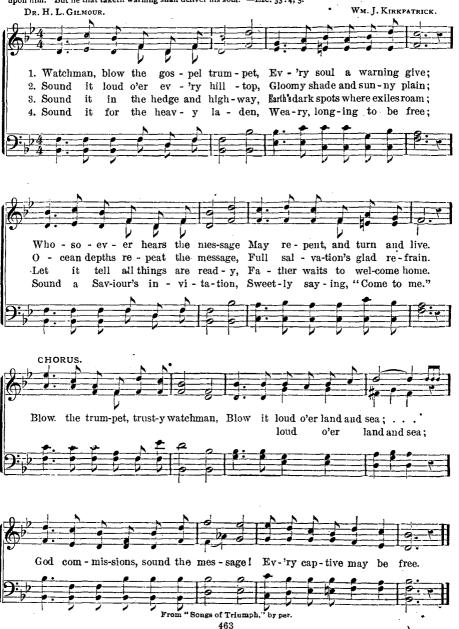
Thou hast my love

IS YOUR LAMP BURNING?



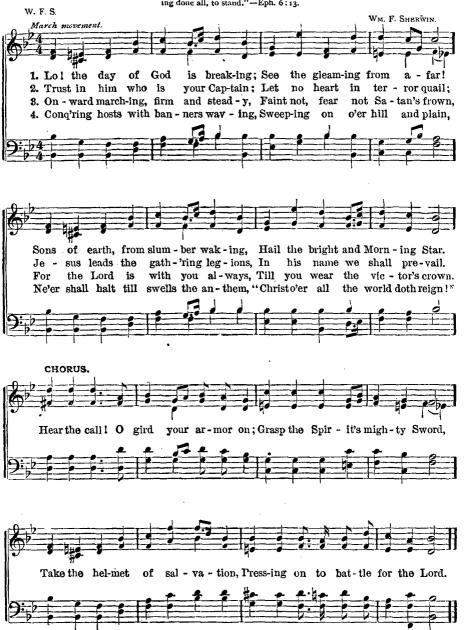
BLOW THE TRUMPET.

"Whosoever heareth the sound of the trumpet, and taketh not warning; if the sword come and take him away, his blood shall be upon his own head. He heard the sound of the trumpet, and took not warning; his blood shall be upon him. But he that taketh warning shall deliver his soul."—Eze. 33:4, 5.



HEAR THE CALL.

"Wherefore take unto you the whole armor of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand."—Eph. 6:13.





LIFT HIM UP.





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WATCH AND PRAY.



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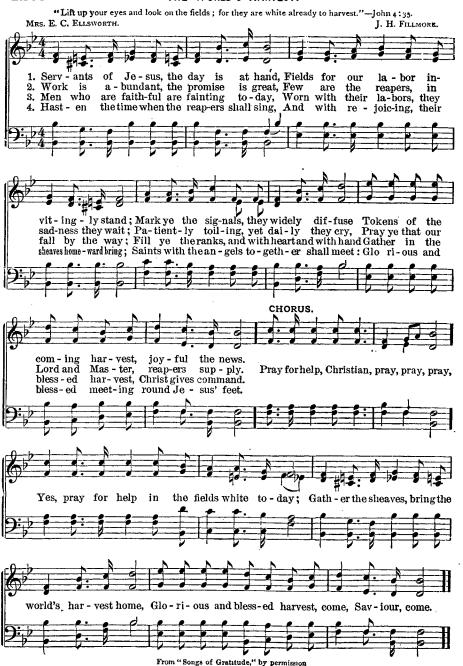
HARVEST TIME.







THE WORLD'S HARVEST.





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3 But none of the ransomed ever knew
How deep were the waters crossed,
Nor how dark was the night that the Lord
passed through

Ere he found his sheep that was lost. Far out in the desert he heard its cry,— Fainting and helpless and ready to die.

4 "Lord, whence are these blood drops all the

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That mark out the mountain's track?"

"They were shed for one who had gone astray, Ere the Shepherd could bring him back."

"Tord, why are thy hands so rent and torn?"
"They are pierced to-night by many a thorn."

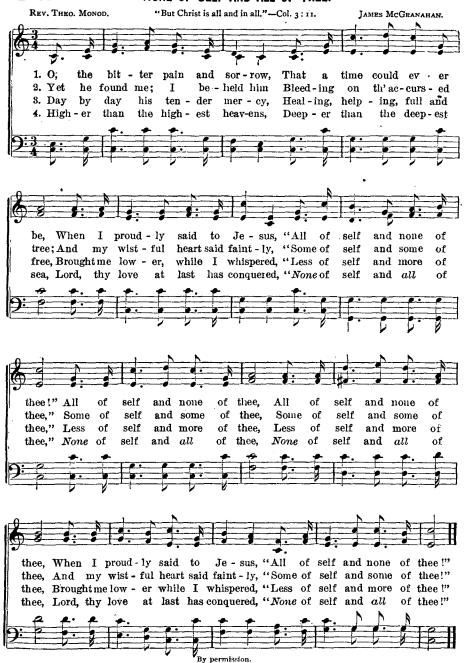
5 But all through the mountains, thunder-riven, And up from the rocky steep,

There rose a cry to the gate of heaven, "Rejoice, I have found my sheep!" And the angels sang around the throne,

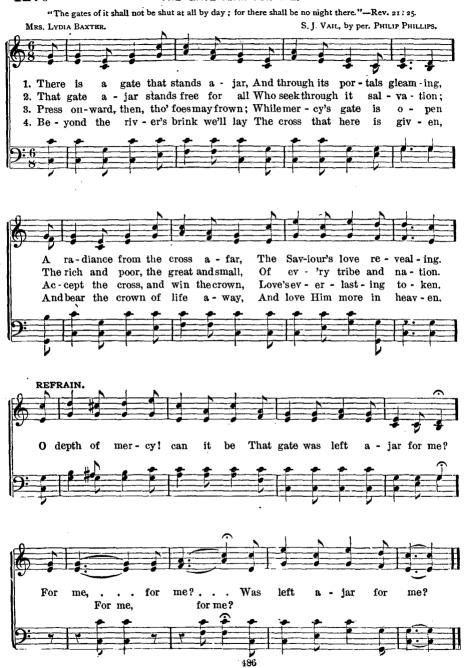
"Rejoice for the Lord brings back his own!"



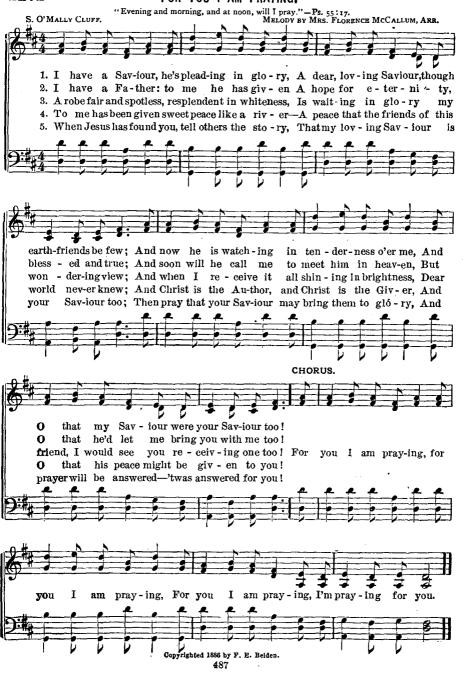
"None of Self and all of Thee."



THE GATE AJAR FOR ME.



FOR YOU I AM PRAYING.





LOOK AND LIVE.

"And the Lord said unto Moses, Make thee a fiery serpent, and set it upon a pole: and it shall come to pass that every one that is bitten, when he looketh upon it, shall live."—Num. 21:8.



1276 NOTHING FOR JESUS. "Jesus said unto him, If thou wilt be perfect, go and sell that thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven; and come and follow me. But when the young man heard that saying, he went away sorrowful: for he had great possessions."—Matt. 19:21, 22.
MRS. MARY D. JAMES.

W. J. KIRKPATRICK. 1. Crowd-ed your heart with cares, Have you room for Je - sus ? is no all your pre-cious hours, Have you work for Je - sus? 2. Wast-ing 3. Seek - ing earth's pos - ses - sions fair, Have you time for Je - sus? no on - ly worth-less leaves. Have you Je-sus? 4. Bear - ing no fruit for Capt-ured by earth's gild - ed snares, Have you room for Je - sus? no Spend-ing those God - giv - en pow'rs, Have you no work for Je - sus? None for gra-cious deeds to spare, Have you no time for Je - sus? your hands no pre-cious sheaves, Have you fruit for Je - sus? no Lo! he's stand-ing at your door, Knock-ing, knock-ing, o'er and o'er; to con - quer sin, Seek - ing not a soul to Striv-ing not win. Seek - ing, grasp-ing toys like these. World-ly pleasures, wealth, and ease, Naught your la - bor to store wav. Not a grain re - pay, Je - sus? Hear him plead-ing ev - er - more; Have you no room wan - d'rer in; Have you no work for Je-sus? Bring-ing not a

From "Songs of Triumph," by per.

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THE WATERS ARE TROUBLED.—Concluded. step come in your sin; The wa-ters are troubled: Step in, life you may win? The wa-ters are troubled: Step step in, O in! The wa-ters are troubled: Step strug-gles with - in; 0 in, step in! 1285 NOT FAR FROM THE KINGDOM. "Now is the accepted time, now is the day of salvation." -2 Cor. 6:2. WARREN W. BENTLEY. ENGLISH. Not far, not far from the king-dom, Yet in the shad-ow Not far, not far from the gate-way Where voic-es whis-per They catch the strains of the mu - sic That floats so sweet-ly They'rein the dark and the dan - ger, They'rein the night and and wait: a - long; the cold, go - ing, How few are bold - ly, They lin - ger sing - ing, Yet join - ing lead them So kind - ly How ma-ny are com-ing and en - ter - ing in! But fear-ing to en - ter in still at the gate. Tho'knowing the song they are not in the song. fold. Tho' Je - sus is long - ing to his in - to CHORUS. Yet ling - er - ing still the far from the king-dom, at Not far. gate-way; O wait not to get near - er, But en - ter while you may.

By permission. 499 1286 THERE'S ROOM FOR YOU TO ANCHOR. "In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so I would have told you; I go to prepare a place for you."—John 14:2. (DUET, OR QUARTETTE.) F. E. B. F. E. BELDEN. Tenderly. cres. Within the port of 1. There's room for you to anchor rest, Wheretem-pests all are 2. There's room for you to anchor; The ship is waiting now,—The ship of God's pre-3. The same dear friends shall meet us That we have loved be-low; The same sweet voi-ces heav -ing, swelling bil-lows, Bear onward to my home! Be - yond these drear - y - ver, And calms no more mo - lest; Howsweetto wea-ry voya-gers, This 0 ask nor How. His boundless love and mer - cy par - ing, not Why No greet us the long As in Then hush! ye murm'ring wa - ters, Υe a - go. headlands I see its shin - ing dome. There, there my faint-ing spir - it No dim. heav'n. pre-cious prom-ise givin: There's room for you to an - chor Safe in tongue can ev - er tell,---Ιf you but trust his prom-ise, Allis well. tempests, cease to blow! 1 al - most hear the mu - sic Soft and low. Tis there I hope to more for restshall sigh; an - chor By and by. REFRAIN. mf There's room (for you), there's room (for you); There's room (for you), there's dim. room (for you). There's room for you Safe to an - chor in heav'n.

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SOMETHING FOR JESUS.









WHAT CAN I DO FOR THEE?—Concluded.



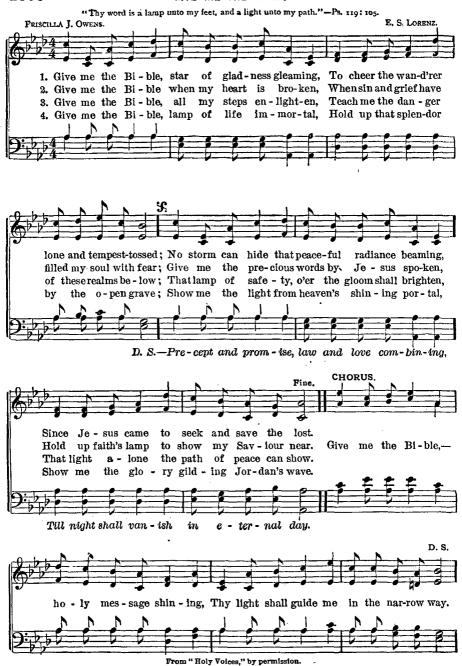




WHO IS ON THE LORD'S SIDE?



GIVE ME THE BIBLE.



BLESSED ARE THEY THAT DO.



BLESSED ARE THEY THAT DO.

"Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city."—Rev. 22:14.

"Think not that I am come to destroy the law. * * Till heaven and earth pass, one jot or one tittle shall in no wise pass from the law, till all be fulfilled. Whosoever therefore shall break one of these least commandments, and shall teach men so, he shall be called the least in the kingdom of heaven: but whosoever shall do and teach them, the same shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven."—Matt. 5:17-19.



1305 WHAT SAYS THE BIBLE? "In vain do they worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men."—Matt. 15:9.
"To the law and to the testimony: if they speak not according to this word, it is because there is no light in them."—Isa. 8:20.

F. E. B. Bi - ble? 1. What says the Bi - ble, the bless - ed This should my 2. Few ev - er stud - y the law e - ter - nal, Few ev er 3. How will you Je - sus' com - ing-Ye who an - swer. at Jely question be; mis-lead us, Teachings of men so oft - en to know or do; Yet there are some who try to improve it, - vah's law con - strue? Can you re - ply, "I've kept the commandments"? ho **CHORUS** What says the book of God to me ? What says the Bi - ble? few cán Touch-ing the fourth commandment too. An - swer the ques - tion, each of you. stud - y tell; What says the Bi - ble? it well. Keep the commandments, the ten commandments, Look for the

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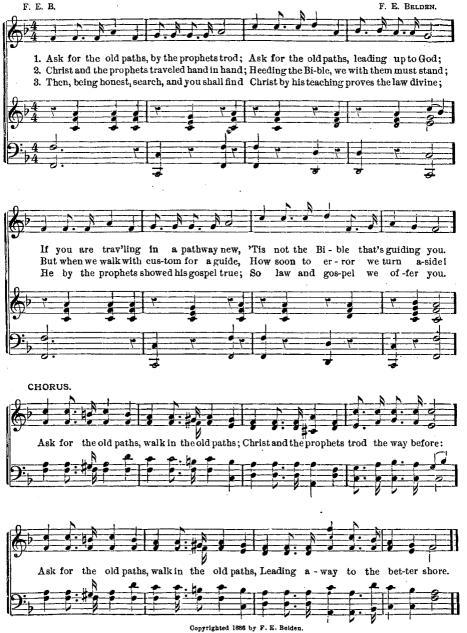
com - ing Sav-iour too.



1308 TO OBEY IS BETTER THAN SACRIFICE. "Hath the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices as in obeying the voice of the Lord? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams."—I Sam. 15: 22. F. E. B. F. E. BELDEN. 1. To o - bey is better than sac-ri-fice, the Lord hath said; To heark-en when he com-2. All ye who say, "There is naught to do since Christ doth save," Re-mem-ber what he comblest; 'Tis well to hear and be-3. Re - member on-ly the do-ers of the word are CHORUS. mandeth, than an of-f'ring made. Turn to the Lord, and he will be gracious, mands you in the Book he gave. to lieve it, but dois best. Walk in the of his commandments. To o-bey is hetter than sac-ri-fice, the way Lord hath said; To heark-en when he com-mand-eth, than an of-f'ring made.

ASK FOR THE OLD PATHS.

"Thus saith the Lord, Stand ye in the ways, and see, and ask for the old paths, where is the good way, and walk therein, and ye shall find rest for your souls. But they said, We will not walk therein."—Jer. 6: 16.



THE FAITHFUL THREE.





ARE YOU DOERS OF THE WORD?



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CHRIST RETURNETH.

"For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first. Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air; and so shall we ever be with the Lord."—1 Thess. 4: 16, 17.



WHEN THE KING COMES IN.

"Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world."—Matt. 25: 34. REV. E. S. LORENZ, J. E. LANDOR. the King are we, Sit-ting, per-haps, where his 1. Called to the feast by the head where the thorns have been, 2. Crowns on Glo - ri - fied he who once 3. Like lightning's flash will that in stant show Things hid-den long from both in white wed-ding 4. Joy - ful his eye shall on each one rest Who is the sad sep - a - ra - tion then, Bit - ter the cry of 5. End - less dewe im-plore thee, grace, a - wait thee each 6. Lord, grant us all. So to with be; How will it fare, friend, thee and me died for men; Splen - did the vis ion be - fore us then. foe; friend and Just what we are will each neigh - bor know. garments dressed; Ah! well for us if we stand the test. lud - ed men, $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{w}$ ful that \mathbf{mo} ment of an - guish when his place, That in we may fear not to see thy face REFRAIN. When the King comes in? When the King comes in. When the King comes in. When the King comes in, brother, When the King comes When the King comes in. Christ the King, comes in. When thou com - est in. in! How will it fare with thee and me When the King comes in? From "Songs of Grace," by permission.

1320 HE WILL GATHER THE WHEAT IN HIS GARNER. "He will gather the wheat into his garner; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."—Luke 3: 17. JNO. R. SWENEY. HARRIET B. M'KEEVER Je-sus shall gath-er the na-tions, Be-fore him at last to ap-pear, 1. When 2. Shall we hear, from the lips of the Sav - iour, The words "Faithful serr - ant, well done," 3. He will smile when he looks on his chil-dren, And sees on the ransom'd his seal; us bewatching and wait - ing, With lamps burning steady and bright; 4. Then 5. Thus liv - ing with hearts fixed on heav - en, In patience we wait for the time how shall we stand in the Judgment, When sum-moned our sen-tence to hear? trem-bling with fear and with an-guish, Be banished a-way from his throne? He will clothe them in heav-en-ly beau-ty, As low at his footstool they kneel. When the Bride-groom shall call to the wed-ding O may we be read-y for flight! When the days of our pil-grim-age end - ed, We'll bask in the pres-ence di-vine. CHORUS. He will gath-er the wheat in his gar - ner, But the chaff will he scat - ter how shall we stand in the Judg-ment Of the great res - ur - rection day?

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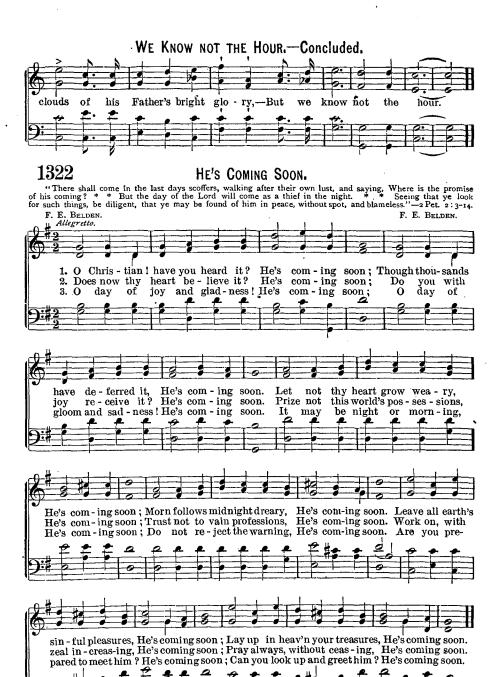
WE KNOW NOT THE HOUR.

"But of that day and hour knoweth no man, no, not the angels of heaven, but my Father only. * For as in the days that were before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day that Noah entered into the ark, and knew not until the flood came and took them all away; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be. * * * Watch therefore; for ye know not what hour your Lord doth come."—Matt. 24:36-42.

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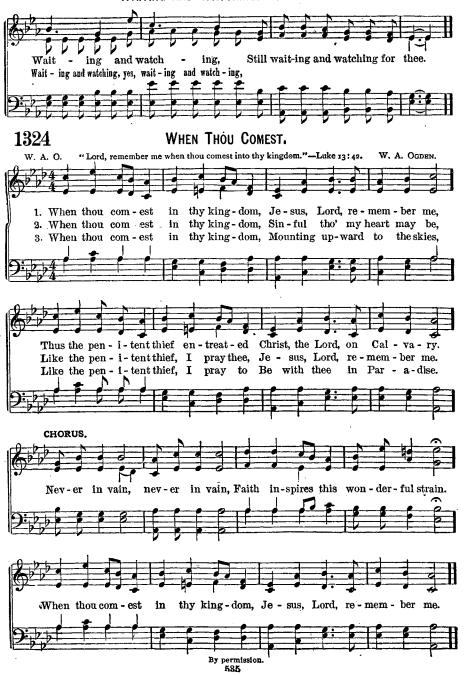
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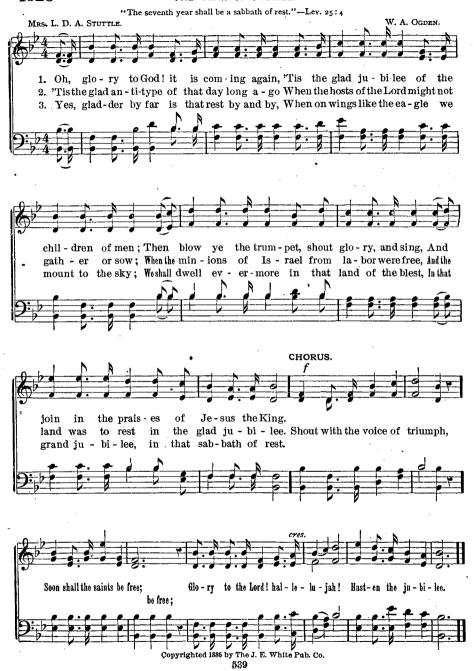


BEHOLD THE BRIDEGROOM.





THE YEAR OF JUBILEE.





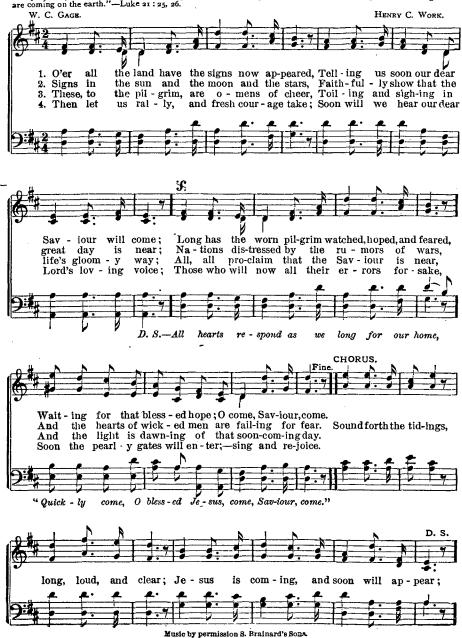






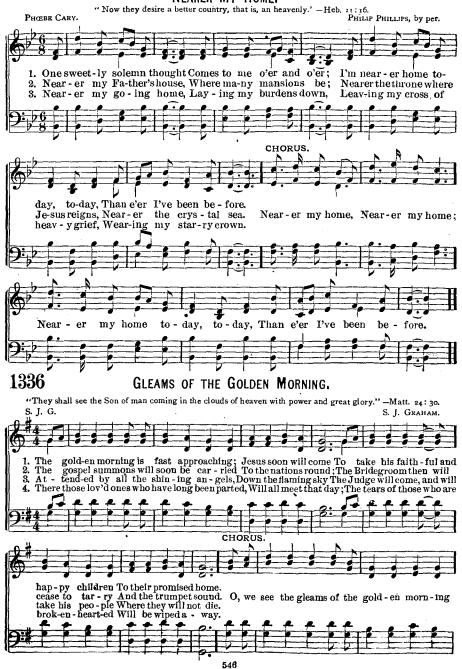
COME, SAVIOUR, COME.

"And there shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves roaring; men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth."—Luke 21:25, 26.



JESUS COMES. "Behold, the Lord cometh with ten thousands of his saints."-Jude 15. WM. J. KIRKPATRICK. MRS. PHŒBE PALMER. 1. Watch, ye saints, with eye - lids wak - ing; Lo! the powers of heav'n are shaking; the prom - ise of your Sav-iour, Pardoned sin and purchased fa - vor, 3. King-doms at their base are crumbling, Hark! his char-iot wheels are rumbling; 4. Na - tions wane, tho' proud and state - ly; Christ his kingdom hasteneth great-ly; 5. Sin - ners, come, while Christ is plead-ing; Now for you he's in - ter-ceding; for your Lord's re-turn-ing. Keep your lamps all trimm'd and burning, Read - y Blood-wash'drobes and crowns of glo-ry; Haste to tell re-demption's sto - ry. of grace a-bounding, Whilst the sev-enth trump is sounding. Tell. lat - est pangs is summing: Shout, ye saints, your Lord is com - ing. Haste, ere grace and time di-minished Shall pro-claim the mys-tery fin-ished. REFRAIN. Je - sus comes; Lo! he comes, he comes all glo-rious! Lo! he comes, lo! Je - sus comes to reign vic - to-rious, Lo! he comes, yes, Je - sus comes.

NEARER MY HOME.





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WAITING FOR THEE.



COMING ON THE CLOUD. "A cloud received him out of their sight. ** This same Jesus, which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven."—Acts 1:9, 11. "Behold he cometh with clouds, and every eye shall see him."—Rev. 1:7.

WILLIAM BRICKEY.

F E. BELDEN. coming, yes, he's coming, with the ho-ly an-gel hand, We re-joice to hear the coming, yes, he's coming with great majesty and power, While he-fore and round a coming, not in se-cret, hut like lightning in the sky, With the voice of the Archeoming, yes, he's coming; heav'n and carth before him flee, But in all the new crecoming! O what rapture! O what mu-sic to the ear! We an-tic-i-pate his 1. He He is 3. He is 4. He 5. He mes-sage as it speeds by sea and land, When the gos-pel of the king-dom shall in hout him fire and tem-pest shall de-vour: Yes, with more than pageant splen-dor as he an - gel and the trump of God most high. Then the dead in Christ will hear his voice and a - tion naught hut righteousness shall be; Then the moon shall he con-found ed, and the glo - ry, and he - lieve his kingdom near; We have wait - ed for him pa - tient-ly, and all the world he preached For a wit - ness to all na-tions, and its fi - nal triumph reached. rides up-on the cloud, While the saints and ho-ly an-gels shout with hal-le-lu-jahs loud. from their graves arise, And with all the living righteous they shall meet him in the skies. sun ashamed to shine,—When the Lord in dazzling glo-ry reigns in righteousness di - vine. still our faith is strong, And we almost hear the an - gels shout "hosannas," loud and long. CHORUS Hе is coming, coming, coming on the cloud, With a shout of triumph, and with trumpet loud; dim

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glo-ry soon to reign.

All the dead shall hear his voice, all the righteous shall rejoice; For he's

SHALL WE STAND AT HIS COMING?

"Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the Kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven."—Matt. 7: 21.



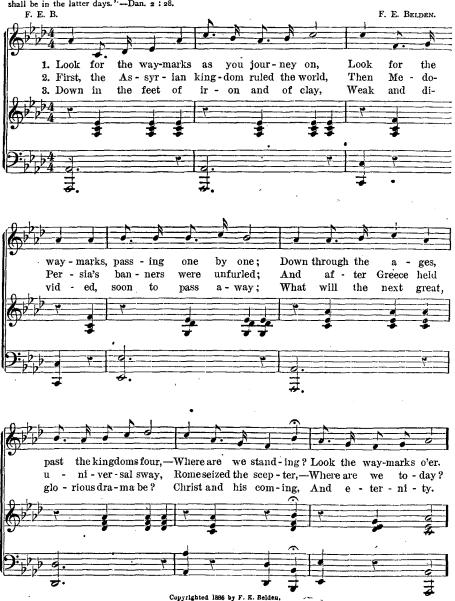
"The secret things belong unto the Lord our God, but those things which are revealed belong unto us and to our children, forever."—Deut. 29: 29.

"Surely the Lord God will do nothing but he revealeth his secret unto his servants the prophets."—Amos 3:7

"For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man; but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost."—2 Pet. 1:21.

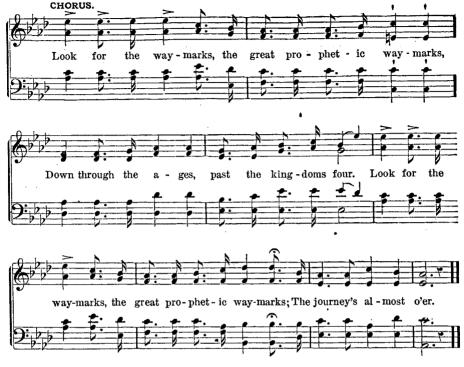
"There is a God in heaven that revealeth because and make the beauty of the large of the large

"There is a God in heaven that revealeth secrets, and maketh known to the king Nebuchadn-zzar what shall be in the latter days."—Dan. 2:28.



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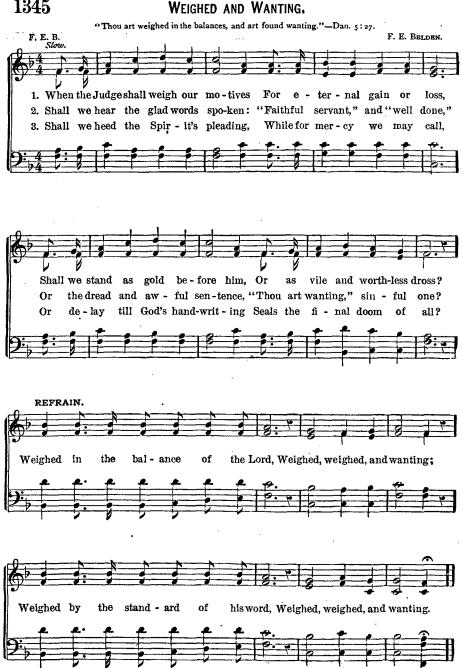
THE FOUR UNIVERSAL KINGDOMS.

"Thou, O king, sawest, and behold a great image. This great image, whose brightness was excellent, stood before thee, and the form thereof was terrible. This image's head was of fine gold, his breast and his arms of silver, his belly and his thighs of brass, his legs of iron, his feet part of iron and part of clay. Thou sawest till that a stone was cut out without hands, which smote the image upon his feet that were of iron and clay, and brake them to pieces. Then was the iron, the clay, the brass, the silver, and the gold broken to pieces together, and became like the chaff of the summer threshing-floors; and the wind carried them away, that no place was found for them: and the stone that smote the image became a great mountain and filled the whole earth. This is the dream; and we will tell the interpretation thereof before the king."—Dan. 2:31-36.

Interpretation of the Dream.

"Thou, O king (Nebuchadnezzar), art a king of kings; for the God of heaven hath given thee a kingdom (Assyrian, or Babylonian kingdom), power, and strength, and glory. Thou art this head of gold. And after thee shall arise another kingdom inferior to thee (Medo-Persia), and another third kingdom of brass (Grecia), which shall bear rule over all the earth. And the fourth kingdom (Rome) shall be strong as iron: forasmuch as iron breaketh in pieces and subdueth all things, and as iron that breaketh all thees, shall it break in pieces and bruise.

* * And as the toes of the feet (the ten divisions of the Roman kingdom, formed between the years and whereas thou sawest iron mixed with miry clay, they shall mingle themselves with the seed of men; but they shall not cleave one to another, even as iron is not mixed with disty they shall not cleave one to another, even as iron is not mixed with clay. [For over fourteen hundred years the ten kingdom of Europe, with few changes, have remained distinct and separate from each other, notwithstanding the efforts of emperors and generals to unite them, both by marriage and by force of arms.] And in the days of these kings (or kingdoms, as used in the preceding interpretation of the head of gold and the kingdom that was to follow) shall the God of heaven set up a kingdom, which shall never be destroyed: and the kingdom shall not be left to other people, but it shall break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms, and the kingdom of the God of heaven was not set up at the first advent of Christ, nearly mineteen hundred years ago, inasmuch as the image was to be smitten upon the feet by the setting up of that kingdom; and the feet were not formed by Rome's division into ten parts, represented by the ten toes, until 483 years after Christ. If his first advent was the smitting of the image, it should have heen smitten near the thighs instead of upon the feet for Rome became absolute mistress of the world (by the conquest of Egypt) only 30 years before the birth of our Saviour; and h

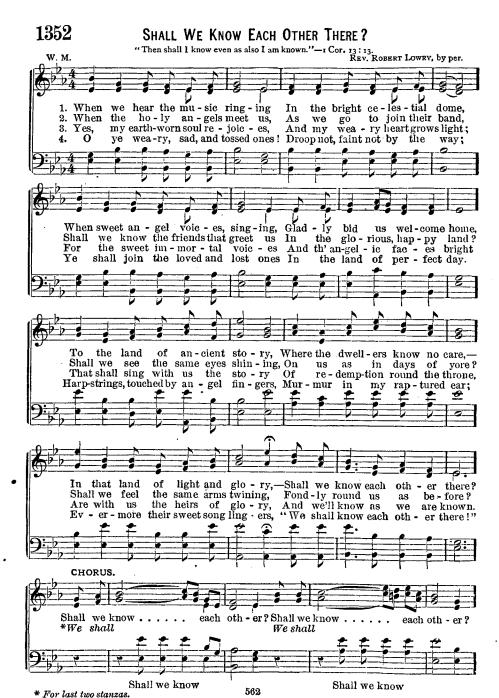


1346 BEAUTIFUL VALLEY OF EDEN. "He will make her wilderness like Eden, and her desert like the garden of the Lord."-Isa. 51:3. WM. F. SHERWIN, REV. W. O. CUSHING. of E - den, Sweet is thy noon-tide 1. Beau - ti - ful calm: the heart of the mourner Shin-eth the gold - en 2. O - ver day, Saviour; There, with the blood-wash'd throng, 3. There is the home of my the hearts of the wea - ry, Breathing thy waves of balm. the an - gels Down from the Waft-ing the songs of far glo - ry Roll - eth the high-lands the great new REFRAIN. E - den, Home of ti - ful val - ley of the pure and blest, pure and blest. rit. a - mid the wild bil - lows I dream of thy rest, sweet rest!

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WE SHALL KNOW.





THE HOME OVER THERE.



HOME OF THE SOUL.

"And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea. And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a great voice out of heaven, saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God."—Rev. 21:1-3.



ON JORDAN'S STORMY BANKS.



BEULAH LAND.



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SHALL WE GATHER AT THE RIVER?



THEY SHALL SHINE AS THE SUN.



HEAVEN AT LAST.

"God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away."—Rev. 21:4. W. J. KIRKPATRICK. HORATIUS BONAR, D. D. 1. An - gel voic - es sweet - ly sing - ing, Ech - oes thro' the blue dome the jas - per threshold standing, Like pil - grim safe - ly 3. Soft - est voic - es, sil - ver peal - ing, Fresh - est fragrance, spir - itfall - eth, 4. Not tear-drop ev - er Not pleas-ure ev - er a 5. Christ, him - self, the liv - ing spien-dor, Christ the sun-light, mild and ring - ing, News of won-drous glad-ness bring-ing; Ah, 'tisheav'n at last! the strangebright scene ex - pand-ing; Ah, 'tisheav'n at last! heal - ing, Hap - py hymns a - round us steal-ing; Ah, 'tis heav'n at last! Song to song for ev - er call - eth.; Ah, 'tis heav'n at last! pall - eth, the Lamb we ren - der; Ah, 'tis heav'n at last! to REFRAIN. Heav'n at last, heav'n at last; O, the joy-ful sto-ry of heav'n at last! Small notes for final ending. Heav'n åt last, heav'n at last; End-less, bound-less glo · ry, In heav'n at last. From "Songs of Triumph," by permission.

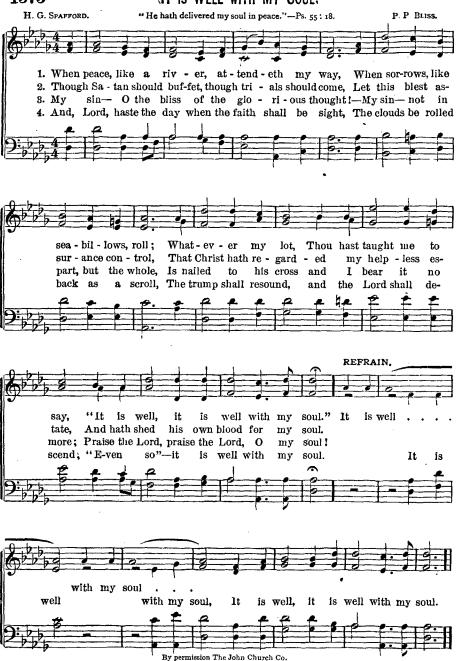
SHALL WE MEET?

"For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which snall be revealed in us." - Rom. 8:18.



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IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL,



SLEEPING ON GUARD.



GALILEE, SWEET GALILEE.







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