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Some 250 hymns included in the old edition have been omitted, carrying with them a number of tunes for which there was no further need. At the same time some tunes, which had failed to establish themselves in popular favour, have been replaced by others which it is hoped may prove more attractive. In the task of selection and rejection the Editor has had the assistance of the Rev. Canon Hutton and the Rev. W. Abbott, two members of the Committee who are specially acquainted, the one with the requirements of Cathedral worship, and the other with the practical needs of ordinary parishes. If here and there a tune is found which has no special musical value, it has been inserted on account of associations which could not be ignored. For the harmonies the Editor is mainly responsible. Where he has altered those of the earlier edition, his aim has been to make the different voice parts more interesting, and the effect fuller. Open notes have generally been substituted for the black notes of the old edition, as being easier to read; and, with a few special exceptions, double bars have been placed to correspond with the end of each line of the words.

A special feature has been made of Plain Song tunes, of which about sixty have been included. The selection and harmonization of these demanded technical knowledge of an exceptional kind, and the Editor congratulates himself on having secured for this purpose the invaluable assistance of Dr. Basil Harwood, of Christ Church, Oxford.

At the request of the Committee the Editor has added expression marks; but they are intended rather as suggestions than as authoritative interpretations.

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The labour expended on the previous edition by the late Sir Arthur Sullivan and his colleague Mr. J. W. Elliott is cordially acknowledged. The present Editor is very conscious of the imperfection of his own work; but he is not without hope that this book may in some ways tend to the advancement of good and worthy music in the service of the Church.

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| Father of all, in Whom alone | 341 | C. Wesley | St. Peter | G. A. Macfarren. A. R. Reinagle. |
| Father of all, to Thee | 394 | J. Julian | †Via Pacis | J. Barnby. |
| Father of heaven, Whose love | 395 | E. Cooper | Rivaulx | J. B. Dykes. |
| Father of love, our Guide and Friend Father of men, in Whom are one | 396 346 | W. J. Irons H. C. Shuttleworth | Old 137th Daughters of Galilee | Day's Psalter. H. M. Gwyther. |
| Father of mercies, in Thy word | 397 | A. Steele | †Childhood | C. J. Dickinson. |
| Father, whate'er of earthly bliss | 398 | A. Steele | St.Columba(Macmeikan) | J. M. Macmeikan. |
| Father, while the shadows fall Fierce raged the tempest | 620 399 | E. Miller G. Thring | *‡Euphronė †St. Aëlred | A. M. Goodhart. J. B. Dykes. |
| Fierce raged the tempest | 400 | J. M. Neale | †Glebehampton | J. Napleton. |
| Fight the good fight | 401 | J. S. B. Monsell | Duke Street | J. Hatton. |
| First day of days! wherein, arrayed | 56 | J. D. Chambers | (1. Primo dierum omnium 2.†Church Triumphant | Sarum. J. W. Elliott. |
| First of Martyrs, thou whose name | 95 | Anon | Lübeck | Freylinghausen's |
| | | | | Gesangbuch. |
| For all the Saints who from their | 232 | Bp. W. W. How | 1. Troyte, No. 2 2.†Pro omnibus Sanctis | A. H. D. Troyte. J. Barnby. |
| For all Thy Saints, a noble throng | 216 | Mrs. C. F. Alexander | St. James | R. Courteville. |
| For all Thy Saints, O Lord | 233 | Bp. R. Heber | Franconia | Müller's Choralbuch. |
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| "For ever with the Lord" | 402 | J. Montgomery | Nearer Home | J. B. Woodbury, arr. by Arthur Sullivan. |
| For the beauty of the earth | 403 | F. S. Pierpoint | *Probus | G. R. Sinclair. |
| For thee, O dear, dear country Part III. | 561 | J. M. Neale | †Jubilate | C. H. H. Parry. |
| For Thy mercy and Thy grace Forth from the dark and stormy sky | 104 404 | H. Downton | Gibbons | O. Gibbons. J. G. Walton. |
| Forth in Thy Name, O Lord, we go | 4 | Bp. R. Heber C. Wesley | Norfolk | S. Howard. |
| Forty days and forty nights | 126 | G. Smyttan | Heinlein | Nuremberg Gesangbuch. |
| Fountain of mercy! God of love | 302 | A. Flowerdew | Oxford New | J. Coombes. |
| Framer of the earth and sky From all that dwell below the skies | 57 405 | J. H. Newman I. Watts | Vienna | J. H. Knecht. Geneva Psalter. |
| From East to West, from shore to | 85 | J. Ellerton | St. Leonard | H. Smart. |
| From Egypt lately come | 406 | T. Kelly H. Stowell | †‡Pilgrimage | Arthur Sullivan. |
| From every stormy wind that blows From foes that would the land devour | 407 | Bp. R. Heber | †Shadow of the Cross *†Patria | Archbp. Maclagan. T. F. Dunhill. |
| From Greenland's icy mountains | 323 | Bp. R. Heber | Missionary | Lowell Mason. |
| From highest heaven the Eternal Son | 409 | Bp. R. Heber Sir H. W. Baker | Old 113th | Ravenscroft's Psalter. |
| Gentle Jesus, meek and mild | 621 | C. Wesley | †Simplicity | J. Stainer. |
| Give me the wings of faith to rise | 234 | I. Watts | Chelsea | T. Attwood. |
| Giver of the perfect gift | 127 410 | J. Ellerton J. Newton | Battishili | J. Battishill. F. J. Haydn. |
| Glory be to Jesus | 411 | E. Caswall, fr. Italian | Caswall | F. Filitz. |
| Glory to Thee, my God, this night | 15 | E. Caswall, fr. Italian Bp. T. Ken | Tallis's Canon | F. Filitz. T. Tallis. |
| Glory to Thee, O Lord | 99 | Emma Toke | Franconia | Müller's Choralbuch. |
| Go to dark Gethsemane | 412 | J. Montgomery | Meiningen | Meiningen Gesangbuch. |
| God from on high hath heard | 86 | Bp. J. R. Woodford | Eden | O. M. Feilden. |
| God is gone up with a merry noise God is love: His mercy brightens | 181 | Bp. R. Heber | *: Ascendit Deus | C. H. Lloyd. R. Redhead. |
| God is our Refuge, tried and proved | 413 414 | H. F. Lyte | tLangdale St. Ann | W. Croft. |
| God is our stronghold and our stay God is working His purpose out | 415 | Eliz. Wordsworth | Fin' feete Burg | M. Luther. |
| God is working His purpose out | 324 | Sir J. Bowring H. F. Lyte Eliz. Wordsworth A. C. Ainger W. Cowper | *Benson | M. D. Kingham. |
| God of all grace Thy mercy send | 416 649 | J. Brownlie | London New | Scotch Psalter. A. H. Brown. |
| God moves in a mysterious way God of all grace, Thy mercy send God of our life, to Thee we call God of mercy, God of grace God of the living, in Whose eyes | 288 | W. Cowper | Saxony | Old German Chorale |
| God of mercy, God of grace | 417 | H. F. Lyte | Disc | C. Kocher. |
| God of the fiving, in whose eyes God sawe our gracious King | 283 351 | J. Ellerton Anon. | †Colchester | S. S. Wesley. Uncertain. |
| God, that madest earth and heaven | 16 | Bp. R. Heber and | 1. Upsal | J. Crüger. |
| Cod the Father Cod the C. u | 0=0 | Abp. R. Whately | 2. †Temple | E. J. Hopkins. |
| God the Father, God the Son God the Father, God the Son | 650 651 | J. Brett Sir H. W. Baker | †Litany No. 2 †Litany No. 3 | Har. by A. Sullivan. W. H. Monk. |
| God the Father, seen of none | 652 | R. F. Littledale | t:Evelvn | Arthur Sullivan. |
| Golden harps are sounding | 622 | F. R. Havergal | Haydn | Ad. from F. J. Haydn. |
| Gracious Spirit, Holy Ghost Gracious Spirit, Life Divine | 121 418 | Bp. C. Wordsworth J. Julian | †Charity †St. Margaret | J. Stainer. E. H. Lemare. |
| Gracious Spirit, Life Divine Gracious Spirit, Love Divine | 419 | J. Stocker | Kiel | A. J. Romberg. |
| Great Creator, wise and good | 62 | R. Campbell | Battishill | J. Battishill. |
| Great God, and wilt Thou condescend | 623 | A. Gilbert | tLundy | C. H. Lloyd. |
| Great God of boundless mercy, hear | 69 | J. D. Chambers | mentiae | Milan. |
| Great God of Hosts, our ears have | 292 | E. Osler | 12.†Ludborough | T. R. Matthews. J. B. Calkin. |
| Great God to Thee, our hearts | 336 | J. Julian | Bishopgarth | Arthur Sullivan. |
| Great God, what do I see and hear | 75 | W. B. Collyer, | | Eluaia Caistliaha |
| | | T. Cotterill, &c. | Luther's Hymn | Klug's Geistliche Lieder. |
| Great God, Who, hid from mortal | 420 | J. Chandler | 1. O Luce qui mortalibus | |
| Great God, Who madest all for man | 345 | G. Thring | 2. St. Luke | H. S. Irons. |
| Great King of nations, hear | 291 | J. H. Gurney | +Gretton | R. Brown Borthwick |
| Great Mover of all hearts | 421 | I. Williams | Innsbruck | H. Isaac. |
| Great Ruler of the nations | 299 | Eliz. Wordsworth | *!Rector Omnipotens | A. H. Brewer. Anon. |
| Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah | 422 | W. Williams | 1. Protector meus 2. Mannheim | F. Filitz. |
| Hail, Festal Day (Easter) | 166 | T. A. Lacey | +Salve! Festa Dies | J. Baden Powell. |
| | 182 | T. A. Lacey | †Salve! Festa Dies †Salve! Festa Dies No 5. | J. Baden Powell. |

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| Heil Fortel Day (Whitesantia) | 192 | T A Loos | LColve Foot - Direct | I Padan Pamali |
| Hail, Festal Day (Whitsuntide) Hail, gladdening Light | 192 | J. Keble | Salve! Festa Dies No. 4 | J. Baden Powell. J. Stainer. |
| Hail, harbinger of Morn | 212 | C. S. Calverley | †‡Harbinger | Horatio Parker. |
| | | | (1. Cœlestis aulæ | |
| Hail! Princes of the Host of heaven | 237 | J. Chandler | Principes | Plain Song. |
| Hail the day that sees Him rise | 183 | C Wooley and | (2.†Gideon | J. B. Southgate. |
| Half the day that sees iffm rise | 100 | C. Wesley and T. Cotterill | Innocents | Anon. |
| Hail, Thou once despisèd Jesus | 423 | J. Bakewell and | | |
| IT The street of the street of | | M. Madan | Alla Trinità beata | Laudi Spirituali. |
| Hail to the Lord's Anointed Hallelujah! Hallelujah! hearts to | 424 | J. Montgomery | Crüger | J. Criiger. |
| heaven | 167 | Bp. C. Wordsworth | †Lux Eoi | Arthur Sullivan. |
| Hark, an awful voice is sounding | 76 | E. Caswall | †Merton | W. H. Monk. |
| Hark! hear ye not the Angel-song | 87 | E. Caswall G. Wither and G. Thring | | |
| Hark, my soul! it is the Lord | 425 | | * Cantus Angelicus | Anon. J. B. Dykes. |
| Hark, the glad sound! the Saviour | 77 | P. Doddridge | Bristol | Ravenscroft's Psalter. |
| Hark, the herald Angels sing | 88 | C. Wesley | Mendelssohn | F. Mendelssohn- |
| Houle the sound of hele series | 00" | | | Bartholdy. |
| Hark, the sound of holy voices Hark, the voice of love and mercy. | 235 154 | Bp. C. Wordsworth J. Evans | †Deerhurst †St. Raphael | J. Langran. E. J. Hopkins. |
| Have mercy, Lord, on me | 128 | Tate and Brady | St. Bride | S. Howard. |
| He is gone—A cloud of light | 184 | A. P. Stanley and H. White | | |
| TT. J. J. T. TT. J. T. J. T. J. T. J. T. J. | 100 | H. White | St. Patrick | Arthur Sullivan. |
| He is risen, He is risen Head of Thy Church triumphant | 168 96 | Mrs. C. F. Alexander C. Wesley | †Edom | A. L. Peace. J. Turle. |
| Heal us, Emmanuel; hear our prayer | 426 | W. Cowper | Sudeley | J. Stainer. |
| Hear our prayer, O heavenly Father | 18 | H. Parr | *Odde | A. H. Brewer. |
| Heavenly Father, from Thy throne | 653 240 | E. Shepcote (?) J. Chandler | tLonsdale | F. A. J. Hervey. Milan. |
| Heralds of Christ, to every age Here, Lord, we offer Thee all that | 240 | J. Chandler | Christi perennes nuntii | Milan. |
| is fairest | 340 | A. G. W. Blunt | Clare Market | Mary Palmer. |
| Here, O my Lord, I see Thee | 252 | H. Bonar | †St. Agnes | J. Langran. |
| Here we suffer grief and pain High let us swell our tuneful notes | 624 89 | T. Bilby P. Doddridge | Rejoicing St. Magnus | T. Bilby. Jeremiah Clark. |
| His are the thousand sparkling rills | 153 | Mrs. C. F. Alexander | tErskine | W. H. Gladstone. |
| His the glory, His the honour | 343 | R. M. Moorsom | Godesberg | H. Albert. |
| Holy Father, in Thy mercy | 316 654 | I. S. Stephenson | †Cairnbrook Mill Lane | E. Prout. Anon. |
| Holy Ghost, great Gift of grace | | | (1.†St. Asaph | W. S. Bambridge. |
| Holy Ghost, Illuminator Part II. | 187 | Bp. C. Wordsworth | 2.†Rex Gloriæ | H. Smart. |
| Holy! Holy! Holy! Lord God Holy Spirit! Lord of Light | 198 427 | Bp. R. Heber E. Caswall | †Nicæa | J. B. Dykes. S. Webbe. |
| Holy Spirit! Lord of Light | 271 | Abp. Maclagan | Veni Sancte Spiritus | G. R. Sinclair. |
| Hosanna to the living Lord | 428 | Bp. R. Heber | Baden | J. Pachelbel, ad. by |
| True beauty and the first | 010 | T TTT | N. 35. 3 | J. Goss. |
| How beauteous are their feet How blessed, from the bonds of sin | 218 348 | I. Watts Jane Borthwick | St. Michael Old 81st | Day's Psalter. |
| How bright these glorious spirits | 236 | Jane Borthwick I. Watts | St. Jerome | Day's Psalter. H. H. Pierson. |
| How sweet the Name of Jesus sounds | 429 | J. Newton | St. Peter | A. R. Reinagle. |
| Hushed was the evening hymn | 625 | J. D. Burns | †Hushed was the evening hymn | Arthur Sullivan. |
| | | | hymn | Tarvilli Dulli tall. |
| I am not worthy, Holy Lord | 253 | Sir H. W. Baker | †Leicester | W. Hurst. |
| I heard a sound of voices I heard the voice of Jesus say | 430 431 | G. Thring | *‡Lucerna ejus est Agnus †Vox Dilecti | B. Harwood. J. B. Dykes. |
| I heard the voice of Jesus say I hunger and I thirst | 254 | H. Bonar J. S. B. Monsell | † Moseley | H. Smart. |
| I love to hear the story | 626 | E. Miller | Bowdler, No. 178 | Cyril Bowdler. |
| I need Thee, precious Jesus | 432 | F. Whitfield | Munich | Wurtemberg Gesang- |
| I praised the earth, in beauty seen | 433 | Bp. R. Heber | †Nature | buch. C. H. H. Parry. |
| I think when I read that sweet story | 627 | J. Luke | Salamis | Greek Melody. |
| | | | (1. Quisquis valet num- | |
| If there be that skills to reckon | 227 | J. M. Neale | erare | Plain Song. C. Steggall. |
| In exile here we wander | 434 | W. Cooke | St. Avold | M. Haydn. |
| In His temple now behold Him | 206 | H. J. Pye | Bamberg | Old German Melody, |
| In stature grows the heavenly Child | 112 | J. Chandler | Tallis's Ordinal | har. by J. C. Bach. T. Tallis. |
| | 435 | | Bohemia | Old German Melody. |
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| In the Name of Jesus | 436 | C. M. Noel | †Princethorpe | W. Pitts. R. Courteville, |
| In token that thou shalt not fear | 266 | H. Alford | St. James | C. Steggall. |
| Inspirer and Hearer of prayer | 437 | A. M. Toplady | | Traditional. |
| It came upon the midnight clear | 90 | E. H. Sears | 2 01 35 1 | Old German Melody. |
| It is a thing most wonderful | 628 | Bn W W How | †Gideon | J. B. Southgate. |
| It is finished! Blessed Jesus | 157 | Bp. W. W. How Abp.W. D. Maclagan | †Langdale | R. Redhead. |
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| Jerusalem, my happy home | 438 | J. Bromehead | †Southwell (Irons) | H. S. Irons. |
| Jerusalem on high | 439 | S. Crossman | †Christ Church | C. Steggall. |
| Jerusalem the golden Part IV. | 561 | J. M. Neale | †Ewing | Alexander Ewing. T. R. Matthews. |
| Jesu, high in glory | 629 | H. B. McKeever | North Coates | Arthur Sullivan. |
| Jesu, in Thy dying woes | 156 | T. B. Pollock | (2.†Litany | E. H. Turpin. |
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| Jesu, Lord, enthroned on high | 145 | Jesse Brett | Supplication | J. Crüger. |
| Jesu, Lover of my soul | 440 | C. Wesley | †Hollingside | J. B. Dykes. |
| Jesu, meek and gentle | 441 | G. R. Prynne | Caswall | F. Filitz. |
| Jesu, my Lord, my God, my All | 442 | H. Collins | tSt. Chrysostom (Barnby) | J. Barnby. R. Redhead. |
| Jesu, our Hope, our neart's Desire | 443 444 | J. Chandler | †Redhead, No. 66 St. Fulbert | H. J. Gauntlett. |
| Jesu, our Hope, our heart's Desire Jesu, our Lord, how rich Thy grace Jesu, still lead on | 445 | T D th | Thuringia | A. Drese. |
| Jesu, tender Shepherd, hear me | 630 | M. L. Duncan | †Evening Prayer | J. Stainer. |
| Jesu, the very thought of Thee | | | 1. Evan | W. H. Havergal. |
| Part I.) | 446 | E. Caswall | 2.†St. John the Baptist | J. B. Calkin. |
| | | | 1. Jesu, Redemptor sæ- | ~ |
| Jesu, the world's redeeming Lord | 169 | W. J. Copeland | culi | Sarum. |
| | | | (2. Ely | Bishop Turton. Sarum. |
| Jesu, Thou joy of loving hearts | 447 | R. Palmer · | 2. Walton | Anon. |
| Jesu, to Thy Table led | 255 | R. H. Baynes | tLacrymæ | Arthur Sullivan. |
| Jesu, we are far away | 655 | T. B. Pollock | ttLitany, No. 4 | Arthur Sullivan. |
| Jesus calls us; o'er the tumult | 201 | Mrs. C. F. Alexander | †Gotha | H.R.H. The Prince |
| Toron Chairt is since to do | 170 | 4 | Fratas Hanna | Consort. |
| Jesus Christ is risen to-day | 170 | Anon. H. F. Lyte | Easter Hymn St. Ambrose | Lyra Davidica. R. Cecil. |
| Jesus, I my cross have taken Jesus, I will trust Thee | 448 449 | M. J. Walker | St. Ambrose | Anon. |
| Jesus lives! Thy terrors now | 171 | F. E. Cox | St. Albinus | H. J. Gauntlett. |
| Jesus, Lord of life and glory | 450 | J. J. Cummins | †St. Raphael | E. J. Hopkins. |
| Jesus, my Shepherd, here I know | 451 | R. O. Assheton | †Sawley | J. Walch. |
| Jesus! Name of wondrous love | 101 | Bp. W. W. How | Battishill | J. Battishill. |
| Jesus shall reign where'er the sun | 452 | I. Watts | †Galilee | P. Armes. |
| Jesus! where'er Thy people meet Joy! because the circling year | 453 193 | W. Cowper J. Ellerton and | Commandments | Geneva Psalter. |
| boy . because the chemis year | 133 | F. J. A. Hort | Vienna | J. H. Knecht. |
| Just as I am, without one plea | 454 | C. Elliott | †St. Crispin | G. J. Elvey. |
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| Lamb of God, I look to Thee | 631 | C. Wesley | Vienna | J. H. Knecht. Arthur Sullivan. |
| Lead, kindly Light | 455 | J. H. Newman | 1.*Lux in tenebris | J. B. Dykes. |
| Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us | 456 | J. Edmeston | Mannheim | F. Filitz. |
| Let all the world in every corner sing | 457 | G. Herbert | Undique Gloria . | G. J. Elvey. |
| Let God arise to lead forth those | 293 | A. C. Ainger | †Exsurgat Deus | J. Stainer. |
| Let me be with Thee where Thou art | 458 | C. Elliott | St. Alban | St. Alban's Tune Book |
| Let our choir new anthems raise | 242 | J. M. Neale | +St.Joseph of the Studium | J. Barnby. |
| Let the round world with songs | 238 | Bp. R. Mant | 1. Exultet orbis gaudiis 12. Wainwright | Sarum. Richard Wainwright. |
| Let us with a gladsome mind | 303 | J. Milton | †‡Ever faithful, ever sure | Arthur Sullivan. |
| Lift the strain of high thanksgiving | 332 | J. Ellerton | Austria | F. J. Haydn. |
| Lift up your heads, eternal gates | 185 | Tate and Brady | Tiverton | F. J. Grigg. |
| Lift up your heads, ye gates | 325 | J. Montgomery | London New | Scotch Psalter. |
| Light's abode, celestial Salem | 459 | J. M. Neale | 1. Urbs beata | Sarum. H. Smart |
| Lo! from the desert homes | 213 | T 3372112 | 2.†Regent Square Croft's 148th | H. Smart. W. Croft. |
| | | | 1. Ellesmere | A. R. Reinagle. |
| Lo, God is here! Let us adore | 460 | J. Wesley | 12. Stirling | Anon. |
| Lo! He comes with clouds des- cending | 78 | C. Wesley and | (1. Helmsley | T. Olivers and |
| | 10 | J. Cennick | 10 Ct Thomas | M. Madan. |
| | | | (2. St. Thomas (1. Ecce tempus idoneum | Webbe's Collection. Sarum. |
| Lo! now is our accepted day | 129 | J. M. Neale | 2. St. Ambrose | Old Melody. |
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| Lo! round the throne, a glorious band | 228 | R. Hill's Collection, altd. by T. Cotterill | I Constant of T *S | п п р |
| Lo! the firmament doth bear Long did I toil, and knew no earthly | 60 | and others T. Whytehead | †Crown of Life †St. Pancras (Smart) | H. H. Pierson. H. Smart. |
| Lord, as to Thy dear Cross we flee Lord, cause Thy face on us to shine | 461 462 310 | H. F. Lyte J. H. Gurney T. Cotterill | Wordsworth | Bp. C. Wordsworth. Anon. Old Tune. |
| Lord, dismiss us with Thy blessing | 37 | T 17 44 795 | (1. Freu' dich sehr | From J. S. Bach. |
| Lord, have mercy when we strive | 463 | Bp. R. Heber | 12. St. Thomas | Webbe's Collection, A. H. Brown, |
| Lord, her watch Thy Church | 326 | H. Downton | †Everton | H. Smart. |
| Lord, I hear of showers of blessing Lord, I would own Thy tender care | 464 632 | E. Codner J. Taylor | St. Leonard | Abp. Maclagan. H. Smart. |
| Lord, in this Thy mercy's day | 130 | I. Williams | 1.*‡Rosehill | A. Phillips. |
| Lord, in Thy Name Thy servants | 179 | J. Keble | \(\frac{2.\forall \text{St. Philip}}{\text{St. Hugh}} \\ | W. H. Monk, E. J. Hopkins. |
| Lord, it belongs not to my care | 465 | R. Baxter | †St. Hugh | E. J. Hopkins. |
| Lord Jesu Christ, our Lord most dear Lord Jesu, think on me | 267 466 | C. Winkworth A. W. Chatfield | Berne Granham Hill | J. Schop. W. S. Bambridge |
| Lord Jesu, when we stand afar | 140 | Bp. W. W. How | St. Vincent | J. Uglow. |
| Lord, now we part in Thy blest Name | 467 | Bp. R. Heber and J. Dracup | tWareham | W. Knapp. |
| Lord of Glory, Who hast bought us | 312 | E. S. Alderson | t Caritas | J. B. Dykes, |
| Lord of grace and holiness | 272 | A. C. Benson | †Osborne | H.R.H. Princess |
| Lord of mercy and of might | 468 | Bp. R. Heber | :Irene | Henry of Battenberg. C. C. Scholefield. |
| Lord of my life, Whose tender care Lord of our life, and God of our | 19 | Анон | †Palmyra | J. Summers. |
| salvation Lord of the harvest! Thee we hail | 469 304 | P. Pusey J. H. Gurney | †Cloisters | J. Barnby. C. W. Pearce. |
| Lord of the Sabbath, hear us pray | 40 | P. Doddridge and | | |
| Lord of the worlds above | 470 | I. Watts | Angels' Song | Ad. from O. Gibbons. J. Darwall. |
| Lord, shall Thy children come | 273 | Bp. S. Hinds and | CA-Abarra | N. Davissa |
| Lord, speak to me, that I may speak | 349 | F. R. Havergal | Steterburg Melcombe | N. Decius. S. Webbe. |
| Lord, teach us how to pray aright Lord, Thy word abideth | 471 | J. Montgomery | Bangor | Old Welsh Melody. |
| Lord, to our humble prayers attend | 472 656 | J. Brownlie | †St. Cyprian | R. R. Chope. A. H. Brown, |
| "Lord, when Thy Kingdom comes" Lord, when we bend before Thy throne | 150 | Abp. Maclagan J. D. Carlyle | Kensington St. Flavian | Abp. Maclagan. Day's Psalter. |
| Lord, Who at Cana's wedding feast | 276 | (Anon., recast by G. | | |
| Love Divine, all loves excelling | 474 | C. Wesley | †Vox Jesu | Spohr, ad. by J. Barnby J. Stainer. |
| Loving Shepherd of Thy sheep | 633 | J. E. Leeson | Ross | S. S. Wesley. |
| May the grace of Christ our Saviour | 38 | I Vandan | (1.†Langdale | R. Redhead. |
| My Father, for another night | 5 | J. Newton | 2. Sicilian Mariners | Sicilian Melody, |
| | | Sir H. W. Baker | †St. Timothy | H. W. Baker, arr. by W. H. Monk. |
| My God, accept my heart this day | 274 | M. Bridges | St. Peter | A. R. Reinagle. A. H. D. Troyte. J. M. W. Young. |
| My God and Father, while I stray | 475 | C. Elliott | 12.†St. Remigius | J. M. W. Young. |
| My God, and is Thy Table spread | 256 | P. Doddridge | Rockingham | E. Miller. |
| My God, how endless is Thy love My God, my Father, dost Thou call | 476 | I. Watts | Montgomery Erfurt | J. Stanley. Geistliche Lieder, |
| My spirit longs for Thee | 477 | J. Byrom | St. Cecilia | Magdeburg. L. J. Hayne. |
| Nearer, my God, to Thee | 478 | S. F. Adams | Propior Deo | Arthur Sullivan. |
| New every morning is the love | 7 | J. Keble | Melcombe | S. Webbe. |
| None other Lamb, none other Name Not by Thy mighty hand | 479 113 | C. G. Rossetti | *‡In Te, Domine, speravi | C. H. Lloyd. |
| | | Bp. J. R. Woodford | Narenza | Cologne Gesangbuch, Sarum. |
| Now dawning glows the Day of days | 172 | F. J. A. Hort | 12. †Church Triumphant | J. W. Elliott. |
| Now God be with us, for the night | 20 | C. Winkworth | †Die Nacht ist kommen | Der Böhmischen Brü- der Kirchengesang. |
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| Now, my tongue, the mystery telling Part I. | 257 | E. Caswall and J. M. Neale | 1. Pange lingua 2. St. Thomas | Sarum. S. Webbe. | | |
| Now sinks in night the flaming sun | 21 | Bp. R. Mant | 1. Jam sol recedit | Sarum. | | |
| Now thank we all our God | 296 | C. Winkworth | 2.†Almondsbury Nun danket | B. Harwood. M. Rückert. | | |
| Now that the daylight fills the sky | 50 | J. M. Neale | 1. Jam lucis | Plain Song. | | |
| Now the day is over | 634 | S. Baring-Gould | Merrial | E. Edwards. J. E. Roe. | | |
| Now the labourer's task is o'er | 284 | J. Ellerton | Requiescat | J. B. Dykes. Mechlin. | | |
| Now the thirty years accomplished Part II. | 136 | J. M. Neale | 1. Pange lingua 2. Oriel | Anon. | | |
| O Blest Creator, God Most High | 70 | J. D. Chambers | 1. Deus Creatoromnium 2. Wareham | Sarum. W. Knapp. | | |
| O Body, bruisèd for my sake Part II. O Brightness of the Eternal Father's | 247 | Abp. Maclagan | 2. Wareham Ellesmere | A. R. Reinagle. | | |
| face O Christ, our Light, O Fount of light | 22 657 | E. W. Eddis | tSt. Nicholas | C. C. Scholefield. H. S. Irons. | | |
| O Christ, the true and only Light | 203 | W. Bartholomew | | Har. by Mendelssohn. | | |
| O Christ, Who art the Light and Day | 54 | W. J. Copeland | Breslau | Sarum. | | |
| | 480 | T 01 11 | 2. Leonburg | German. Plain Song. | | |
| O Christ, Who hast prepared a place | 450 | J. Chandler | 2. St. Pancras(Battishill) 1. Æterna cœli gloria | J. Battishill. Solesmes. | | |
| O Christ, Whose glory fills the heaven | 67 | J. Julian | 2. Breslau | Clauder's Psalmodia | | |
| O come, all ye faithful | 92 | F. Oakeley | Adeste fideles | J. Reading (?). Plain Song. | | |
| O come, O come, Emmanuel | 79 | J. M. Neale | (1. Veni, veni, Emmanuel 2. Spires | German. | | |
| O day of rest and gladness O Father all creating | 41 277 | Bp. C. Wordsworth J. Ellerton | Day of Rest tLancashire | J. W. Elliott. H. Smart. | | |
| O for a closer walk with God | 481 | W. Cowper W. H. Bathurst | Martyrdom | H. Wilson. | | |
| O for a faith that will not shrink O God of Bethel! by Whose hand | 482 | P. Doddridge & J. | Dunfermline | Scotch Psalter. | | |
| O God of God! O Light of Light | 484 | J. Julian | St. David | Ravenscroft's Psalter. J. Goss. | | |
| O God of Hosts, the mighty Lord O God of love, O King of peace | 485 294 | Tate and Brady Sir H. W. Baker | St. Stephen St. Gregory | W. Jones, of Nayland. Darmstadt | | |
| O God of mercy, God of might | 486 | G. Thring | St. Chrysostom (Irons) | Gesangbuch. H. S. Irons. | | |
| O God of truth, O Lord of might | 52 | J. M. Neale | 1. Rector potens | Sarum. | | |
| O God of truth, Whose living word | 487 | T. Hughes | 2. Kent Salisbury | J. F. Lampe. Ravenscroft's Psalter. | | |
| O God, our Father, Thee we praise | 42 | J. Julian | 1. Die parente temporum | Solesmes. | | |
| | | | 2. Brockham | Jeremiah Clark. | | |
| O God, our Help in ages past O God the Son Eternal | 488 | I. Watts | St. Ann | W. Croft. | | |
| 0.0-1.00 | 220 489 | by J. Keble | Tenbury Wainwright | F. A. G. Ouseley. Richard Wainwright. | | |
| O God, unseen yet ever near | 258 | E. Osler | Tallis's Ordinal | T. Tallis. | | |
| O God, Who gavest Thy servant O Hand of bounty, largely spread | 97 490 | Bp. R. Heber | Wach' auf, mein Herz Surrey | Har. by J. S. Bach. H. Carey. | | |
| O happy band of pilgrims | 491 | J. M. Neale | †St. Anselm | J. Barnby. | | |
| O heavenly Jerusalem O Jesu, I have promised | 492 493 | I. Williams J. E. Bode | St. Alphege Kreuznach | H. J. Gauntlett. Magdeburg | | |
| O Jesu, King most wonderful | 446 | E. Caswall | tSt. John the Baptist | Gesangbuch. J. B. Calkin. | | |
| O Jesu, Lord of heavenly grace | 59 | J. Chandler | 11. Splendor paternæ | Sarum. | | |
| O Jesu, Lord, Thy Cross I see | 321 | J. Brett | 2. Wach'auf, mein Herz Delhi | Har. by J. S. Bach. E. F. Rimbault. | | |
| O Jesu, Thou art standing O King, enthroned on high | 494 194 | Bp. W. W. How J. Brownlie | tSt. Catherine | R. F. Dale. A. H. Brown. | | |
| O King of earth and air and sea O King of kings, before Whose | 495 | Bp. R. Heber (J. Quarles & | Rex terrarum | T. F. Dunhill. | | |
| throne O King of kings! Thy blessing shed | 496 352 | Anon T. Darling | †Colchester | S. S. Wesley. A. H. Brown. | | |
| O King of Saints, O Lord of might | 337 | Jesse Brett | Giessen | Adapted. | | |
| O Light that knew no dawn O Light, Whose beams illumine all | 497 | J. Brownlie E. H. Plumptre | †Jubilee St. Petersburg | F. C. Chattock. D. Bortnianski. | | |
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| O Lord, how happy should we be | 498 | J. Anstice | Innsbruck | H. Isaac. |
| | 499 | T 69 11 | 1. O qui perpetuus | Plain Song. |
| , , , | | | 2. Melcombe | S. Webbe. |
| O Lord, in all our trials here | 500 | E. Toke | Coventry | S. Howard. |
| O Lord of heaven and earth O Lord our Banner, God of might | 313 295 | Bp. C. Wordsworth Eliz. Wordsworth | †Almsgiving †Jehovah-Nissi | J. B. Dykes. G. J. Bennett. |
| | | (J. Marckant & | | (Archdeacon Prys's |
| O Lord, turn not Thy face away | 131 | Bp. R. Heber | St. Mary | Book of Psalms. |
| O Love Divine, how sweet Thou art | 501 | C. Wesley | Magdalen College | W. Hayes. |
| O Love how doon! | 502 | I M Neels | (1. O Amor quam ex- | Enough Diain Cons |
| O Love, how deep! | 302 | J. M. Neale | staticus 2. Eisenach | French Plain Song. J. H. Schein. |
| O Love so strong, O Power so sweet | 503 | W. Bright | Ely | Bp. Turton. |
| O Love, Who formedst me to wear | 504 | C. Winkworth | Spires | German. |
| O Master, it is good to be | 243 | A. P. Stanley | St. Basil | Old Tune. |
| O merciful Creator, hear | 132 | F. Pott and others | 1. Audi, benigne | Sarum. |
| o merchan creator, near | 102 | r. row and others | 2. St. Luke | Jeremiah Clark. |
| O most merciful | 505 | Bp. R. Heber | Sicilian Mariners | Sicilian Melody. |
| O perfect Love, all human thought | 278 | Mrs. R. Gurney | (1.†O perfect Love | J. Barnby. |
| transcending | 208 | · · | 2.†Crofton Annunciation | Lord Crofton. |
| O praise ye the Lord | | J. W. Alexander & | TD 1 C1 1 | A. H. Brewer. (H. L. Hassler, har. by |
| O sacred head! sore wounded | 141 | Compilers | Passion Chorale | J. S. Bach. |
| O Saving Victim, opening wide Part II. | 262 | E. Caswall | O Salutaris Hostia | French Plain Song. |
| O Saviour! is Thy promise fled | 506 | Bp. R. Heber | Brockham | Jeremiah Clark. |
| O Saviour, may we never rest | 507 | W. H. Bathurst | †Holy Trinity | J. Barnby. |
| O Saviour, precious Saviour | 508 | F. R. Havergal | †Zoan | W. H. Kavergal. |
| O Saviour, Who for man hast trod | 186 | Based on R. Campbell and J. Chandler | 1. Opus peregisti Tuum 2. Illsley | Sarum. J. Bishop. |
| O Son of God, our Captain | 211 | J. Ellerton | Eirene | F. R. Havergal. |
| | | | (1. O filii et filiæ (Old | |
| O sons and daughters, let us sing | 173 | J. M. Neale | form) | Plain Song. |
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| O. C. T. J. C. W. day of the | 00 | TY T Countly | 1. Magnæ Deus potentiæ | Plain Song. |
| O Sovereign Lord of Nature's might | 66 | W. J. Courthope | 2. St. Gregory | Darmstadt Gesang- |
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| O Spirit of the living God O Strength and Stay, upholding all | 327 | J. Montgomery John Ellerton and | Winchester New | Hamburger Musika- lisches Handbuch. |
| creation | 53 | F. J. A. Hort | Eirene | F. R. Havergal. |
| | 259 | C. Wesley, recast by | | |
| O Thou, before the world began | 259 | J. Keble (?) | Old 112th (Vater unser) | Har. by J. S. Bach. |
| O Thou, from Whom all goodness | 509 | T. Haweis, recast by | Tallis's Ordinal | T. Tallis. |
| O Thou, in Whom Thy Saints repose | 334 | J. Ellerton | †Colchester | S. S. Wesley. |
| O Thou, the contrite sinners' Friend | 510 | Charlotte Elliott | tSt. Eustace | H. H. Pierson. |
| O Thou, the Eternal Son of God | 146 | W. C. Dix | Windsor | Este's Psalter. |
| O Thou, to Whose all-searching sight | 511 | J. Wesley | Göldel | J. H. Schein. |
| O Thou, Who at thy Eucharist O Thou, Who by a star didst guide O Thou, Who makest souls to shine | 260 114 | Major W. H. Turton J. M. Neale | †Sacramentum Unitatis | C. H. Lloyd. T. Worsley Staniforth |
| O Thou, Who makest souls to shine | 311 | Bp. J. Armstrong | tSt. Lawrence | L. G. Hayne. |
| O Thou, Whom heavenly Hosts obey | 289 | Tate and Brady | Breslau | Clauder's Psalmodia |
| O Throned, O Crowned with all | 100 | Alex Dens | 1614 Times-la | nova. |
| renown | 180 | Abp. Benson | †St. Ursula (1. O lux beata | F. Westlake. Sarum. |
| O Trinity of Blessèd Light | 71 | J. M. Neale | 2. Melcombe | S. Webbe. |
| O Wisdom, that with God's own | | | | |
| breath | 80 | H. C. Beeching | Steterburg | N. Decius. |
| O Word of God Incorports | 333 512 | I. Williams & others | The Day of Praise Carlsruhe | C. Steggall. M. Vulpius. |
| O Word of God Incarnate Object of my first desire | 513 | Bp. W. W. How | Zurich | J. Schop. |
| O'er the shoreless waste of waters | 268 | Bp. W. W. How | St. Hilary | Ganther. |
| | | | (1. Corde Natus (Old form) | 13th Century. |
| Of the Father Sole-begotten | 93 | J. M. Neale & others | 2. Corde Natus (Modern | 12th Control |
| | | (H. K. White, E. | (form) | 13th Century. |
| Oft in danger, oft in woe | 514 | Bickersteth, and | | |
| | | (F. S. Fuller Maitland | | H. J. Gauntlett. |
| Oh bless the Lord, my soul | 515 | J. Montgomery | Wenice | W. Amps. |
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| | | | (1.†St. Cross | J. B. Dykes. |
| Oh, come and mourn with me awhile | 147 | F. W. Faber | 2. Babylon's Streams | T. Campion. |
| Oh come, loud anthems let us sing | 516 | Tate and Brady | Montgomery | J. Stanley. |
| Oh! for a heart to praise my God | 517 | C. Wesley | †St. Jude | R. Brown-Borthwick. |
| Oh! for a thousand tongues to sing | 518 | C. Wesley | Wiltshire | G. Smart. |
| Oh, help us, Lord; each hour Oh! let him, whose sorrow | 519 520 | H. H. Milman F. E. Cox | Bedford †St. John Baptist | W. Wheall. O. M. Feilden. |
| Oh! quickly come, dread Judge | 521 | L. Tuttiett | †St. Finbar | J. G. Walton. |
| Oh render thanks to God above | 522 | Tate and Brady | Warrington | R. Harrison. |
| Oh what, if we are Christ's | 523 | Sir H. W. Baker | St. Michael | Day's Psalter. |
| Oh, what the joy and the glory | 524 | J. M. Neale | O quanta qualia | Ancient Melody. |
| Oh, who are they, so pure and bright Oh worship the King | 100 525 | W. J. Irons | †Kettlebaston Hanover | A. H. Brown. W. Croft. |
| | | T (1) | 1. Jordanis oras prævia | Sarum. |
| On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry | 81 | J. Chandler | (2. Winchester New | Hamburger Musika- |
| 0 11 70 11 | | | | lisches Handbuch. |
| On the Resurrection morning | 174 | S. Baring-Gould | Melton | C. E. Willing. |
| On the waters dark and drear Once again to meet the day | 319 | W. C. Dix Lord Coleridge | Vienna Altenburg | J. H. Knecht. M. Vulpius. |
| Once in royal David's city | 635 | Mrs. C. F. Alexander | Irby | H. J. Gauntlett. |
| Once more the solemn season calls | 122 | J. Chandler, etc | Bangor | Old Welsh Melody. |
| Once, only once, and once for all | 261 | W. Bright | Albano | Vincent Novello. |
| Onward, Christian soldiers Our blest Redeemer, ere He breathed | 526 527 | S. Baring-Gould H. Auber | †St. Gertrude †St. Cuthbert | Arthur Sullivan. |
| Our day of praise is done | 43 | H. Auber J. Ellerton | Venice | J. B. Dykes. W. Amps. |
| Out of the deep I call | 133 | Sir H. W. Baker | Southwell | Denham's Psalter. |
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| Palms of glory, raiment bright | 528 | J. Montgomery | Lübeck | Freylinghausen's |
| | | | 1 170 | Gesangbuch. |
| Peace, perfect peace | 529 | Bp. E. H. Bickersteth | 11.†Pax tecum | G. T. Caldbeck. P. Tottenham Lucas. |
| Pleasant are Thy courts above | 530 | H. F. Lyte | †Maidstone | W. B. Gilbert. |
| Pour out Thy Spirit from on high | 531 | J. Montgomery | †Ludboreugh | T. R. Matthews. |
| Praise, my soul, the King of heaven | 532 | H. F. Lyte | 1. Praise, my soul | J. Goss. |
| Praise, Oh praise our God and King | 305 | Sir H. W. Baker | 2. Alleluia, dulce carmen | Webbe's Collection. |
| Traise, on praise our dod and rang | 000 | SAL ART THE AURICE | Monkiand | German Melody, arr. by J. Wilkes. |
| Praise the Lord: to-day we raise | 298 | A. C. Ainger | †Praise the Lord | J. Barnby. |
| Praise the Lord! ye heavens, adore | 533 | (Foundling Hospital | A 4 i - | D T H |
| Him Praise to God, immortal praise | 306 | A. L. Barbauld | Austria Lübeck | F. J. Haydn. Freylinghausen's |
| Thise to dod, ininortal plaise | 300 | 21. II. Darbauld | Lubeck | Gesangbuch. |
| Praise to God Who reigns above | 221 | R. M. Benson | †Xavier | F. Champneys, |
| Praise to our God, Whose bounteous | 300 | J. Ellerton | Hilderstone | P. Hart. |
| Praise to the Holiest in the height | 534 | J. H. Newman | 11. Westminster | J. Turle. |
| Praise we our God with joy | 535 | Anon. | 12.†Gerontius †Laudemus Dominum | J. B. Dykes. |
| Prayer is the soul's sincere desire | 536 | | St.Columba(Macmeikan) | J. M. Macmeikan. |
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| Rejoice, the Lord is King | 537 | C. Wesley | †Harewood | S. S. Wesley. |
| Rejoice to-day with one accord | 297 | Sir H. W. Baker | Ein' feste Burg | M. Luther. |
| Rejoice, ye pure in heart | 538 | E. H. Plumptre | Deum videbunt 1. Winchester New | J. Stainer. |
| Ride on! Ride on in majesty | 138 | H. H. Milman | 1. Winchester New | Hamburger Musika- lisches Handbuch. |
| , | | 11. 12. 12.11.11. | 2.†Palmæ | W. G. Cusins. |
| Rock of ages, cleft for me | 539 | A. M. Toplady | †Rock of ages | R. Redhead. |
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| Sabbath of the Saints of old | 158 | T. Whytehead | †Houghton | S. S. Wesley. |
| Saviour, again to Thy dear Name we raise | 23 | J. Ellerton | 1.†Ellers | E. J. Hopkins. J. B. Dykes. |
| Saviour, Blessèd Saviour | 540 | G. Thring | †Princethorpe | W. Pitts. |
| Saviour, breathe an evening blessing | 24 | J. Edmeston | Lugano | Italian Melody. |
| Saviour, sprinkle many nations | 328 | Bp. A. C. Coxe | Bethany | H. Smart. |
| Saviour! when in dust to Thee Saviour, Who exalted high | 541 542 | Sir R. Grant Bp. R. Mant | †Penitence *‡Appledore | H. S. Irons. C. H. Lloyd. |
| Saviour, Who Thy flock art feeding | 269 | W. A. Mühlenberg | *! Appledore Sicilian Mariners | Sicilian Melody. |
| See the Conqueror mounts in | 187 | Bp. C. Wordsworth | 1.†St. Asaph | W. S. Bambridge. |
| triumph Part I. | | | 2.†Rex Gloriæ | H. Smart. |
| See the destined day arise | 148 65 | | †Dulcot | Basil Johnson. |
| see the golden sun arise | 00 | o. courthope | †Pendrea | M. J. Monk. |

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| Servants of God, awake | 44 | E. Scott and | | |
| Shepherd Divine, our wants relieve | 543 | C. Wesley | Croft's 148th St. Etheldreda | W. Croft. Bishop Turton. |
| Shine Thou upon us, Lord | 350 | J. Ellerton | †Hawarden | S. S. Wesley. |
| Sing Alleluia forth in duteous praise Sing, my tongue, the glorious battle | 544 | J. Ellerton | †‡Holy City | Arthur Sullivan. Mechlin. |
| Part I. | 136 | J. M. Neale | 2. Oriel | Anon. |
| Sing to God in sweetest measures | 241 545 | R. Campbell J. S. B. Mousell | Evangelists*;Cantate Deo | German. |
| Sing to the Lord a joyful song Soldiers of Christ! arise | 546 | C. Wesley | Narenza | C. H. Lloyd. Old German Chorale. |
| Soldiers of the Cross, arise | 322 547 | Bp. W. W. How | Innocents | Anon. |
| Soldiers, who are Christ's below Songs of praise the Angels sang | 548 | J. H. Clark J. Montgomery | Culbach | Old French Melody. Scheffler's Geistliche |
| Sons of men, behold from far | 115 | C. Wesley and | (†Qui dedit nobis vic- | Hirtenlieder. |
| | | Bp. R. Heber | toriam | H. S. Irons. |
| Soon and for ever | 549 | J. S. B. Monsell | †Soon and for ever | H. H. Pierson and |
| Source of light and life divine | 58 | J. Chandler | Simplicity | H. S. Irons, J. Stainer. |
| Spirit blest, Who art adored | 658 | T. B. Pollock | tAgnes | E. Bunnett. |
| Spirit of God, that moved of old Spirit of mercy, truth, and love | 195 196 | Mrs. C. F. Alexander Foundling Hospital | Wainwright | Richard Wainwright |
| | 550 | Collection | Pentecost | W. Boyd. |
| Stand up, and bless the Lord Stars of the morning, so gloriously | 550 222 | J. Montgomery J. M. Neale | St. Michael Trisagion | Day's Psalter. H. Smart. |
| Sun of my soul, Thou Saviour dear | 25 | J. Keble | 1. Sun of my soul | H. Percy Smith. |
| Sunset and evening star | 285 | Lord Tennyson | 12. Hursley | P. Ritter. C. H. H. Parry. |
| Sweet is the work, my God, my King Sweet Saviour! bless us ere we go | 45 | Isaac Watts | †St. Paul | H. S. Irons. |
| Sweet Saviour! bless us ere we go Sweet Saviour! in Thy pitying grace | 26 134 | F. W. Faber R. M. Moorson | †‡Valete †Brecknock | Arthur Sullivan. S. S. Wesley. |
| Sweet the moments, rich in blessing | 142 | Cento by | LG S.T. | |
| Sweetly sang the Angels | 636 | W. Shirley, etc. J. Julian | †Cross of Jesus *‡Carmen Angelorum | J. Stainer. T. F. Dunhill. |
| Γake up thy cross, the Saviour said | 551 | C. W. Everest | Breslau | Clauder's Psalmodia |
| rell it out among the heathen | 329 | F. R. Havergal | †‡Regnabit Dens | nova. H. S. Irons. |
| Tempted oft to go astray | 210 | J. S. B. Monsell | ttGlenyarrah | F. S. Kelly. |
| Ten thousand times ten thousand The Church's One Foundation | 552 553 | H. Alford S. J. Stone | †Alford Aurelia | J. B. Dykes. S. S. Wesley. |
| The day departs | 27 | Jane Borthwick | (1. St. Wilfrid | Mainzer Choralbuch. |
| The day is gently sinking to a close | 28 | Bp. C. Wordsworth | 2.†Monkswood †Nachtlied | A. H. Smart. |
| The day is past and over | 29 | J. M. Neale | (1.†St. Anatolius(Brown) | A. H. Brown. |
| The day They gavest Tond in and d | - 00 | T Till-ut-au | 12.†St. Anatolius (Dykes) | J. B. Dykes. C. C. Scholefield. |
| The day Thou gavest, Lord, is ended The eternal gifts of Christ the King | 30 239 | J. Ellerton | (2.1 Radford Æterna Christi mnnera | S. S. Wesley. |
| The foe behind, the deep before | 175 | J. M. Neale J. M. Neale | The foe behind | Plain Song. J. Naylor. |
| The God of Abraham praise The head that once was crowned | 554 555 | T. Olivers | Leoni | Old Hebrew Tune. Jeremiah Clark. |
| | 555 | T. Kelly | 1. Verbum Supernum | Jeremian Clark. |
| The heavenly Word Proceeding forth Part I. | 262 | J. M. Neale | prodiens | Mechlin. |
| The highest and the holiest place | 207 | H. Alford | St. Etheldreda | J. Uglow. Bishop Turton. |
| The King of love my Shepherd is | 556 | Sir H. W. Baker | †Dominus regit me | J. B. Dykes. |
| The Lord is King! Lift up thy voice The Lord of might from Sinai's brow | 557 82 | J. Conder Bp. R. Heber | †St. Paul †The Lord of might | H. S. Irons. A. Page. |
| The morning bright with rosy light | 637 | T. O. Summers | *!Dayspring | C. H. Lloyd. |
| The old year's long campaign is o'er The people that in darkness sat | 108 116 | S. J. Stone J. Morison | *†Erigeneia Dundee | A. M. Goodhart. Scotch Psalter. |
| The radiant morn hath passed away | 31 | G. Thring | (1.†St. Gabriel (Ouseley) | F. A. G. Ouseley. |
| The righteous souls that take their | | | 2.†St. Corentin | H. S. Irons. |
| flight | 286 | Anon | The righteous souls | Highmore Skeats, sen |
| The roseate hues of early dawn | 558 | Mrs. C. F. Alexander | †Castle Rising | F. A. J. Hervey. |
| The Saints of God! Their conflict | | | | |

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| The Son of God goes forth to war | 230 | Bp. R. Heber | †St. Ann | Arthur Sullivan. |
| The Sower went forth sowing | 307 | W. St. Hill Bourne | †St. Beatrice | J. F. Bridge. |
| The spacious firmament on high | 559 560 | J. Addison J. M. Neale | Peterborough Troyte, No. 2 | J. Goss. A. H. D. Troyte. |
| The strain upraise of joy and praise The strife is o'er, the battle done | 176 | F. Pott | †Victory | From Palestrina. |
| The same is similar as 6- at | 33 | E Coamall | 11.†St. Columba (Irons) | H. S. Irons. |
| _ | ļ. | | 2.†Sundown | W. Parratt. |
| The tide of time is rolling on The voice that breathed o'er Eden | 105 279 | I. Gregory Smith J. Keble | Dunholme' St. Alphege | J. B. Dykes. H. J. Gauntlett. |
| The wise may bring their learning | 638 | Anon | tChristmas Morn | E. J. Hopkins. |
| The world is very evil Part I. | 561 | J. M. Neale | Pearsall | Katholische Gesang- buch, St. Gall. |
| Thee we adore, Eternal Lord | 562 | T. Cotterill | Erfurt | Har. by J. S. Bach. |
| Thee we adore, O hidden Saviour! | 263 | Bp. J. R. Woodford | 1. Adoro Te devote | French Plain Song. |
| | | _ | 2. Old 124th | C. Goudiniel. |
| There is a blessed home | 563 564 | J. Wesley Sir H. W. Baker | Surrey Beulah | H. Carey. Old Melody. |
| There is a book, who runs may read | 565 | J. Keble | St. Flavian | Day's Psalter. |
| There is a green hill far away | 639 | Mrs. C. F. Alexander | Horsley | W. Horsley. |
| There is a happy land | 640 566 | A. Young I. Watts | Happy Land York | Indian Air. Scotch Psalter. |
| There is no night in heaven | 567 | F. M. Knollis | Ben Rhydding | A. R. Reinagle. |
| There is no sorrow, Lord, too light | 568 | J. Crewdson | Queenstown | J. S. Mitchell. |
| There's a Friend for little children There were ninety and nine that | 641 | A. Midlane | †Éden Grove | S. Smith. |
| safely lay | 569 | E. C. Clephane | †Compassion | Fountain Meen. |
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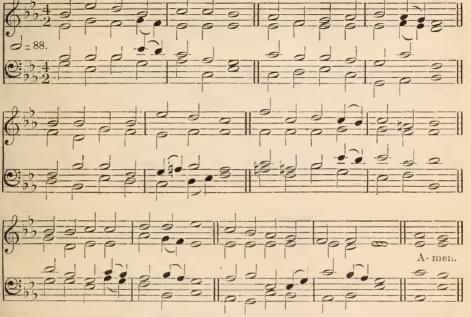
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Six 7's.

H. SMART, 1813-1879.



T Thy feet, O Christ, we lay
Thine own gift of this new day;
Doubt of what it holds in store
Makes us crave Thine aid the more;

p Lest it prove a time of loss,Mark it, Saviour, with Thy Cross.

mf If it flow on calm and bright, Be Thyself our chief delight; If it bring unknown distress, Good is all that Thou canst bless;

p Only, while its hours begin, Pray we, keep them clear of sin. mf We in part our weakness know, And in part discern our foe; Well for us, before Thine eyes All our danger open lies;

p Turn not from us, while we plead Thy compassions and our need.

mf Fain would we Thy word embrace, Live each moment on Thy grace,

cr All ourselves to Thee consign, Fold up all our wills in Thine,

f Think, and speak, and do, and be Simply that which pleases Thee.

p Hear us, Lord, and that right soon; Hear, and grant the choicest boon

cr That Thy love can e'er impart, Loyal singleness of heart;

f So shall this and all our days, Christ our God, show forth Thy praise. Amen.



Morning.

PART I.

- f A WAKE, my soul, and with the sun Thy daily stage of duty run; Shake off dull sloth, and joyful rise To pay thy morning sacrifice.
- mf Thy precious time mis-spent, redeem; Each present day thy last esteem; Improve thy talent with due care; For the great day thyself prepare.

In conversation be sincere; Keep conscience as the noon-tide clear; Think how all-seeing God thy ways And all thy secret thoughts surveys.

f By influence of the light divine, Let thy own light to others shine; Reflect all heaven's propitious rays, In ardent love and cheerful praise.

Wake, and lift up thyself, my heart, And with the Angels bear thy part, Who all night long unwearied sing High praise to the eternal King. Amen.

PART II.

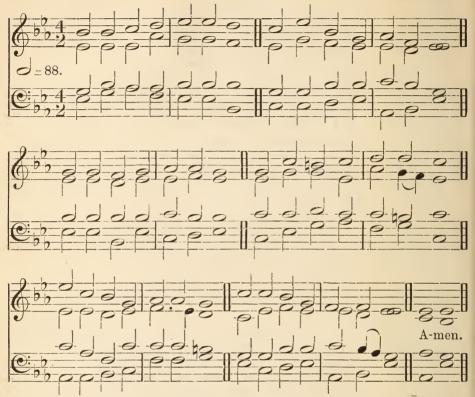
- ALL praise to Thee, Who safe has kept,
 And hast refreshed me whilst I slept;
 Grant, Lord, when I from death shall wake,
 I may of endless light partake!
- mf Lord, I my vows to Thee renew;
 Disperse my sins as morning dew;
 Guard my first springs of thought and will,
 And with Thyself my spirit fill.

Direct, control, suggest, this day, All I design, or do, or say; That all my powers with all their might In Thy sole glory may unite.

f Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly Host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen. RATISBON.

Six 7's.

WERNER'S Choralbuch, 1815.



mf CHRIST, Whose glory fills the skies, p Christ, the true, the only Light, Sun of Righteousness, arise,

Triumph o'er the shades of night; Day-spring from on high, be near; Day-star, in my heart appear! Dark and cheerless is the morn Unaccompanied by Thee; Joyless is the day's return

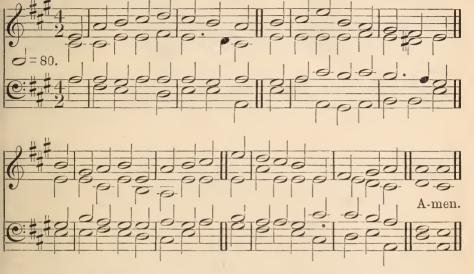
Till Thy mercy's beams I see: Till they inward light impart, Glad my eyes and warm my heart.

mf Visit, then, this soul of mine,
Pierce the gloom of sin and grief;
Fill me, Radiancy Divine,
Scatter all my unbelief;
cr More and more Thyself display,
f Shining to the perfect day. Amen.



NORFOLK.

S. Howard, 1710-1782.



MF FORTH in Thy Name, O Lord, we go Our daily labour to pursue;
Thee, only Thee, resolved to know,
In all we think, or speak, or do.

The task Thy wisdom hath assigned Oh let us cheerfully fulfil; In all our works Thy presence find, And prove Thy good and perfect will.

Thee may we set at our right hand, Whose eyes our inmost substance see, And labour on at Thy command, And offer all our works to Thee.

Give us to bear Thy easy yoke,

And every moment watch and pray;

And still to things eternal look,

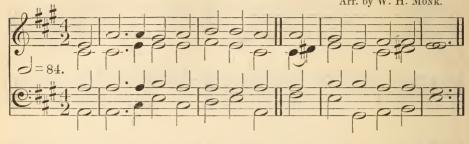
And hasten to Thy glorious day;

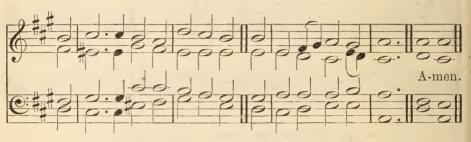
For Thee delightfully employ
Whate'er Thy bounteous grace hath given,
And run our course with even joy,
And closely walk with Thee to heaven. Amen.





H. W. Baker, 1821-1877. Arr. by W. H. Monk.





of MY Father, for another night Of quiet sleep and rest,

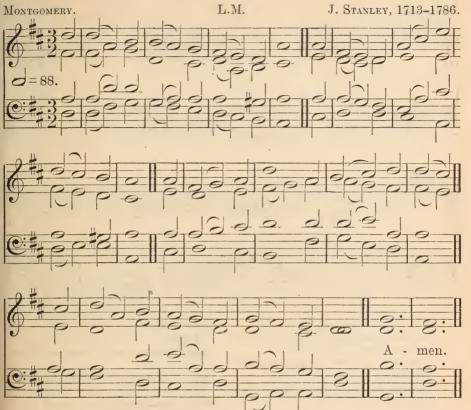
For all the joy of morning light,

Thy Holy Name be blest.

Now with the new-born day I give
Myself anew to Thee,
That as Thou willest I may live,
And what Thou willest be.

Whate'er I do, things great or small,
Whate'er I speak or frame,
Thy glory may I seek in all,
Do all in Jesus' Name.

My Father, for His sake, I pray,
Thy child accept and bless;
And lead me by Thy grace to-day
In paths of righteousness. Amen.



mf MY God, how endless is Thy love;
Thy gifts are every evening new
And morning mercies from above
Gently distil, like early dew.

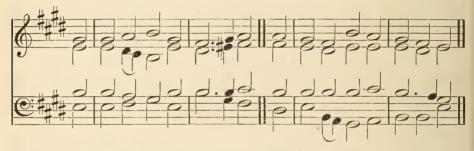
Thou spreadst the curtains of the night, Great Guardian of my sleeping hours: Thy sovereign word restores the light, And quickens all my drowsy powers.

I yield my powers to Thy command,
To Thee I consecrate my days:

f Perpetual blessings from Thine hand
Demand perpetual songs of praise. Amen.







mf NEW every morning is the love Our wakening and uprising prove:

Through sleep and darkness safely brought,

Restored to life, and power, and thought.

New mercies, each returning day, Hover around us while we pray; New perils past, new sins forgiven, New thoughts of God, new hopes of heaven.

If on our daily course our mind Be set to hallow all we find, New treasures still, of countless price, God will provide for sacrifice.

Old friends, old scenes, will lovelier be, As more of heaven in each we see; Some softening gleam of love and prayer

Shall dawn on every cross and care.

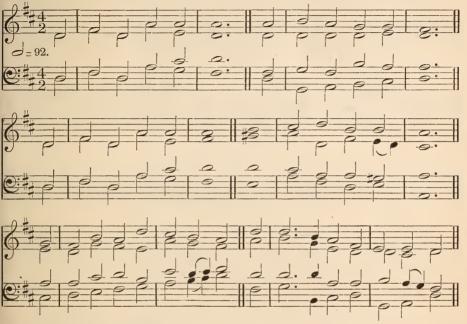
The trivial round, the common task, Will furnish all we ought to ask, Room to deny ourselves, a road To bring us daily nearer God.

Only, O Lord, in Thy dear love, Fit us for perfect rest above; And help us, this and every day, To live more nearly as we pray.



6.6.6.6.8.8.

F. C. CHATTOCK.



f LIGHT that knew no dawn,
That shines to endless day,
All things in earth and heaven
Are lustred by Thy ray;
No eye can to Thy throne ascend,
Nor mind Thy brightness comprehend.

Thy grace, O Father, give,
That I may serve in fear:
Above all boons, I pray,
Grant me Thy voice to hear;
From sin Thy child in mercy free,
And let me dwell in light with Thee.

mf That, cleansed from stain of sin,
I may meet homage give,
And, pure in heart, behold
And serve Thee while I live;
Clean hands in holy worship raise,
And Thee, O Christ, my Saviour, praise.

In supplication meek
To Thee I bend the knee;
O Christ, when Thou shalt come,
In love remember me,
And in Thy kingdom, by Thy grace,
Grant me a humble servant's place.

mf Thy grace, O Father, give,
I humbly Thee implore;
cr And let Thy mercy bless
Thy servant more and more.
f All grace and glory be to Thee
From age to age eternally.





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Morning.

mf ONCE again to meet the day
Time hath borne us on our way;
Once again to God we bring
Prayer's most lowly offering;
We, the making of Thine hand,
In Thy strength alone we stand;
p God of mercy, God of might!

P Round us always as we move
Folded be Thy tender love;
If we wander from the way,
Lead us back, O Lord, we pray;
If temptations close us in,
If we doubt, or faint, or sin,
God of mercy, God of power!
Leave us not in that dark hour.

Guard us till the fall of night.

mf All we do and all we are,
Thou art with us everywhere;
Under Thine all-seeing eye
We must live, and we must die.
O'er the creatures of Thy word
Pour Thyself abroad, O Lord;
p God of mercy, God of might!

cr Then when time is past and gone,
When the Day of Doom comes on,
f When the trumpet calls the dead,
When the heavens and earth are fled,
Shrivelling at the only breath
Of the tempest of Thy wrath,

Guard us, keep us, day and night.

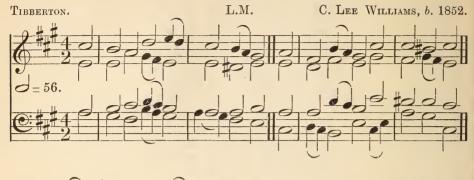
dim Save us then, O God of might! By Thy mercies infinite! Amen.

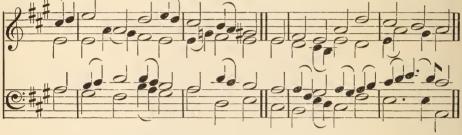
Also the following:

As the bird, whose clarion gay—61
Behold the shade of night departs—49
Come, Holy Ghost, Who ever One—51
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Afternoon.

The following may be used:
Abide with me! fast falls the eventide—355
Again, as evening's shadow falls—10
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Father, ere yet another day is ended—14
Lead, kindly Light—455
O God of truth, O Lord of might—52
O Strength and Stay—53
The day is gently sinking to a close—28
The sun is sinking fast—33





May also be sung to "Commandments," No. 12.

Mf AGAIN, as evening's shadow falls,
We gather in these hallowed walls;
And vesper hymn and vesper prayer
Rise mingling on the holy air.

May struggling hearts, that seek release, Here find the rest of God's own peace; And, strengthened here by hymn and prayer, Lay down the burden and the care.

- p O God our Light, to Thee we bow; Within all shadows standest Thou, Give deeper calm than night can bring; Give sweeter songs than lips can sing.
- mf Life's tumult we must meet again, We cannot at the shrine remain; But in the spirit's secret cell May hymn and prayer for ever dwell.



St. Peter.

C.M.

A. R. REINAGLE, 1799-1877.





A S now the sun's declining rays
 Towards the eve descend,
 E'en so our years are sinking down
 To their appointed end.

Lord, on the Cross Thine arms were stretched To draw Thy people nigh; Oh, grant us then that Cross to love, And in those arms to die!

f All glory to the Father be,
All glory to the Son,
All glory, Holy Ghost, to Thee,
While endless ages run. Amen.



Mf A T even, when the sun did set,
The sick, O Lord, around Thee lay;
Oh, in what divers pains they met!
Oh, with what joy they went away!

Once more 'tis eventide, and we
Oppressed with various ills draw near:
What if Thy form we cannot see?

Cr We know and feel that Thou art here.

p O Saviour Christ, our woes dispel;
For some are sick, and some are sad,
And some have never loved Thee well,
And some have lost the love they had;

And some are pressed with worldly care;
And some are tried with sinful doubt;
And some such grievous passions tear
That only Thou canst cast them out;

And some have found the world is vain,
Yet from the world they break not free;
And some have friends who give them pain,
Yet have not sought a friend in Thee.

And none, O Lord, have perfect rest,
For none are wholly free from sin;
And they who fain would serve Thee best
Are conscious most of wrong within.

mf O Saviour Christ, Thou too art Man; Thou hast been troubled, tempted, tried; Thy kind but searching glance can scan The very wounds that shame would hide;

Thy touch has still its ancient power;
No word from Thee can fruitless fall;
P Hear, in this solemn evening hour,
And in Thy mercy heal us all. Amen.



FATHER, by Thy love and power Comes again the evening hour:
Light has vanished, labours cease,
Weary creatures rest in peace;
Thou, Whose genial dews distil
On the lowliest weed that grows,
Father, guard our couch from ill,
Lull Thy children to repose:
We to Thee ourselves resign,
Let our latest thoughts be Thine.

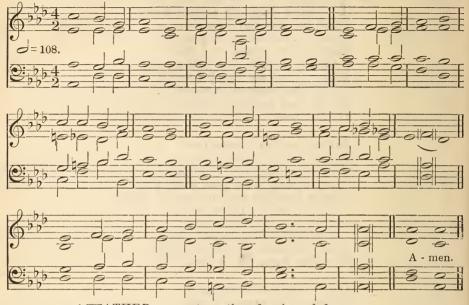
Saviour, to Thy Father bear
This our feeble evening prayer:
Thou hast seen how oft to-day
We like sheep have gone astray;
Wordly thoughts and thoughts of pride,
Wishes to Thy Cross untrue,
Secret faults and undescried
Meet Thy spirit-piercing view;
Blessèd Saviour, yet through Thee
Pray that these may pardoned be.

P Holy Spirit, breathing balm,
Fall on us in evening's calm;
Yet awhile, before we sleep,
We with Thee will vigils keep.
Lead us on our sins to muse,
Give us truest penitence;
Then the love of God infuse,
Breathing humble confidence;
Melt our spirits, mould our will,
Soften, strengthen, comfort still.

mf Blessèd Trinity, be near
Through the hours of darkness drear;
Then when shrinks the lonely heart,
Thou, O God, most present art.
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
Watch o'er our defenceless head;
Let Thy Angels' guardian-host
Keep all evil from our bed,
cr Till the flood of morning rays
f Wakes us to a song of praise. Amen.

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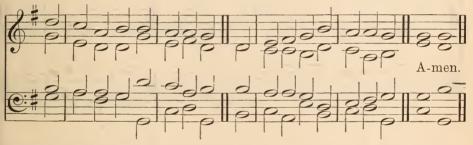


mf TATHER, ere yet another day is ended, Into Thy hands be all its hours commended; Angels about our way keep watch and ward, Lighten our darkness with Thy peace, O Lord. When falls on life's gay noon the night of sadness, Oh may we feel Thee near, Eternal Gladness; Our feeble faith uphold, new strength afford, Lighten our darkness with Thy Presence, Lord. Sunshine and cloud are Thine; yet gloom is dreary, Hope yields to fear, and we grow weak and weary, Lead us to rest on Thy unfailing word, Lighten our darkness with Thy love, O Lord. Pain wrings the heart, and fierce temptations try us: Dimly we know that Elder Brother by us, Who in the garden suffered and implored, Lighten our darkness for His sake, our Lord. Father, when earthly life for us is ended, Into Thy hands its deeds and years commended, Now our one guide, be then our one reward, Lighten our darkness in Thy heaven, O Lord. Amen. TALLIS'S CANON.

L.M.

T. Tallis, 1520?-1585.





LORY to Thee, my God, this night, For all the blessings of the light; Keep me, oh keep me, King of kings, mf Beneath Thine own almighty wings!

p Oh may my soul on Thee repose; And may sweet sleep mine eyelids close-[make Sleep, that may me more vigorous To serve my God when I awake.

p Forgive me, Lord, for Thy dear Son, The ill that I this day have done; That with the world, myself, and Thee.

I, ere I sleep, at peace may be.

mf Teach me to live, that I may dread The grave as little as my bed; Teach me to die, that so I may Rise glorious at the awful day.

p When in the night I sleepless lie, My soul with heavenly thoughts supply; Let no ill dreams disturb my rest, No powers of darkness me molest.

f Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow:

Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly Host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

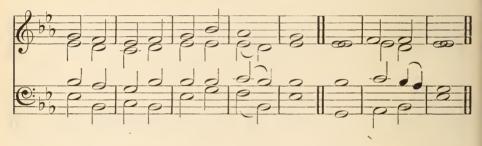
Amen.

UPSAL (First Tune).

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J. CRÜGER, 1598-1662.









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E. J. HOPKINS, 1818-1901.



p GOD that madest earth and heaven, mf Guard us waking, guard us sleeping; Darkness and light; p And, when we die,

Who the day for toil has given, For rest the night;

mf May Thine Angel-guards defend us, Slumber sweet Thy mercy send us,

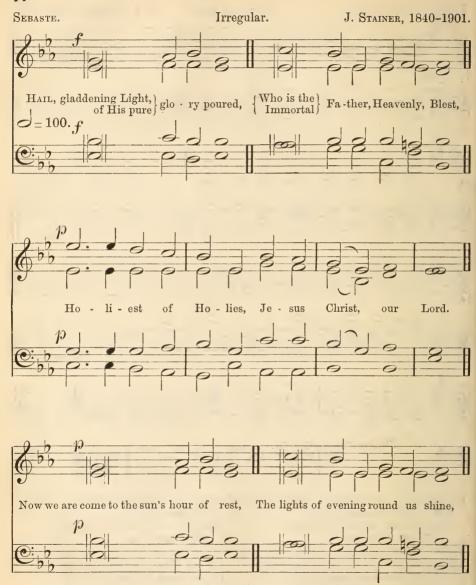
p Holy dreams and hopes attend us, This livelong night. May we in Thy mighty keeping All peaceful lie.

mf When the last dread trump shall wake Do not Thou, our Lord, forsake us,

f But to reign in glory take us,

With Thee on high. Amen.

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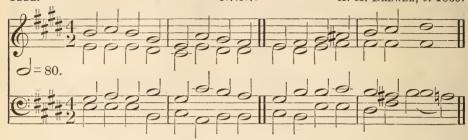


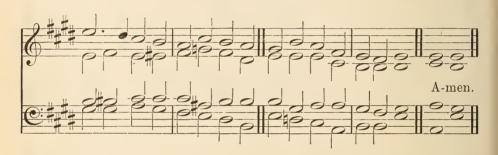


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A. H. Brewer, b. 1865.





mf HEAR our prayer, O heavenly Father,

Ere we lay us down to sleep; Bid Thine Angels, pure and holy, Round our bed their vigils keep.

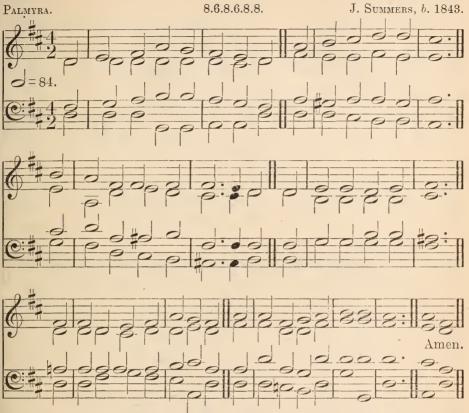
Heavy though our sins, Thy mercy
Far outweighs them every one;
Down before the Cross we cast them,
Trusting in Thy help alone.

Keep us through this night of peril
 Safe beneath its sheltering shade;
 Take us to Thy rest, we pray Thee,
 When our pilgrimage is made.

mf None can measure out Thy patience By the span of human thought; None can bound the tender mercies Which Thy Holy Son has bought.

p Pardon all our past transgressions,
cr Give us strength for days to come;
mf Guide and guard us with Thy
blessing
dim Till Thine Angels bear us home.

f Honour, glory, might, dominion,To the Father and the Son,With the Everlasting Spirit,While eternal ages run. Amen.



p T ORD of my life, Whose tender care p Oh may I daily, hourly, strive I Hath led me on till now, Here, lowly, at the hour of prayer, Before Thy throne I bow:

mf I bless Thy gracious hand, and pray mf Tread in the path my Saviour trod, Forgiveness for another day.

In heavenly grace to grow, To Thee, and to Thy glory live, Dead else to all below,

Though thorny, yet the path to God.

mf With prayer my humble praise I bring For mercies day by day; Lord, teach my heart Thy love to sing, Lord, teach me how to pray; f All that I have, I am, to Thee I offer through eternity. Amen.

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DIE NACHT IST KOMMEN.

Der Böhmischen Brüder Kirchengesang, 1566.



P NOW God be with us, for the night is closing;
The light and darkness are of His disposing,
And 'neath His shadow we to rest may yield us,
For He will shield us.

Let evil thoughts and spirits flee before us;
Till morning cometh, watch, O Father, o'er us;
In soul and body from all harm defend us;
Thine Angels send us.

Let holy thoughts be ours when sleep o'ertakes us;
Our earliest thoughts be Thine when morning wakes us;
cr All day serve Thee; in all that we are doing
Thy praise pursuing.

p We have no refuge: none on earth to aid us,
cr Save Thee, O Father, Who Thine own hast made us;
mf But Thy dear Presence will not leave them lonely,
Who seek Thee only.

f Father, Thy Name be praised, Thy kingdom given,
 Thy will be done on earth as 'tis in heaven;
 Keep us in life, forgive our sins, deliver
 Us now and ever. Amen.



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To Thee we hymn the morning lay,
To Thee our evening vows are given;
Grant us, as here to Thee we pray,
To praise Thee in the courts of heaven.

No shadows there, nor clouds impede
The view with visions of affright:
Nor sun nor moon those mansions need;
f The Lamb is their perpetual Light.

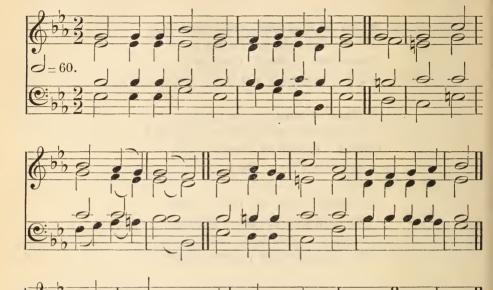
- p Oh, yet unseen by mortal sight,
 May in our souls that scene endure,
 That we, through hope of that delight,
 May purer grow as Thou art pure.
- cr And when the day shall come that we
 Shall know no more, as now, in part,
 May we unveiled Thy Presence see,
 Be like, and know Thee as Thou art:
- f And evermore with voice and heart
 Join concert with Thy heavenly Host,
 And bear, in praising Thee, our part,
 Thee, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

St. Nicholas.

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C. C. Scholefield, b. 1839.

- men.



mf O BRIGHTNESS of the Eternal Father's face,
Most holy, heavenly, blest,
Lord Jesu Christ, in Whom His truth and grace
Are visibly expressed;

p Now that the daylight fades, and one by one The lamps of evening shine:

cr We praise once more the Father and the Son And Holy Ghost Divine.

f Worthy art Thou at all times to receive
Praise from Thy Saints, O Lord;
Be Thou, O Son of God, in Whom we live,
Through all the world adored! Amen.

Ellers (First Tune).

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E. J. HOPKINS, 1818-1901.







of SAVIOUR, again to Thy dear Name we raise With one accord our parting hymn of praise:
We stand to bless Thee ere our worship cease;

p Then, lowly kneeling, wait Thy word of peace.

Grant us Thy peace through this approaching night;

cr Turn Thou for us its darkness into light;

mf From harm and danger keep Thy children free; For dark and light are both alike to Thee.

p Grant us Thy peace upon our homeward way;

mf With Thee began, with Thee shall end the day:

p Guard Thou the lips from sin, the hearts from shame, That in this house have called upon Thy Name.

p Grant us Thy peace throughout our earthly life,

cr Our balm in sorrow, and our stay in strife;

mf Then, when Thy voice shall bid our conflict cease,

p Call us, O Lord, to Thine eternal peace. Amen.

PAX DEI (Second Tune).

10.10.10.10.

J. B. Dykes, 1823-1876.







mf SAVIOUR, again to Thy dear Name we raise
With one accord our parting hymn of praise:
We stand to bless Thee ere our worship cease:

p Then, lowly kneeling, wait Thy word of peace.

Grant us Thy peace through this approaching night;

cr Turn Thou for us its darkness into light;

mf From harm and danger keep Thy children free; For dark and light are both alike to Thee.

p Grant us Thy peace upon our homeward way;

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p Guard Thou the lips from sin, the hearts from shame, That in this house have called upon Thy Name.

p Grant us Thy peace throughout our earthly life,

cr Our balm in sorrow, and our stay in strife;

mf Then, when Thy voice shall bid our conflict cease,

p Call us, O Lord, to Thine eternal peace. Amen.

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Italian Melody.



Ere repose our spirits seal; [ing, Sin and want we come confessing;

Thou canst save, and Thou canst heal.

mf Though destruction walk around us, Though the arrow past us fly, Angel-guards from Thee surround us; mf May the morn in heaven awake us, We are safe if Thou art nigh.

CAVIOUR, breathean evening bless- p Though the night be dark and dreary, Darkness cannot hide from Thee;

mf Thou art He Who, never weary, Watchest where Thy people be.

p Should swift death this night o'ertake

And our couch become our tomb, Člad in light, and deathless bloom.

Amen.



- mf SUN of my soul, Thou Saviour dear,
 It is not night if Thou be near:
 Oh may no earth-born cloud arise
 To hide Thee from Thy servant's eyes.
 - When the soft dews of kindly sleep
 My wearied eyelids gently steep,
 Be my last thought, how sweet to rest
 For ever on my Saviour's breast.
- mf Abide with me from morn till eve, For without Thee I cannot live; Abide with me when night is nigh, For without Thee I dare not die.
 - p If some poor wandering child of Thine Have spurned, to-day, the voice divine, Now, Lord, the gracious work begin; Let him no more lie down in sin.

Watch by the sick; enrich the poor With blessings from Thy boundless store; Be every mourner's sleep to-night Like infant's slumbers, pure and light.

- mf Come near and bless us when we wake, Ere through the world our way we take;
- cr Till in the ocean of Thy love
- f We lose ourselves in heaven above. Amen.

VALETE.

Six 8's.

ARTHUR SULLIVAN, 1842-1900.







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P SWEET Saviour! bless us 'ere we go;
Thy word into our minds instil,
And make our lukewarm hearts to glow
With lowly love and fervent will.

cr Through life's long day, and death's dark night,

p O gentle Jesu, be our Light.

The day is done, its hours have run;
And Thou hast taken count of all—
The scanty triumphs grace hath won,
The broken vow, the frequent fall.

cr Through life's long day, and death's dark night,
p O gentle Jesu, be our Light.

Grant us, dear Lord, from evil ways
True absolution and release;
And bless us more than in past days
With purity and inward peace.

cr Through life's long day, and death's dark night,
p O gentle Jesu, be our Light.

f Do more than pardon; give us joy,
Sweet fear, and sober liberty,
And loving hearts without alloy,
That only long to be like Thee.

mf Through life's long day, and death's dark night,
p O gentle Jesu, be our Light.

mf For all we love, the poor, the sad,
The sinful, unto Thee we call;
f Oh let Thy mercy make us glad;
Thou art our Jesus, and our All!
mf Through life's long day, and death's dark night,
p O gentle Jesu, be our Light.

p Sweet Saviour! bless us: night is come;
Amid the darkness near us be!
Good Angels watch about our home;
And we are one day nearer Thee!
cr Through life's long day, and death's dark night,
p O gentle Jesu, be our Light. Amen.



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mf THE day departs;
Our souls and hearts
Long for that better morrow,
When Christ shall set His people free
From every care and sorrow.

The sunshine bright
Is lost in night;
O Lord, Thyself unveiling,
Shine on our souls with beams of love,
All darkness there dispelling.

Be Thou still nigh,
With sleepless eye,
While all around are sleeping,
And Angel-guards, at Thy command,
Afar all danger keeping.

The land above,
Of peace and love,
No earthly beams need brighten;
For all its borders Christ Himself
Doth with His glory lighten.

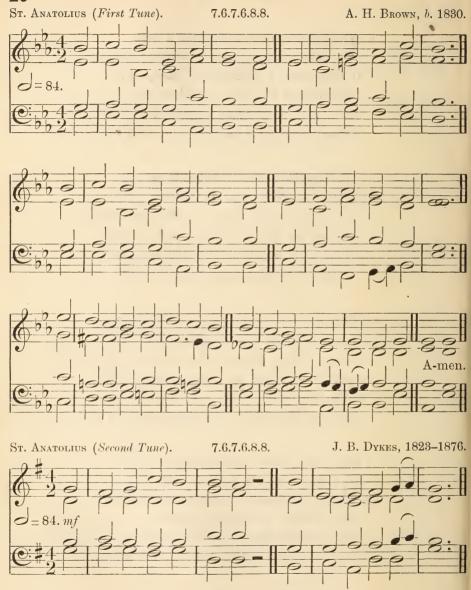
f May we be there,
That joy to share,
Glad Hallelujahs singing:
With all the ransomed evermore
Our joyful praises bringing.

Lord Jesu, Thou
Our Refuge now,
Forsake Thy servants never;
cr Uphold and guide that we may stand
Before Thy throne for ever. Amen.

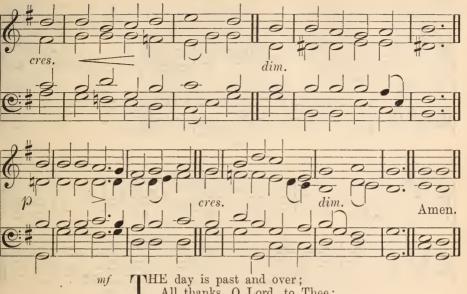


THE day is gently sinking to a close,
Fainter and yet more faint the sunlight glows;
o Brightness of Thy Father's glory,—Thou
Eternal Light of Light, be with us now;
Where Thou art present, darkness cannot be,
Midnight is glorious noon, O Lord, with Thee.

- p Our changeful lives are ebbing to an end,
 Onward to darkness and to death we tend;
 mf O Conqueror of the grave, be Thou our Guide,
 Be Thou our Light in death's dark eventide;
 Then in our mortal hour will be no gloom,
 No sting in death, no terror in the tomb.
- mf Thou, Who in darkness walking didst appear Upon the waves, and Thy disciples cheer, p Come, Lord, in lonesome days, when storms assail, And earthly hopes, and human succours fail; When all is dark, may we behold Thee nigh, And hear Thy voice,—(f)" Fear not, for it is I."
- p The weary world is mouldering to decay,
 Its glories wane, its pageants fade away;
 mf In that last sunset, when the stars shall fall,
 May we arise, awakened by Thy call,
 With Thee, O Lord, for ever to abide
 In that blest day which has no eventide. Amen.



Evenina.



All thanks, O Lord, to Thee;

I pray Thee now that sinless The hours of dark may be: O Jesu, keep me in Thy sight,

p And guard me through the coming night.

The joys of day are over; I lift my heart to Thee, And ask Thee that offenceless

The hours of dark may be: O Jesu, keep me in Thy sight,

p And guard me through the coming night.

The toils of day are over;

I raise the hymn to Thee, And ask that free from peril

The hours of dark may be:

O Jesu, keep me in Thy sight,

p And guard me through the coming night.

Be Thou my soul's preserver, For Thou alone dost know

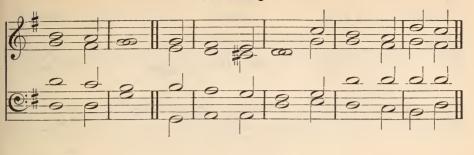
How many are the perils

Through which I have to go:

O loving Jesu, hear my call,

p And guard and save me from them all. Amen.







mf THE day Thou gavest, Lord, is ended,
The darkness falls at Thy behest;
f To Thee our morning hymns ascended,
Thy praise shall hallow now our rest.

mf We thank Thee that Thy Church unsleeping,
While earth rolls onward into light,
Through all the world her watch is keeping,
And rests not now by day or night.

As o'er each continent and island
The dawn leads on another day,
The voice of prayer is never silent,
Nor dies the strain of praise away.

The sun, that bids us rest, is waking Our brethren 'neath the western sky, And hour by hour fresh lips are making Thy wondrous doings heard on high.

f So be it, Lord; Thy throne shall never,
Like earth's proud empires, pass away;
But stand, and rule, and grow for ever,
Till all Thy creatures own Thy sway. Amen.



THE radiant morn hath passed away,
And spent too soon her golden store;
The shadows of departing day

Creep on once more.

mf Our life is but an autumn sun,

Its glorious noon how quickly past;—

p Lead us, O Christ, our life-work done,

Safe home at last.

mf Oh, by Thy soul-inspiring graceUplift our hearts to realms on high;Help us to look to that bright placeBeyond the sky;

cr Where light and life and joy and peace
In undivided empire reign,
And thronging Angels never cease
Their deathless strain;

f Where Saints are clothed in spotless white, And evening shadows never fall; Where Thou, Eternal Light of Light, Art Lord of all! Amen.



THE shadows of the evening hours
 Fall from the darkening sky;
 Upon the fragrance of the flowers
 The dews of evening lie:
 Before Thy throne, O Lord of heaven,
 We kneel at close of day;
 Look on Thy children from on high,
 And hear us while we pray.

The sorrows of Thy servants, Lord,
Oh do not Thou despise,
But let the incense of our prayers
Before Thy mercy rise:
cr The brightness of the coming light
Upon the darkness rolls;
With hopes of future glory chase
The shadows on our souls.

p Slowly the rays of daylight fade;
So fade within our heart
The hopes in earthly love and joy,
That one by one depart:
cr Slowly the bright stars, one by one,
Within the heavens shine;
Give us, O Lord, fresh hopes in heaven,
And trust in things divine.

p Let peace, O Lord, Thy peace, O God,
Upon our souls descend;
From midnight fears and perils Thou
Our trembling hearts defend;
Give us a respite from our toil,
Calm and subdue our woes;
Through the long day we labour, Lord,—
Oh give us now repose. Amen.





THE sun is sinking fast,
 The daylight dies;
 Let love awake, and pay
 Her evening sacrifice.

p As Christ upon the Cross
 His head inclined,
 And to His Father's hands
 His parting soul resigned,

mf So now herself my soulWould wholly giveInto His sacred charge,In Whom all spirits live;

So now beneath His eye
Would calmly rest,
Without a wish or thought
Abiding in the breast,

Save that His will be done, Whate'er betide, Dead to herself, and dead In Him to all beside.

f Thus would I live; yet now Not I, but He In all His power and love Henceforth alive in me.

One Sacred Trinity!
One Lord Divine!
May I be ever His,
And He for ever mine. Amen.



MF THROUGH the changes of the day
Kept by Thy sustaining power,
Offerings of thanks we pay,
Father, in this evening hour.
Praises to Thy Name belong,
Source and Giver of all good;
While we lift our evening song,
Fill our souls with gratitude.

From the dangers which have frowned,
From the snares in secret set,
We have, through Thy mercy, found
Safety and deliverance yet.
All the day that mercy hath
Guarded us from ills untold,
All the day along our path
Scattered blessings manifold.

Spirit, Who hast been our Light
And the Guardian of our way,
Let Thy mercy and Thy might
Keep us to another day:
Help us, Father, so to spend
All our moments as they flee,
That, when life and labour end,
We may fall asleep in Thee. Amen.

DRETZEL.

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mf THROUGH the day Thy love has mf Pilgrims here on earth, and strangers, spared us; Dwelling in the midst of foes,

Now we lay us down to rest: Through the silent watches guard us;

Let no foe our peace molest:

p Jesu, Thou our Guardian be; Sweet it is to trust in Thee. Dwelling in the midst of foes,
Us and ours preserve from dangers,
In Thine arms may we repose;

P And, when life's sad day is past,
Rest with Thee in heaven at last.

Amen.

Also the following:

Abide with me! fast falls the eventide—355
All-Holy Sovereign of the sky—64
Before the ending of the day—55
Creator! Who from heaven Thy throne—68
Great Creator, wise and good—62
Inspirer and Hearer of prayer—437
Lead, kindly Light, amid the encircling gloom—455
Lo! the firmament doth bear—60

O Blest Creator, God Most High—70 O God of truth, O Lord of might—52

O God, Thou art my God alone—489 O Sovereign Lord of Nature's might—66

O Strength and Stay, upholding all creation—53
O Trinity of Blessèd Light—71

Source of light and life divine—58
The roseate hues of early dawn—558

ST. FLAVIAN.

C.M.

Day's Psalter, 1562.





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Thy children to Thy knee;

Here lingering still, we ask for nought,

But simply worship Thee.

The hope of heaven's eternal days

Absorbs not all the heart
That gives Thee glory, love, and praise,
For being what Thou art.

f For Thou art God, the One, the Same,
O'er all things high and bright;
Andround us, when we speak Thy Name,
There spreads a heaven of light.

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On excellence divine;

To know that nought in man can tell How fair Thy beauties shine!

of O Thou, above all blessing blest,
O'er thanks exalted far,
Thy very greatness is a rest
To weaklings as we are;

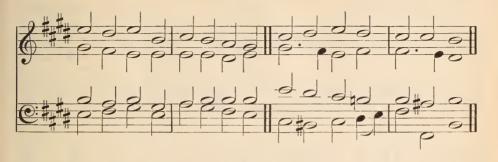
For when we feel the praise of Thee
A task beyond our powers,
We say, "A perfect God is He,
And He is fully ours."

f All glory to the Father be,
All glory to the Son,
All glory, Holy Ghost, to Thee,
While endless ages run. Amen.



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Close of Service.



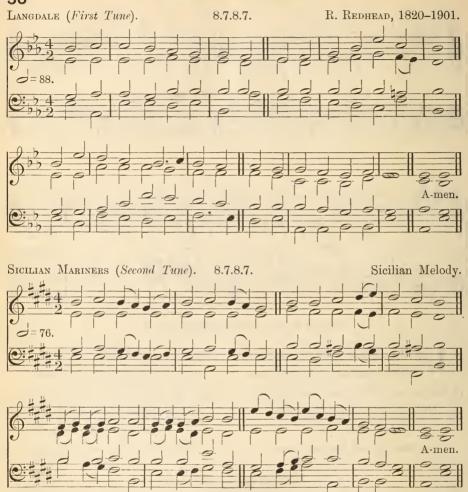


May also be sung to "St. Raphael," No. 154.

mf L ORD, dismiss us with Thy blessing,
Fillour hearts with joy and peace;
cr Let us each, Thy love possessing,
Triumph in redeeming grace.
p Oh refresh us,
In this dry and barren place.

f Thanks we give and adoration
For Thy Gospel's joyful sound;
May the fruits of Thy salvation
In our hearts and lives abound!
Ever faithful
To the truth may we be found!

p So, whene'er the signal's given
Us from earth to call away,
cr Borne on Angels' wings to heaven,
Glad the summons to obey,
May we ever
Reign with Christ in endless day. Amen.



p MAY the grace of Christ our Saviour, And the Father's boundless love, With the Holy Spirit's favour,

dim Rest upon us from above.

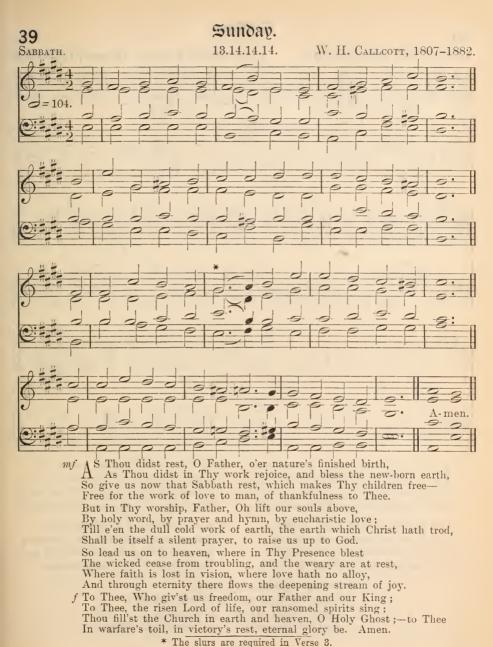
p Thus may we abide in union

cr With each other and the Lord,
And possess, in sweet communion,
dim Joys which earth cannot afford.

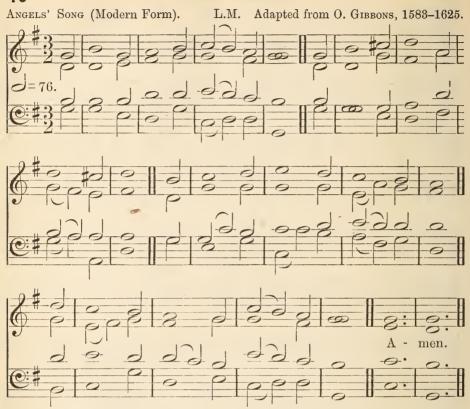
Amen.

Also the following:

Lord, now we part in Thy blest Name-467



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mf CORD of the Sabbath, hear us pray,
In this Thy house, on this Thy
Accept, as grateful sacrifice, [day;
The songs which from Thy temple rise.

Thy day of rest, O Lord, we love, But there's a nobler rest above; To that our labouring souls aspire With ardent pangs of strong desire.

- f In Thy blest kingdom we shall be From every mortal trouble free; No sighs shall mingle with the songs Resounding from immortal tongues.
- mf No rude alarms of raging foes;
 No cares to break the long repose;
 No midnight shade, no clouded sun,
 But sacred, high, eternal noon.

f O long-expected day, begin,
Dawn on these realms of woe and sin!
Break, morn of God, upon our eyes;
And let the world's true Sun arise! Amen.





DAY of rest and gladness,
O day of joy and light,
O balm of care and sadness,
Most beautiful, most bright;
On thee the high and lowly,
Through ages joined in tune,
Sing, Holy, Holy,
To the great God Triune.

On thee, at the Creation,
The light first had its birth;
On thee, for our salvation,
Christ rose from depths of earth;
On thee, our Lord victorious
The Spirit sent from heaven;

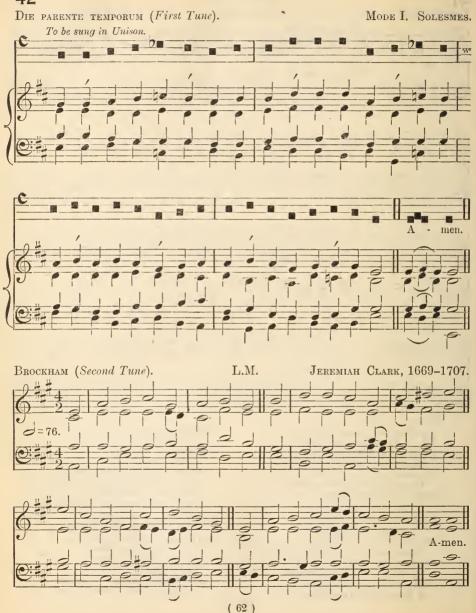
The Spirit sent from heaven; And thus on thee most glorious A triple light was given.

mf To-day on weary nations
The heavenly Manna falls;
To holy convocations
The silver trumpet calls;
Where Gospel-light is glowing
With pure and radiant beams;
And living water flowing
With soul-refreshing streams.

p New graces ever gaining
From this our day of rest,
We reach the rest remaining
To spirits of the Blest.

f To Holy Ghost be praises, To Father and to Son; The Church her voice upraises

To Thee, blest Three in One. Amen.



Sunday.

on this Thy day, the First of days, Great Source of all, Creation's might, Who call'st earth's darkness into light.

This day Thy Well-Beloved Son Rose from the dead—His victory won; This day the Holy Spirit came With fiery tongues of cloven flame.

Oh may our weary hearts this day Be cheered and blest by love's sweet ray; That we, through love, may praise aright The great First Source of life and light.

Father, Who by Thy power benign, In man Thine Image didst enshrine; With Thy great love our spirits fill That heart and hand may do Thy will.

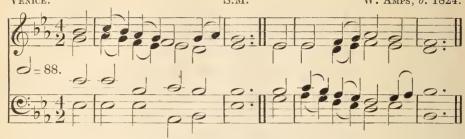
Jesu, with Whom we here would be, Dead unto sin, entombed with Thee; By love inflamed may we arise Each unto Thee a sacrifice.

Spirit Divine, in Whom we live, To us Thy holy unction give, Until our hearts shall burn to see Thy love which binds all love to Thee.

O Great and Holy Three in One, Father and Spirit with the Son, Who wrought salvation's mystery, Knit all our hearts, O God, to Thee. Amen. VENICE.

S.M.

W. Amps, b. 1824.





mf OUR day of praise is done;
The evening shadows fall;
But pass not from us with the sun,
True Light that lightenest all!

Around the throne on high,
Where night can never be,
The white-robed harpers of the sky
Bring ceaseless hymns to Thee.

mf Yet, Lord, to Thy dear will
If Thou attune the heart,
We in Thine Angels' music still
May bear our lower part.

'Tis Thine each soul to calm,
Each wayward thought reclaim,
And make our life a daily psalm
Of glory to Thy Name.

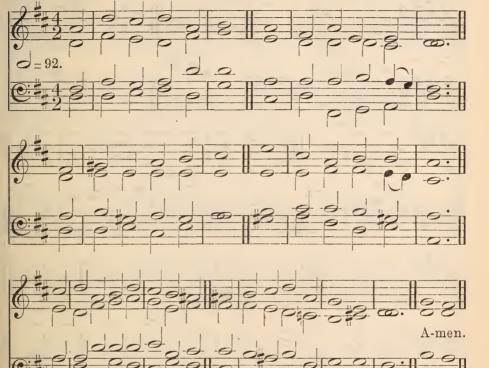
Too faint our anthems here; cr A little while, and then
Too soon of praise we tire: Shall come the glorious end;

f But Oh, the strains how full and clear f And songs of Angels and of men
Of that eternal choir! In perfect praise shall blend. Amen.

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W. Croft. 1678-1727.



To hail this sacred day,
And in glad songs of praise
Your grateful homage pay;
Come, bless the day that God hath blest,
The type of heaven's eternal rest.

Upon this happy morn
The Lord of life arose;
He burst the bands of death,
And vanquished all our foes;
And now He pleads our cause above,
And reaps the fruit of all His love.

All hail, triumphant Lord!
Heaven with Hosanna rings,
And earth in humbler strains
Thy praise responsive sings;
Worthy the Lamb, that once was slain,
Through endless years to live and reign! Amen.



SWEET is the work, my God, my King,

To praise Thy Name, give thanks and sing,

To show Thy love by morning light, And talk of all Thy truth at night.

Sweet is the day of sacred rest;
 No mortal care shall seize my breast;
 Oh may my heart in tune be found,
 Like David's harp of solemn sound!

f My heart shall triumph in my Lord, And bless His works, and bless His word;

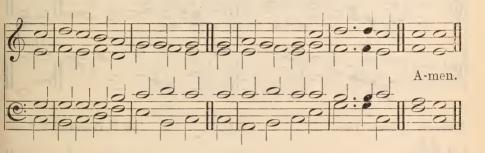
Thy works of grace, how bright they shine!

How deep Thy counsels, how divine!

And I shall share a glorious part, When grace hath well refined my heart, And sweet supplies of joy are shed, Like holy oil to cheer my head.

f Then shall I see and hear and know All I desired or wished below, And every power find sweet employ In that eternal world of joy. Amen.

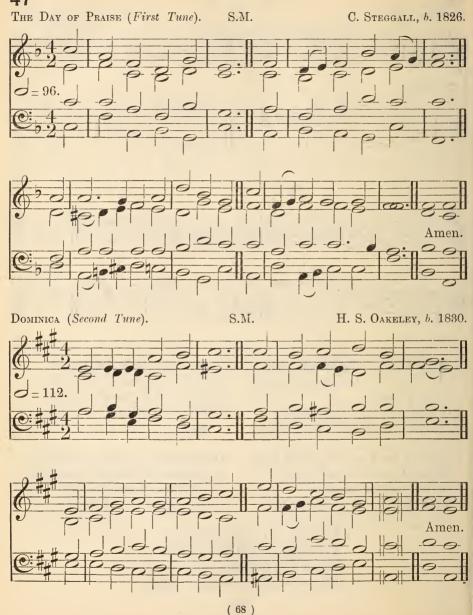




THIS day, at Thy creating word, First o'er the earth the light was poured:

- p O Lord, this day upon us shine, And fill our souls with light divine.
- f This day the Lord, for sinners slain, In might victorious rose again:
- p O Jesu, may we raised be From death of sin to life in Thee.

- mf This day the Holy Spirit came
 With fiery tongues of cloven flame:
 - p O Spirit, fill our hearts this day With grace to hear, and grace to pray.
 - P O day of light, and life, and grace!
 From earthly toils sweet resting-place!
 Thy hallowed hours, best gift of Love,
 Give we again to God above!
- f All praise to God the Father be;
 All praise, Eternal Son, to Thee,
 Whom with the Spirit we adore
 For ever and for evermore. Amen.



Sunday.

THIS is the day of Light.

Let there be light to-day.

O Dayspring, rise upon our night,

And chase its gloom away.

p This is the day of Rest.Our failing strength renew;On weary brain and troubled breastShed Thou Thy freshening dew.

This is the day of Peace.

Thy peace our spirits fill!

Bid Thou the blasts of discord cease,

The waves of strife be still.

This is the day of Prayer.

Let earth to heaven draw near:

mf Lift up our hearts to seek Thee there,

p Come down to meet us here.

This is the First of days!

Send forth Thy quickening breath,

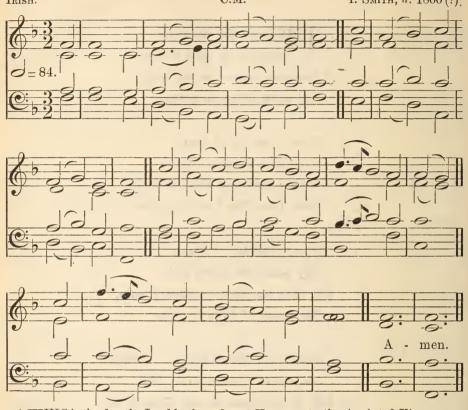
And wake dead souls to love and praise,

O Vanquisher of death! Amen.

TRISH.

C.M.

I. Smith, d. 1800 (?)



THIS is the day the Lord hath made, f Hosanna to the Anointed King, He calls the hours His own:

f Let heaven rejoice, let earth be glad, And praise surround the throne.

mf To-day He rose and left the dead, And Satan's empire fell;

f To-day the Saints His triumphs spread, And all His wonders tell.

To David's Holy Son!

p Help us, O Lord! descend and bring Salvation from the throne.

f Hosanna in the highest strains The Church on earth can raise;

The highest heavens in which He reigns Shall give Him nobler praise.

Amen.

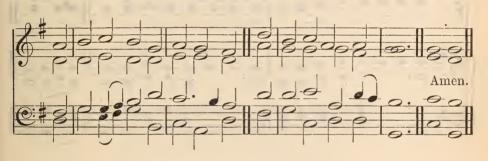
Also the following:

First day of days! wherein arrayed-56 Framer of the earth and sky-57 Oh, what the joy and the glory must be-524 Source of light and life divine-58 (70)

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Daily.





EARLY MORNING.

mf BEHOLD, the shade of night departs,
And beauteous shines the day;
Then to the Lord with grateful hearts
Let us unite to pray:

p To pray for pardon of the past,
 For grace from sin to cease;
 For guidance now, and at the last
 For never-ending peace.

mf These blessings grant, O Father, Son,And Spirit, God of grace,f To Whom be praise, blest Three in One,In every time and place. Amen.



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MORNING.

Mow that the daylight fills the sky,

Lift we our hearts to God on high,

That He in all we do or say

Would keep us free from harm to-day.

May He restrain our tongues, lest strife Break forth to mar the peace of life; And guard with watchful care our eyes From earth's absorbing vanities.

Oh may our inmost hearts be pure, Our thoughts from folly kept secure, The pride of fleshly sense subdued By temperate use of drink and food!

So when the daylight leaves the sky,
And night's dark hours once more are nigh,
May we, unsoiled by sinful stain,
Sing glory to our God again.

f All praise to God the Father be;
All praise, Eternal Son, to Thee,
Whom with the Spirit we adore,
One God, both now and evermore. Amen

Nunc Sancte nobis Spiritus (First Tune). Mode VIII. Ancient Plain Song. To be sung in Unison.





THIRD HOUR.

- P COME, Holy Ghost, Who ever One Art with the Father, and the Son; Come, Holy Ghost, our souls possess With Thy full flood of holiness.
- mf Let heart, and lips, and strength, and mind, Sound forth our witness to mankind; And love light up our mortal frame, Till others catch the living flame.
- f Now to the Father, to the Son,
 And to the Spirit, Three in One,
 Be praise and thanks and glory given
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SIXTH HOUR.

of O GOD of truth, O Lord of might,
Who orderest time and change aright,
Sending the early morning ray,
Lighting the glow of perfect day;

Extinguish Thou each sinful fire, And banish every ill desire: And while Thou keepst the body whole, Shed forth Thy peace upon the soul.

O Father, that we ask be done, Through Jesus Christ, Thine only Son, Who, with the Holy Ghost and Thee, Doth live and reign eternally. Amen.

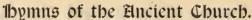


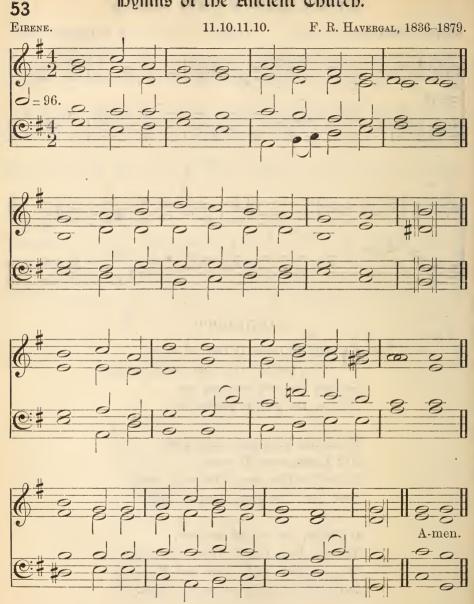
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NINTH HOUR.

of STRENGTH and Stay, upholding all creation,
 Who ever dost Thyself unmoved abide,
 Yet day by day the light in due gradation
 From hour to hour through all its changes guide;

p Grant to life's day a calm unclouded ending, An eve untouched by shadows of decay, The brightness of a holy deathbed blending With dawning glories of the eternal day.

mf Hear us, O Father, gracious and forgiving,Through Jesus Christ, Thy Co-eternal Word,Who, with the Holy Ghost, by all things livingNow and to endless ages art adored. Amen.



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EVENING.

O CHRIST, Who art the Light and Day,
 Who shed'st through night Thy searching ray,
 Who very Light of Light art known,
 And heaven's own Light to earth hast shown,

All-holy Lord, to Thee we bend, Thy servants through this night defend; Oh grant us, Lord, in Thee to rest, Our night with quiet slumbers blest.

Let but the eyes light slumber take, The heart to Thee be aye awake, Be Thy right hand upheld above Thy servants resting in Thy love.

Our Sun and Shield, behold from high, Bid all the powers of darkness fly; Thy servants guard and guide for good, The purchase of Thy precious Blood.

Be mindful of us, Lord, we pray,
Whilst in this mortal flesh we stay;
Thou only canst the soul defend,
Be present with us to the end. Amen.

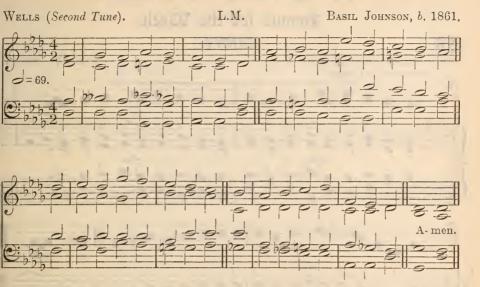


LATE EVENING.

mf B EFORE the ending of the day,
Creator of the world, we pray
That Thou with wonted love wouldst keep
Thy watch around us while we sleep.

Our souls from evil dreamings keep Through all the unguarded hours of sleep; Our ghostly foe do Thou prevent, And let our rest be innocent.

cr Hear Thou our prayer, Almighty King!
Hear Thou our praises, while we sing,
f Adoring with the heavenly Host
The Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.



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Hynns for the Week.

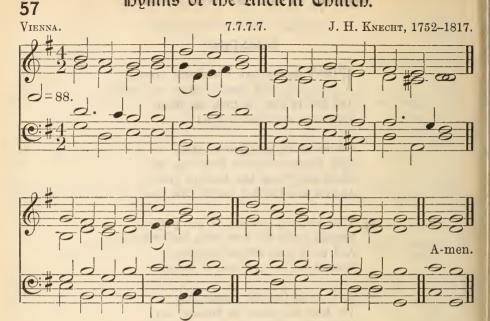


MORNING.

f FIRST day of days! wherein, arrayed
In light and beauty, earth was made;
And life to give us from the dead
Victorious our Creator sped!

Let us with joyful hearts arise, And, chasing slumber from our eyes, Right early seek the Lord of grace, As erst the Prophet sought His face;

- mf That He may hearken to our prayer,
 Stretch forth His arm with kindly care,
 And every past offence forgiven,
 Restore us to our home in heaven;
- mf And as on this His sacred day
 We here our thankful homage pay
 Of praise and prayer, each peaceful hour
 May o'er us ample blessings shower.
 - P Father of majesty and light!
 Put every evil thought to flight;
 From deeds unholy and impure
 Our frames, Thy workmanship, secure;
- cr That, from all carnal bondage free, And made for ever pure, to Thee We may in adoration raise, Our hope, perpetual songs of praise.
- f Glory to God the Father be!
 Like glory, Only Son, to Thee;
 And to the Holy Paraclete,
 Now and through ages infinite. Amen.



mf TRAMER of the earth and sky, Ruler of the day and night, At Thy word the shadows fly, Morn returns, and all is bright.

Through the midnight hours forlorn, Thou, the Lord of light, art near; Taught by Thee, the bird of morn Tells that day will soon appear.

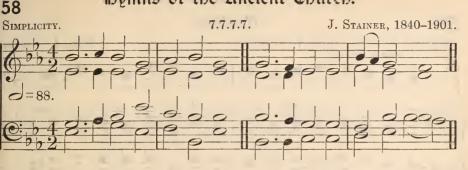
Tossed upon the stormy tide, Seamen hail the morning's ray; He who thrice his Lord denied Found repentance with the day.

f Let us then our hearts arouse, Morning calls us to awake, Bids us haste to pay our vows, And our meek confessions make.

p Jesu, Master, when we fall Turn on us Thy healing face; With that look our souls recall Unto penitential grace.

mf Sin's destructions, Lord, repair, In our darkened bosoms shine: Thine the early morning prayer, Morning hymns of glory Thine.

f Glory to the Father be, Equal glory to the Son; With the Spirit, One and Three, While eternal ages run. Amen.





EVENING.

mf SOURCE of light and life divine,
Thou didst cause the light to shine;
Thou didst give Thy sunbeams birth
O'er the new created earth.

Shade of eve and morning ray
Took from Thee the name of day;—
p Now the shades of night are nigh,
Listen to our suppliant cry.

- mf May we ne'er, by guilt oppressed, Lose the way to endless rest;
- p May no thoughts impure and vain Draw our souls to earth again.
- mf May we, ere it be too late, Knocking at the heavenly gate, Every thought of evil shun, Till the prize of life be won.

p Holy Father, Holy Son,
Holy Spirit, Three in One,
f Praise and glory be to Thee,
Now and through Eternity. Amen.



MORNING.

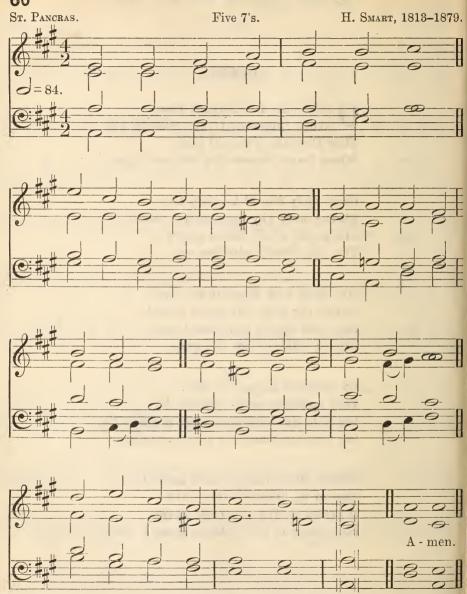
p O JESU, Lord of heavenly grace,
 Thou Brightness of Thy Father's face,
 Thou Fountain of eternal light,
 Whose beams disperse the shades of night;

Come, Holy Sun of heavenly love, Shower down Thy radiance from above; And to our inward hearts convey The Holy Spirit's cloudless ray.

May faith, deep rooted in the soul, Subdue our flesh, our minds control; May guile depart, and discord cease, And all within be joy and peace.

So gladly let us pass the day, With meekness for its morning ray, Our faith like noontide shining bright, Our souls undimmed by shades of night.

f Dawn's glory gilds the earth and skies;
Rise on us, Heavenly Glory, rise;
O Father in Thy Son made known,
Son, sharer of Thy Father's throne! Amen.



EVENING.

mf LO! the firmament doth bear
Floods of water high in air,
Whence each day the dew and rain
Fall upon the thirsty plain,
Soon to mount to heaven again:

Emblem of the grace in store
In God's Presence evermore,
That on lowly hearts and true
Falling like the silent dew
To its Fountain mounts anew.

- p Day by-day, then, be it ours,
 Lord, to drink those holy showers;
 That within our souls may lie
 cr Wells of water never dry,
 f Springing up to heaven most high.
- p Thou Who dost the Spirit give,
 Fount of life, by which we live:
 Biding in His peaceful ways
 Bear we all our earthly days
 Fruit of love and holy praise.
- p Thou Who tookest flesh and blood, That our eyes might look on God:
- cr To Thy Name all glory be,
 In the Blessèd Trinity,
 - f Now and to eternity. Amen.



MORNING.

f A S the bird, whose clarion gay
Sounds before the dawn is grey,
Christ, Who brings the spirit's day,
Calls us, close at hand:
"Wake!" He cries, "and for My sake,
From your eyes dull slumber shake!
Sober, righteous, chaste, awake!
At the door I stand!"

mf Lord, to Thee we lift on high
Fervent prayer and bitter cry:
Hearts aroused to pray and sigh
May not slumber more:
Break the sleep of Death and Time,
Forged by Adam's ancient crime;
And the light of Eden's prime
To the world restore!

p Now before Thy throne, while we Ask, upon our bended knee,
That this blessing granted be,
And Thy grace implore;
cr Unto God the Father, Son,
Holy Spirit, Three in One,
One in Three, be glory done,
f Now and evermore. Amen.

BATTISHILL.

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J. Battishill, 1738-1801.





EVENING.

mf CREAT Creator, wise and good,
At Whose voice the waters fled,
And the earth in beauty stood,
Rising from the ocean's bed:

At Whose voice the fruitful earth Robed herself in fairest dress, Golden flowers received their birth, Grateful herbage, man to bless. Father, with Thy freshening grace
 Bathe the wounded spirit's sore;
 Till our tears the past efface,
 And we fall from Thee no more.

Till we learn the narrow road,
Shun the world's polluted breath,
cr Joy in nothing but our God,
f Triumph o'er the power of death.

mf Father, to our prayer give ear,
Hear us, O Co-equal Son,
Hear us, Blessèd Comforter;
Ever Three and ever One. Amen.

Mednesday.



May also be sung to "Enmore," No. 61, or "Pendrea," No. 65.

MORNING.

Hence, vain shadows of the night! Mists that dim our mortal sight, Christ is come! Depart! f Darkness routed lifts her wings As the radiance upwards springs: Through the world of wakened things

Life and colour dart.

AY is breaking, dawn is bright: "mf Thee, O Christ, alone we know: Singing even in our woe, With pure hearts to Thee we go: On our senses shine! In Thy beams be purged away All that leads our thoughts astray! Through our spirits, King of day, Pour Thy light divine!

> p Now before Thy throne, while we Ask, upon our bended knee. That this blessing granted be, .And Thy grace implore; cr Unto God the Father, Son, Holy Spirit, Three in One, One in Three, be glory done, Now and evermore. Amen.

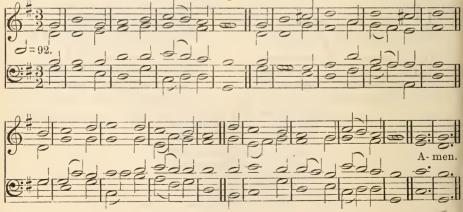
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Mode II. Sarum.



L.M.

Angels' Song (Modern Form) (Second Tune). Adapted from O. Gibbons, 1583–1625.



EVENING.

Mf ALL-Holy Sovereign of the sky,

Whose voice this day enthroned on high

Those orbs that shine so bright and fair,

And Thy Almighty power declare;

By Thy appointment to divide
The morning from the evening tide;
With influence sweet the earth to cheer,
And bless with grateful change the year.

Shine on our hearts, Thou better Day, And inward darkness chase away; Let evil flee before Thy smile, And sin no more our souls defile.

Such blessings, Lord, our prayers implore, This evening, and for evermore; Hear us, O Father, hear, O Son, And Holy Spirit, Three in One. Amen.

Thursday. 65 7.7.7.5. D. M. J. Monk, b. 1858. PENDREA. May also be sung to "Enmore," No. 61, or "Daybreak," No. 63.

MORNING.

Mf SEE the golden sun arise!

Let no more our darkened eyes

Snare us, tangled by surprise

In the maze of sin!

From false words and thoughts impure

Let this Light, serene and sure,

Keep our lips without secure,

Keep our souls within.

So may we the day-time spend,
That, till life's temptations end,
Tongue, nor hand, nor eye offend!
One, above us all,
Views in His revealing ray
All we do, and think, and say,
Watching us from break of day
Till the twilight fall.

p Now before Thy throne, while we Ask, upon our bended knee,
That this blessing granted be,
And Thy grace implore;
cr Unto God the Father, Son,
Holy Spirit, Three in One,
One in Three, be glory done,
f Now and evermore. Amen.

MAGNÆ DEUS POTENTIÆ (First Tune).

Mode II. Ancient Plain Song.



EVENING.

O SOVEREIGN Lord of Nature's might,
Who badst the water's birth divide;
Part in the heavens to take their flight,
And part in ocean's deep to hide;

These low obscured, on airy wing
Exalted those, that either race,
Though from one element they spring,
Might serve Thee in a different place;

Grant, Lord, that we Thy servants all,
Saved by Thy tide of cleansing blood,
No more 'neath sin's dominion fall,
Nor fear the thought of death's dark flood!

Thy varied love each spirit bless,

The humble cheer, the high control;

Check in each heart its proud excess,

But raise the meek and contrite soul!

This boon, O Father, we entreat;
This blessing grant, Eternal Son;
And Holy Ghost, the Paraclete;
Both now, and while the ages run. Amen.

Friday. 67 ÆTERNA CŒLI GLORIA (First Tune). MODE VI. SOLESMES. To be sung in Unison. men. L.M. Breslau (Second Tune). CLAUDER'S Psalmodia nova, 1630.

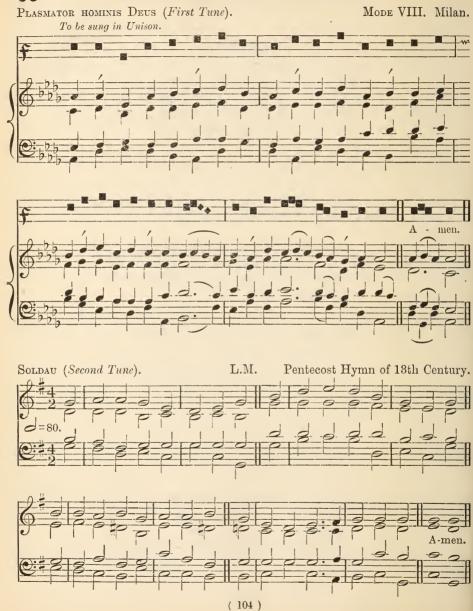
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MORNING.

mf O CHRIST, Whose glory fills the heaven, Our only Hope, in mercy given; Child of a Virgin meek and pure; Son of the Highest evermore:

Grant us Thine aid Thy praise to sing, As opening days new duties bring; That with the light our life may be Renewed and sanctified by Thee.

- p The morning star fades from the sky,
- cr The sun breaks forth; night's shadows fly:
- f O Thou, true Light, upon us shine: Our darkness turn to light divine.
- P Within us grant Thy light to dwell;
 And from our souls dark sins expel;
 Cleanse Thou our minds from stain of ill,
 And with Thy peace our bosoms fill.
- mf To us strong faith for ever give, With joyous hope, in Thee to live; That life's rough way may ever be Made strong and pure by charity.
 - f All laud to God, the Father, be:
 All laud, Eternal Son, to Thee:
 All laud, as is for ever meet,
 To God, the Holy Paraclete. Amen.



Ibymns of the Ancient Church.

EVENING.

ordainest all things, God alone!
Who badst the earth to being bring
Cattle and beast and creeping thing;

And as, to life called forth by Thee, Those varied forms began to be, To man's subjection Thou didst give All things which on the earth do live;

Do Thou,—when lawless passion sways Our minds and hearts to evil ways; And thoughts of ill, unholy seed, Are ripening into word and deed;—

To us Thy promised blessings give, Beneath Thy grace grant us to live: From guilty strife Thy flock release, Make fast the gentle bands of peace.

These favours, Lord, of Thee we pray, Thy blessing grant, this closing day; Sole Sovereign of the heavenly Host, Thee, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Hymns of the Ancient Church.

69 Saturday. Mode VIII. Milan. SUMMÆ DEUS CLEMENTIÆ (First Tune). To be sung in Unison. men. L.M. LUDBOROUGH (Second Tune). T. R. Matthews, b. 1826.

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Hymns of the Ancient Church.

MORNING.

mf GREAT God of boundless mercy, hear;
Thou Framer of this earthly sphere:
One in eternity of might,
In Whom the immortal Three unite.

O listen to our thankful lays Of mingled penitence and praise; And set our hearts from error free, More fully to rejoice in Thee.

Our hearts and reins in pity heal, And with Thy chastening fires anneal; Gird Thou our loins, each passion quell, And every worldly lust expel.

- f Now as our anthems, upward borne,
 Awake the silence of the morn,
 Enrich us with Thy gifts of grace,
 From heaven, Thy blissful dwelling-place!
- p Most gracious Father, grant our prayer; Co-equal Only Son, give ear;
- cr Who with Thee, Spirit Paraclete,
- f Reign throughout ages infinite. Amen.



Hymns of the Ancient Church.

EVENING.

mf O BLEST Creator, God Most High,
Great ruler of the starry sky,
dim Who, robing day with beauteous light,
Hast clothed in soft repose the night,

- p That sleep may wearied limbs restore
 And fit for toil and use once more;
 May gently soothe the careworn breast
 And lull our anxious grief to rest.
- mf We thank Thee for the day that's gone; We pray Thee, now the night comes on, Oh help us sinners as we raise To Thee our votive hymn of praise.
 - f To Thee our hearts their music bring,
 To Thee our lips in concord sing:
 To Thee our rapt affections soar,
 And Thee our chastened souls adore.
- p Lord, when the parting beams of day
 In evening's shadows fade away,
 cr Let faith no wildering darkness know,
 f But night with faith's own splendour glow.
- mf God over all, of mighty sway,Shield us, great Trinity, we pray,cr Whom with the Angels we adore,f One God, One Lord, for evermore. Amen.

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O Lux beata Trinitas (First Tune).

Mode VIII. Sarum.



of O TRINITY of Blessèd Light,
O Unity of primal Might,
The fiery sun now goes his way;
Shed Thou within our hearts Thy ray.

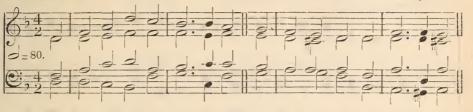
To Thee our morning song of praise, To Thee our evening prayer we raise; Oh grant us with Thy Saints on high To praise Thee through eternity.

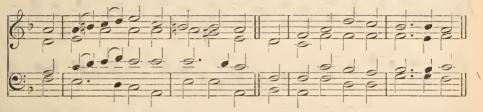
Amen.

STALHEIM.

8.8.8.8.8.6.

LINDEMAN'S Koralbog, 1838.







mf" BEHOLD, the Bridegroom draweth nigh;"

Hear ye the oft-repeated cry?
Go forth into the midnight dim,
For blest are they whom He shall
find

With ready heart and watchful mind; Go forth, my soul, to Him.

mf "Behold, the Bridegroom cometh by;"
The call is echoed from the sky;

Go forth, ye servants, watch and wait:

p The slothful cannot join His train, No careless one may entrance gain; Awake, my soul,—'tis late. O Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,

We cry to Thee with one accord;
To us Thy pitying mercy show,
That none may reach the door too

late,

When Thou shalt enter at the gate And to Thy kingdom go.

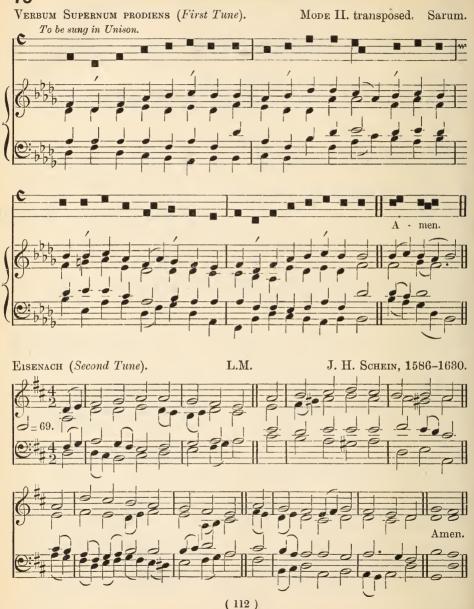
mf" Behold, the Bridegroom draweth near;"

The warning falls on every ear, [all; The night of dread shall come to Then, O my soul, renew thy light,

And trim thy lamp that it burn bright;

Soon shall I hear the call.

dim



mf CELESTIAL Word, to this our earth
Sent down from God's eternal clime,
To save mankind by mortal birth
Into a world of change and time;

Lighten our hearts; vain hopes destroy;
And in Thy love's consuming fire
Fill all the soul with heavenly joy,
And melt the dross of low desire.

p So when the Judge of quick and dead Shall bid His awful summons come, To whelm the guilty soul with dread, And call the blessèd to their home,

Saved from the whirling, black abyss,

cr For evermore to us be given

To share the feast of saintly bliss,

f And see the face of God in heaven. Amen.

Dies Iræ (First Tune).

Modes I. & II. Ancient Plain Song.

Part I., verses 1, 2, 7 and 8. Part II., verses 5 and 6.



Part I., verses 3 and 4. Part II., verses 1, 2, 7 and 8.



Part I., verses 5 and 6. Part II., verses 3, 4 and 9.



PART I.

1.

DAY of wrath! Oh, day of mourning! ing! See fulfilled the Prophet's warning, Heaven and earth in ashes burning!

Oh, what fear man's bosom rendeth, When from heaven the Judge descendeth,

On Whose sentence all dependeth!

3.

Wondrous sound the trumpet flingeth, Through earth's sepulchresit ringeth, All before the throne it bringeth.

4.

Death is struck, and nature quaking, All creation is awaking, To its Judge an answer making.

Lo, the Book exactly worded, Wherein all hath been recorded; Thence shall judgment be awarded:

6.

When the Judge His seat attaineth, And each hidden deed arraigneth, Nothing unavenged remaineth.

7.

What shall I, frail man, be pleading! Who for me be interceding, When the just are mercy needing?

King of majesty tremendous, Who dost free salvation send us, Fount of pity, then befriend us!

PART II.

1.

THINK, kind Jesu, my salvation Caused Thy wondrous Incarnation:

Leave me not to reprobation!

Faint and weary Thou hast sought me, On the Cross of suffering bought me: Shall such grace be vainly brought me?

Righteous Judge of retribution, Grant Thy gift of absolution, Ere that Reckoning Day's conclusion!

Guilty, now I pour my moaning, All my shame with anguish owning; Spare, O God, Thy suppliant groaning.

Thou the sinful woman savest; Thou the dying thief forgavest; And to me a hope youchsafest.

Worthless are my prayers and sighing; Yet, good Lord, in grace complying, Rescue me from fires undying.

With Thy favoured sheep, oh! place Nor among the goats abase me; [me, But to Thy right hand upraise me.

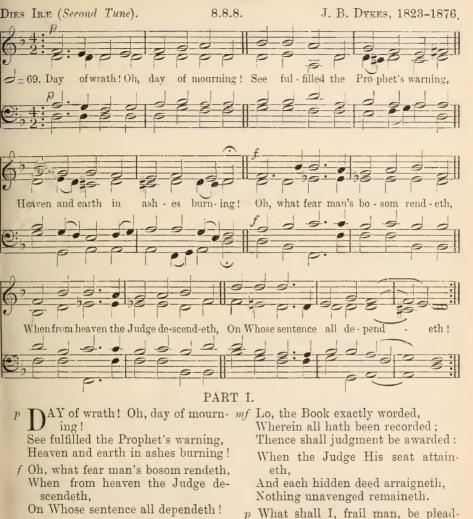
While the wicked are confounded, Doomed to flames of woe unbounded, Call me, with Thy Saints surrounded.

Low I kneel, with heart submission, See, like ashes my contrition; Help me in my last condition! For General Ending, see next page.



Ah! that day of tears and mourning!
From the dust of earth returning,
Man for judgment must prepare him;
Spare, O God, in mercy spare him!
Lord all pitying, Jesu blest,
Grant him Thine eternal rest! Amen





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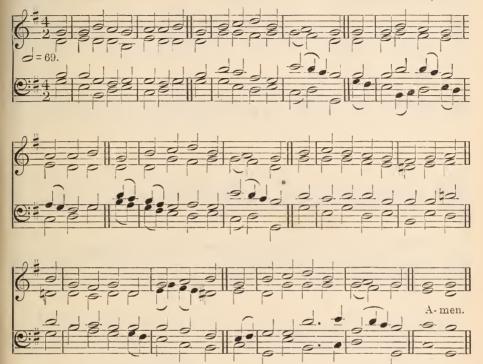
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LUTHER'S HYMN.

8.7.8.7.8.8.7. Klug's Geistliche Lieder, 1535.



REAT God, what do I see and hear! p But sinners, filled with guilty fears, The end of things created! The Judge of mankind doth appear, On clouds of glory seated!

f The trumpet sounds; the graves restore The dead which they contained before:

Prepare, my soul, to meet Him!

f The dead in Christ shall first arise At the last trumpet's sounding; Caught up to meet Him in the skies, With joy their Lord surrounding. No gloomy fears their souls dismay, His Presence sheds eternal day On those prepared to meet Him.

Behold His wrath prevailing, For they shall rise, and find their tears And sighs are unavailing.

The day of grace is past and gone; Trembling they stand before the throne, All unprepared to meet Him.

mf Great God, what do I see and hear! The end of things created! The Judge of mankind doth appear,

On clouds of glory seated!

cr Beneath His Cross I view the day When heaven and earth shall pass away, And thus prepare to meet Him.

Amen.

MERTON.

8.7.8.7.

W. H. Monk, 1823-1889.





ARK, an awful voice is sounding: mf Lo! the Lamb so long expected "Christ is nigh!" it seems to say;

"Cast away the dreams of darkness, O ye children of the day!"

Startled at the solemn warning, Let the earth-bound soul arise: Christ, her Sun, all sloth dispelling, Shines upon the morning skies.

Comes with pardon down from heaven:

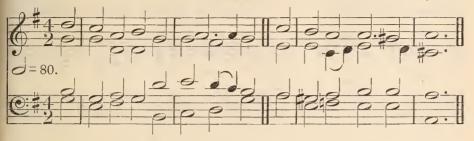
Let us all, with tears of sorrow, Pray that we may be forgiven.

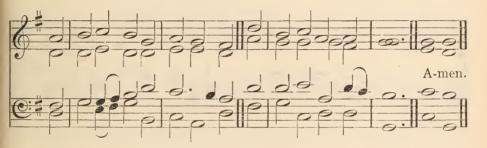
- p So when next He comes with glory, Wrapping all the earth in fear,
- cr May He then as our Defender On the clouds of heaven appear.

f Honour, glory, virtue, merit, To the Father and the Son. With the Co-eternal Spirit, While eternal ages run. Amen. BRISTOL.

C.M.

RAVENSCROFT'S Psalter, 1621.





f HARK, the glad sound! the Saviour comes,

The Saviour promised long!
Let every heart prepare a throne
And every voice a song.

He comes, the prisoners to release,
In Satan's bondage held;
The gates of brass before Him burst,
The iron fetters yield.

He comes, from thickest films of vice

To clear the mental ray,
And on the eyeballs of the blind
To pour celestial day.

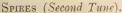
p He comes the broken heart to bind,The bleeding soul to cure;And with the treasures of His graceTo enrich the humble poor.

f Our glad Hosannas, Prince of Peace,
 Thy welcome shall proclaim;
 And heaven's eternal arches ring
 With Thy belovèd Name. Amen.



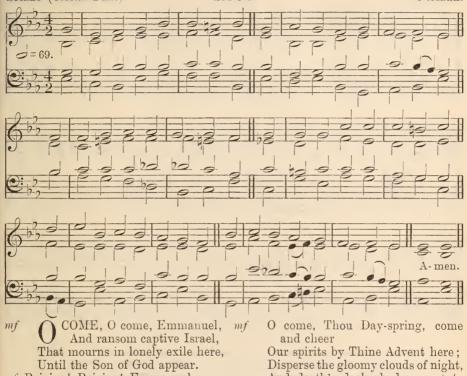






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German.



f Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel Shall come to thee, O Israel.

O come, Thou Rod of Jesse, free mf Thine own from Satan's tyranny; From depths of hell Thy people mf

And give them victory o'er the grave.

f Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel Shall come to Thee, O Israel. And death's dark shadows put to flight.

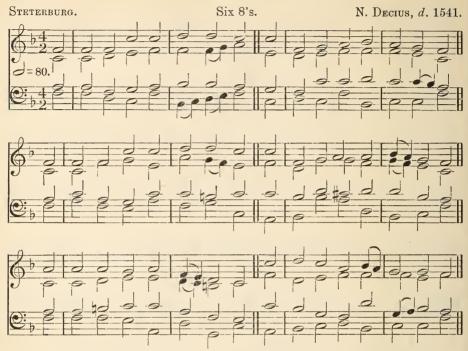
f Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel Shall come to thee, O Israel.

O come, Thou key of David, come, And open wide our heavenly home; Make safe the way that leads on high, And close the path to misery.

f Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel Shall come to thee, O Israel.

infO come, O come, Thou Lord of might, Who to Thy tribes, on Sinai's height, In ancient times didst give the law In cloud, and majesty, and awe. f Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel

Shall come to Thee, O Israel.



O Sapientia quæ ex ore Altissimi prodisti, attingens a fine usque ad finem, fortiter snav it erque disponens omnia, Veni ad docendum nos viam prudentiæ.

of WISDOM, that with God's own breath Didst wake the world to life from death, And all things still from pole to pole In calm obedience dost control:

Come, with mild strength our spirits sway, And guide us on our heavenward way.

O Adonai, et Dux domus Israel, qui Moysi in igne flammæ rubi apparuisti, et in Sina legem dedisti, Veni ad redimendum nos in brachio extento.

> O Prince, Who didst in wrath uprise To scatter Israel's enemies, To Moses gav'st the fiery sign, And Thine own law to keep us Thine; See Thy loved Church again a slave; Again stretch forth Thine arm and save.

O Radix Jesse, qui stas in signum populorum, super quem continebunt reges os suum, quem gentes deprecabuntur, Veni ad liberandum nos ; jam noli tardare.

O, sprung from Jesse's royal tree, Thou Rod of power and majesty, Our glorious ensign, hailed afar, Daunting proud kings and men of war; Come quickly, and from East and West Rally the nations to Thy rest.

O Clavis David, et Sceptrum domus Israel, qui aperis et nemo claudit, claudis et nemo aperit, Veni et educ vinctum de domo carceris, sedentem in tenebris et umbra mortis.

> O Key, that canst unlock the door Of heaven, and none can shut it more, O righteous Sceptre, that canst quell Even our arch-foe, the lord of hell; Come, rescue him who languisheth In this dark prison-house of death.

O Oriens Splendor lucis æternæ et Sol justitiæ, Veni et illumina sedentes in tenebris et umbra mortis.

O Splendour of the eternal Light, Spring forth and dawn upon our sight; Glad Sun of Righteousness, arise, Disperse our sins and miseries; Shine, shine on us who draw sad breath In this dark universe of death.

O Rex gentium et Desideratus earum, Lapisque angularis qui facis utraque unum, Veni, salva hominem quem de limo formasti.

> O Thou, to Whom the nations bring Their heart's desire and hail Thee King; The world's, the Church's corner-stone; Who all the peoples hast made one; Come, save poor man; 'tis Thou Who must; For Thou didst form him of the dust.

O Emmanuel, Rex et Legifer noster, expectatio gentium et Salvator earum, Veni ad salvandum nos, Domine Deus noster.

O Thou, for Whom the nations wait, Their promised Saviour, tarrying late! Our King and Lawgiver art Thou; Be so to them and save them now. O come, with them and us to dwell, Our King, our God, Emmanuel.



(130)

- f ON Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry
 Announces that the Lord is nigh!
 Awake and hearken; for He brings
 Glad tidings from the King of kings.
- mf Then cleansed be every Christian breast,
 And furnished for so great a Guest!
 Yea! let us each our heart prepare
 For Christ to come and enter there.

For Thou art our salvation, Lord,
Our Refuge and our great Reward;
dim Without Thy grace our souls must fade,
And wither like a flower decayed.

- mf Stretch forth Thine hand to heal our sore,And make us rise to fall no more;Once more upon Thy people shine,And fill the world with love divine.
 - f To Him Who left the throne of heavenTo save mankind, all praise be given:Like praise be to the Father done,And Holy Spirit, Three in One. Amen.



May also be sung to "Luther's Hymn," No. 75.

^{*} This pause to be observed in the last verse only. (132)

f THE Lord of might from Sinai's brow Gave forth His voice of thunder: And Israel lay on earth below, Outstretched in fear and wonder: mf Beneath His feet was pitchy night, cr And at His left hand and His right The rocks were rent asunder.

mf The Lord of love on Calvary, A meek and suffering stranger, Upraised to heaven His languid eye In nature's hour of danger; p For us He bore the weight of woe, For us He gave His Blood to flow, And met His Father's anger.

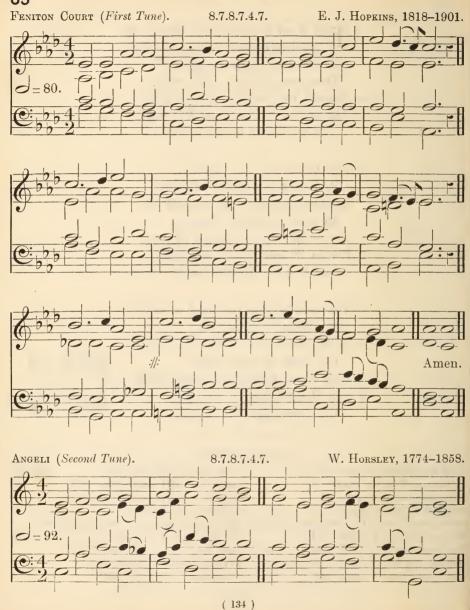
f The Lord of love, the Lord of might, The King of all created, Shall back return to claim His right, On clouds of glory seated; cr With trumpet-sound, and Angel-song, # And Hallelujahs loud and long, · O'er death and hell defeated.



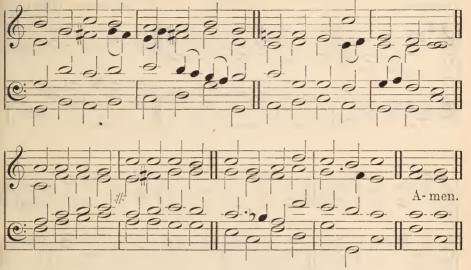
Also the following:

[2nd S.] A few more years shall roll—353 Lord, Thy word abideth—472 Christian, seek not yet repose - 376 Love Divine, all loves excelling-474 Come, Lord, and tarry not-381 O Saviour! is Thy promise fled?—506 Father of all, in Whom alone-341 [2nd S.] O Word of God Incarnate-512 [2nd S.] Father of mercies, in Thy word—397 [2nd S.] Oh! quickly come, dread Judge of all—521 Hail to the Lord's Anointed -424 The world is very evil-561 [PART I.] Hosanna to the living Lord !-428 [1st S.] Thou Judge of quick and dead-573 Lord, her watch Thy Church is keeping-326 Thy kingdom come, O God-578 Lord of mercy and of might—468

Ye servants of the Lord-608



Christmas.



NGELS, from the realms of glory, mf Sages, leave your contemplations, Wing your flight o'er all the earth; Brighter visions beam afar; Ye who sang creation's story

Now proclaim Messiah's birth.

Come and worship;

Worship Christ, the new-born King! f

Seek the great Desire of nations, Ye have seen His natal star. Come and worship; Worship Christ, the new-born King!

mf Shepherds, in the field abiding, mf Saints, before the altar bending,

Watching o'er your flock by night, God with man is now residing,

Yonder shines the Infant Light.

Come and worship;

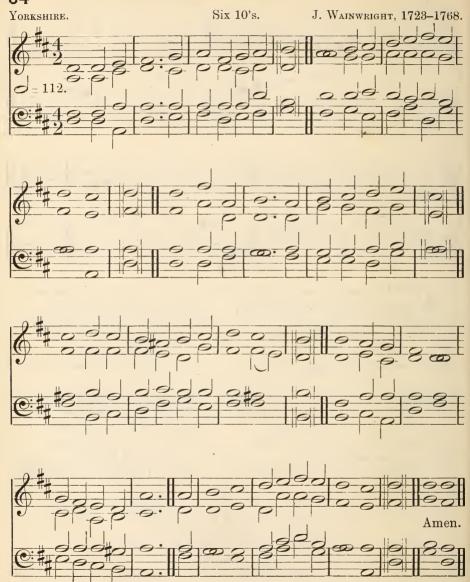
Worship Christ, the new-born King! f Worship Christ, the new-born King!

Waiting long in hope and fear, Suddenly the Lord, descending, In His temple shall appear.

Come and worship;

p Sinners, wrung with true repentance, Doomed for guilt to endless pains, cr Justice now repeals the sentence, Mercy calls you-break your chains. Come and worship;

Worship Christ, the new-born King!



Christmas.

- f CHRISTIANS, awake! Salute the happy morn,
 Whereon the Saviour of mankind was born;
 Rise to adore the mystery of love,
 Which hosts of Angels chanted from above;
 With them the joyful tidings first begun,
 Of God Incarnate and the Virgin's Son.
- mf Then to the watchful shepherds it was told,
 Who heard the Angelic herald's voice, "Behold,
 I bring good tidings of a Saviour's birth
 To you and all the nations upon earth:
 This day hath God fulfilled His promised word,
 f This day is born a Saviour, Christ the Lord."
- mf He spake; and straightway the celestial choir In hymns of joy, unknown before, conspire:
 The praises of redeeming love they sung,
 And heaven's whole orb with Alleluias rung:
 God's highest glory was their anthem still,
 p Peace upon earth, and unto men good-will.
- mf To Bethlehem straight the enlightened shepherds ran,
 To see the wonder God had wrought for man,
 And found, with Joseph and the Blessèd Maid,
 Her Son, the Saviour, in a manger laid:
 They to their flocks, still praising God, return,
 And their glad hearts within their bosoms burn.
- Like Mary let us ponder in our mind God's wondrous love in saving lost mankind;
 Trace we the Babe, Who has retrieved our loss,
 From His poor manger to His bitter Cross;
 Tread in His steps, assisted by His grace,
 Till man's first heavenly state again takes place.
- f Then may we hope, the Angelic thrones among, To sing, redeemed, a glad triumphal song: He that was born upon this joyful day Around us all His glory shall display; Saved by His love, incessant we shall sing Eternal praise to heaven's Almighty King. Amen.

ST. LEONARD.

C.M.

H. SMART, 1813-1879.





f ROM East to West, from shore to shore,

Let earth awake and sing
The holy Child Whom Mary bore,
The Christ, the Lord, the King!

mf For lo! the world's Creator wears

The fashion of a slave;

Our human flesh the Godhead bears,

His creature, man, to save.

He shrank not from the oxen's stall, Nor scorned the manger-bed; And He, Whose bounty feedeth all, At Mary's breast was fed.

To shepherds poor the Lord Most High,

Great Shepherd, was revealed; While Angel-choirs sang joyously Above the midnight field.

All glory be to God above;
And on the earth be peace
To all who long to taste His love,
Till Time itself shall cease. Amen.



6.6.6.6.

O. M. Feilden, b. 1837.





mf G OD from on high hath heard!

Let sighs and sorrows cease;

The skies unfold, and lo!

Descends the gift of Peace!

Hark! on the midnight air Celestial voices swell; The Hosts of heaven proclaim "God comes on earth to dwell!"

Haste with the shepherds; see
The mystery of Grace:

p A manger-bed, a Child,
Is all the eye can trace.

mf Is this indeed the Christ?
Is this the Eternal Son?
Who, ere the worlds began,
Was with the Father One?

f Yes, Faith can pierce the cloud
Which shrouds His glory now,
And hails Him Lord and God,
To Whom all creatures bow.

Faith sees the sapphire throne dim Where Angels evermore p Adoring tremble still,
And trembling still adore.

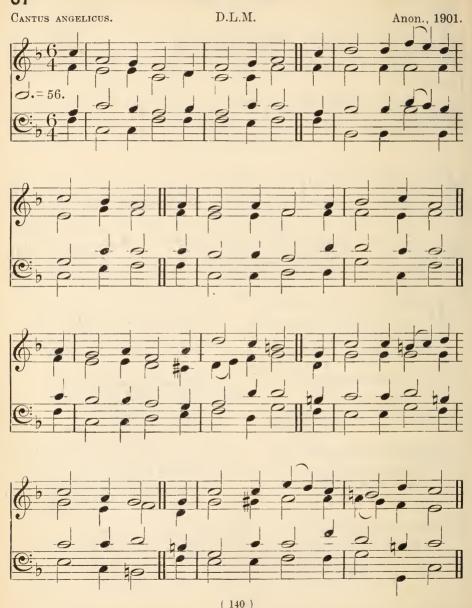
mf Though silent, Thou dost speak
And bid us not refuse
To bear what flesh would shun,
To spurn what flesh would choose.

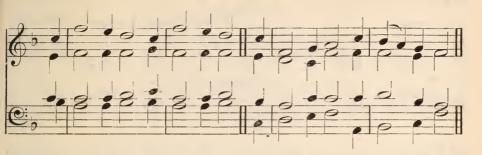
Fill us with holy love,

Heal Thou our earthly pride;

cr Be born within our hearts,

And ever there abide. Amen.





mf HARK! hear ye not the Angel-song
The hills of Bethlehem among?

p To you this day, the Incarnate Word, To you, the Everlasting Lord,

cr To you on earth, this happy morn, To you the Prince of Peace is born;

f Whilst heaven re-echoes yet again,

p Peace, peace on earth, good-will to men.

mf Thus Angels sang, and thus sing we,

f To God on high all glory be;

mf Let Him on earth His peace bestow, And unto men His favour show.

cr Then men and maidens, young and old, Come, join the shepherds at the fold,

f And singing list, and listening sing A carol to our new-born King.





Org. Ped. This tune may be sung in Unison throughout, except the 9th line.

f HARK, the herald Angels sing, "Glory to the new-born King.

p Peace on earth, and mercy mild, mf God and sinners reconciled!"

mf God and sinners reconciled!"
f Joyful, all ye nations, rise,
Join the triumph of the skies!
With the Angelic Host proclaim

"Christ is born in Bethlehem!"

Hark! the herald Angels sing,
Glory to the new-born King!

f Hail the Incarnate Deity!

f Pleased as Man with men to dwell,

Jesus, our Immanuel!

f Hark! the herald Angels sing,

Christ, by highest heaven adored;

Christ, the Everlasting Lord!

Offspring of a Virgin's womb!

Late in time behold Him come,

Veiled in flesh the Godhead see;

Glory to the new-born King!

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f Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace!
Hail the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all He brings,
Risen with healing in His wings.

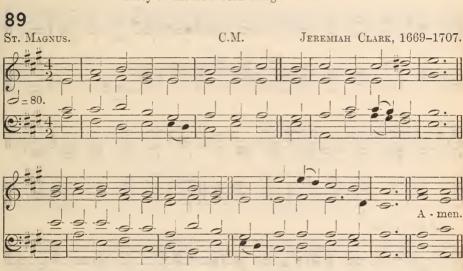
mf Mild He lays His glory by,

Born that man no more may die,

Born to raise the sons of earth,

Born to raise the sons of earth,
Born to give them second birth.

Hark! the herald Angels sing, Glory to the new-born King! Amen.



f H IGH let us swell our tuneful notes,
And join the Angelic throng,
For Angels no such love have known
To wake a cheerful song:

mf Good-will to sinful men is shown,
And peace on earth is given;
Tor. lo! the Incarnate Saviour com

p For, lo! the Incarnate Saviour comes With grace and truth from heaven.

mf Justice and grace, with sweet accord, His rising beams adorn;

f Let heaven and earth in concert join, To us a Child is born!

f Glory to God in highest strains,
 In highest worlds be paid;
 His glory by our lips proclaimed,
 And by our lives displayed.

When shall we reach those blissful realms
 Where Christ exalted reigns;
 And learn of the celestial choir

f Their own immortal strains! Amen.







mf IT came upon the midnight clear,
That glorious song of old,
From Angels bending near the earth
To touch their harps of gold:
p Peace on the earth, good-will to men

Pleace on the earth, good-will to men
From heaven's all-gracious King:

The world in release of illness less

pp The world in solemn stillness lay
To hear the Angels sing.

mf Still through the cloven skies they come
With peaceful wings unfurled;
And still their heavenly music floats

p O'er all the weary world:
Above its sad and lowly plains

They bend on hovering wing, cr And ever o'er its Babel sounds

cr And ever o'er its Babel sounds mf The blessèd Angels sing.

p Yet with the woes of sin and strife
The world has suffered long;
Beneath the Angels' strain have rolled

Two thousand years of wrong;
And man at war with man hears not

The song of love they bring; Oh! hush the noise, ye men of strife,

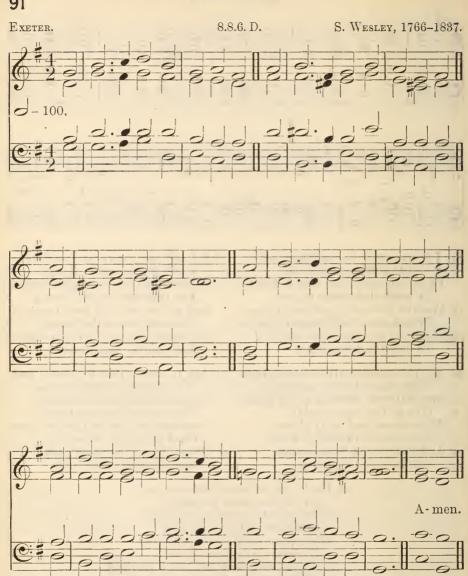
And hear the Angels sing!

mf And ye, beneath life's crushing load,
Whose forms are bending low,
Who toil along the climbing way
With painful steps and slow;

cr Look now, for glad and golden hours Come swiftly on the wing:

mf Oh rest beside the weary road, And hear the Angels sing.

mf For lo, the days are hastening on,
By prophet-bards foretold,
When with the ever-circling years
Comes round the age of gold;
When peace shall over all the earth
cr Its ancient splendours fling,
f And the whole world send back the song
Which now the Angels sing. Amen.



f NOW let our mingling voices rise
In grateful rapture to the skies,
And hail a Saviour's birth;
Let songs of joy the day proclaim,
When Jesus from His glory came
To bless the sons of earth.

p He came to bid the weary rest,
To heal the sinner's wounded breast,
To bind the broken heart;
mf To spread the light of truth around,

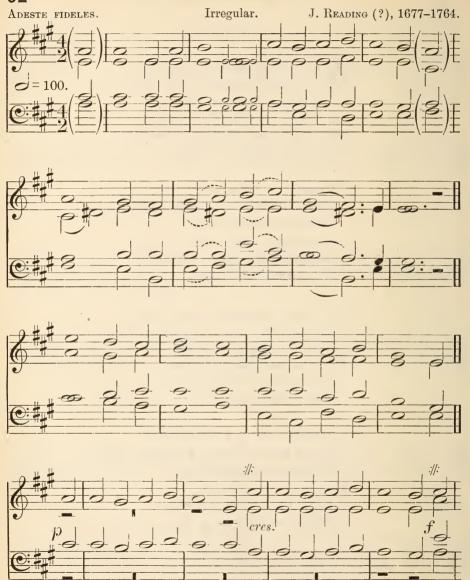
And to the world's remotest bound

The heavenly gift impart.

mf He came our trembling souls to save From sin, from sorrow, and the grave, And chase our fears away;

f Victorious over death and time, To lead us to a happier clime, Where reigns eternal day.

f To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
The God Whom heaven's triumphant Host
And Saints on earth adore,
Be glory as in ages past,
As now it is, and so shall last
When time shall be no more. Amen.





f O COME, all ye faithful,
Joyful and triumphant,
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem;
Come and behold Him
Born the King of Angels;
p O come let us adore Him,
cr O come let us adore Him,
f O come let us adore Him,

f O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.

f God of God,
 Light of Light,
Lo! He abhors not the Virgin's womb;
 Very God,
 Begotten, not created;
p O come let us adore Him,
r O come let us adore Him,

f O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.

f Sing, choirs of Angels,
Sing in exultation,
Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above:
"Glory to God
In the highest";

O come let us adore Him.

cr O come let us adore Him,
f O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.

f Yea, Lord, we greet Thee,
Born this happy morning;
Jesu, to Thee be glory given;
Word of the Father,
Now in flesh appearing;
p O come let us adore Him,
or O come let us adore Him,

f O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord. Amen.

CORDE NATUS (Old Form).

To be sung in Unison,

Modes V. & VI. Plain Song of 13th Century.







Of the things that are, that have been, And that future years shall see, Evermore and evermore! He is here, Whom seers in old time mf Thee let age, and Thee let manhood,

Chanted of, while ages ran; Whom the writings of the Prophets Promised since the world began: Then foretold, now manifested To receive the praise of man

Evermore and evermore! O that ever-blessed birthday, When the Virgin full of grace, Of the Holy Ghost incarnate Bare the Saviour of our race: And that Child, the world's Redeemer, First displayed His sacred face, Evermore and evermore!

Let no tongue of man be silent. Let each heart and voice unite. Evermore and evermore! Thee let choirs of infants sing,

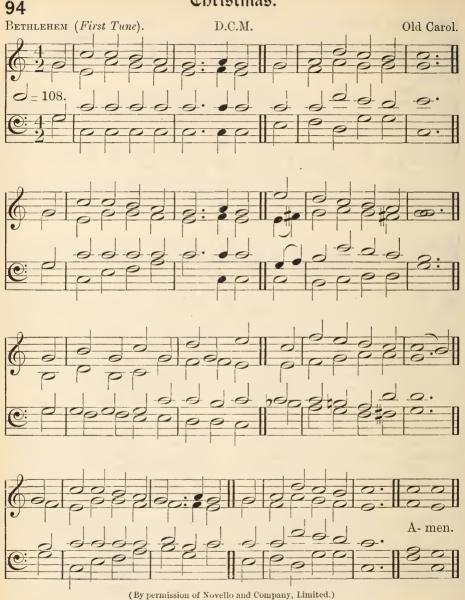
Thee the matrons and the virgins. And the children answering: Let their modest song re-echo, And their heart its praises bring, Evermore and evermore!

f Laud and honour to the Father! Laud and honour to the Son! Laud and honour to the Spirit! Ever Three and ever One, Con-substantial, Co-eternal, While unending ages run,

Evermore and evermore!

Amen.

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mf WHILE shepherds watched their flocks by night,
All seated on the ground,
The Angel of the Lord came down,
And glory shone around.

"Fear not," said he,—for mighty dread Had seized their troubled mind,—

"Glad tidings of great joy I bring
To you and all mankind.

"To you, in David's town this day,
Is born, of David's line,

A Saviour, Who is Christ the Lord, And this shall be the sign: "The heavenly Babe you there shall find

To human view displayed,

All meanly wrapt in swathing bands, And in a manger laid."

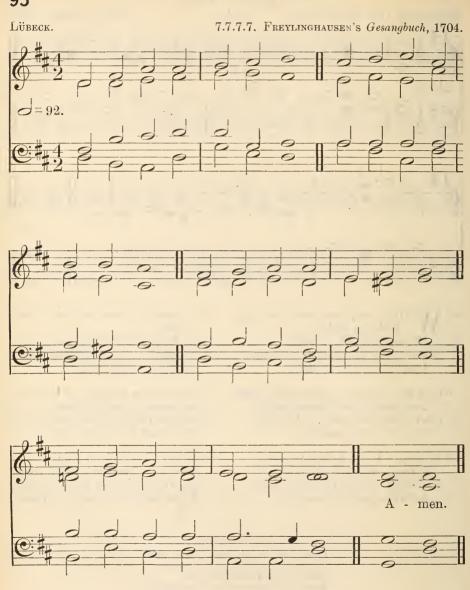
Thus spake the Seraph, and forthwith Appeared a shining throng

Of Angels praising God, and thus Addressed their joyful song:—

f "All glory be to God on high,
And to the earth be peace: [men,
Good-will henceforth from heaven to
Begin and never cease." Amen.

Also the following:

Come, Thou long-expected Jesus—383 Hail to the Lord's Anointed—424 Once in royal David's city—635 Songs of praise the Angels sang—548



St. Stephen's Day.

FIRST of Martyrs, thou whose name Answers to thy crown of fame;
Not of flowers that see decay
Weave we this thy crown to-day.

Like a gem each rugged stone Sparkling with thy life-blood shone; Ne'er could stars such lustre shed, Studded round thy saintly head.

Every bruise upon Thy brow Glistens with a heavenly glow; And thy wounded countenance Brightens to an Angel's glance.

Victim thou art called to be To the Victim slain for thee: First to own Thy Lord in death, Earliest witness to the faith:

First to tread the crimson sea, Through the pathway marked for thee; Leading on the Martyr host To the heavenly Canaan's coast.

Thou, who didst dispense thy store Daily to the sick and poor, Now art come a welcome guest To the Lamb's high marriage-feast.

f Glory to the Father be; Glory, Virgin-born to Thee; Glory to the Holy Ghost, Praised by men and Angel host. Amen.



St. Stephen's Day.

f HEAD of Thy Church triumphant,
We joyfully adore Thee;
Till Thou appear, Thy members here
Shall sing like those in glory:
We lift our hearts and voices,
With blest anticipation,
And cry aloud, and give to God
The praise of our salvation.

While in affliction's furnace,
And passing through the fire,
Cr Thy love we praise which knows our days
And ever brings us nigher:
Me clap our hands exulting

In Thine Almighty favour:
The love divine, which made us Thine,
Shall keep us Thine for ever.

mf Thou dost conduct Thy people
 Through torrents of temptation:
 Nor will we fear, while Thou art near,
 The fire of tribulation;
 The world, with sin and Satan,
 In vain our march opposes,

Through Thee we shall break through them all And sing the song of Moses.

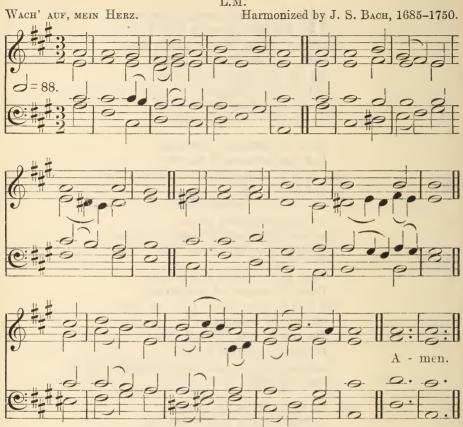
mf By faith we see the glory
To which Thou shalt restore us,
The cross despise, for that high prize
Which Thou hast set before us:
cr And, if Thou count us worthy,
We each, as dying Stephen,
f Shall see Thee stand at God's right hand,

Also the following:

Holy Ghost, Illuminator, shed Thy beams—187 [Part II.] The Son of God goes forth to war—230

To call us up to heaven. Amen.

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May also be sung to "St. Gregory," No. 119.

GOD! Who gavest Thy servant grace, Amid the storms of life distrest, To look on Thine Incarnate face, And lean on Thy protecting breast:

To see the Light that dimly shone, Eclipsed for us in sorrow pale, Pure Image of the Eternal One Through shadows of Thy mortal veil! Be ours, O King of Mercy, still To feel Thy Presence from above, And in Thy word and in Thy will, To hear Thy voice, and know Thy love:

And when the toils of life are done, And nature waits Thy dread decree, To find our rest beneath Thy throne, And look, in humble hope, to Thee. Amen.



YORD Supreme, before creation, Born of God eternally, Who didst will for our salvation To be born on earth, and die; Well Thy Saints have kept their station, Watching till Thine hour drew nigh.

Now 'tis come, and Faith espies cr Lo! heaven's doors lift up, revealing Thee:

Like an eaglet in the morn, One in steadfast worship eyes Thee, Thy beloved, Thy latest born:

In Thy glory he descries Thee

Reigning from the Tree of scorn.

p He first, hoping and believing, Did beside the grave adore; Latest he, the warfare leaving, Landed on the eternal shore: And his witness we receiving Own Thee Lord for evermore.

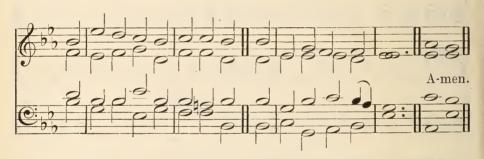
How Thy judgments earthward

f Scrolls unfolded, trumpets pealing, Wine-cups from the wrath above; p Yet o'er all a soft voice stealing— "Little children, trust and love!"

f Thee, the Almighty King eternal, Father of the eternal Word, Thee, the Father's Word supernal, Thee, of Both, the Breath adored, Heaven and earth and realms infernal Own, One glorious God and Lord. Amen.







\ LORY to Thee, O Lord, J Who, from this world of sin, By the fierce monarch's ruthless sword

Those precious ones didst win!

Glory to Thee, O Lord! For now, all grief unknown, They wait in patience their reward, The martyr's heavenly crown.

Baptized in their own blood, Earth's untried perils o'er, They passed unconsciously the flood, And safely gained the shore.

Glory to Thee for all The ransomed infant band, Who since that hour have heard Thy call. And reached the quiet land!

Oh, that our hearts within, Like theirs, were pure and bright! Oh, that as free from wilful sin We shrank not from Thy sight!

Lord, help us every hour Thy cleansing grace to claim; cr In life to glorify Thy power, In death to praise Thy Name. Amen.





of OH, who are they, so pure and bright,
Before the throne arrayed in white?
They stand serene and calmly fair,
As conscious of high welcome there.

That starry crown around their brow, It tells their sacred glory now: Blest virgin-souls, who, faultless, come From font of grace—or martyrdom.

- p And in their mouth is found no guile, Christ's Holy Innocents, whose smile Shines purer, from their knowing not Upon their souls sin's conscious blot.
- mf These, these are they, the undefiled,
 The child-like Saint—the saint-like child—
 Marked with Christ's cross or earth's dark frown,
 But wearing there that starry crown.
 - p O help us, Saviour, by Thy grace Near Thee to win that heavenly place;
- cr Now following where Thy footsteps trod, Blameless and harmless sons of God. Amen.



mf TESUS! Name of wondrous love! Name all other names above! Unto which must every knee Bow in deep humility.

Jesus! Name decreed of old; To the maiden mother told, Kneeling in her lowly cell, By the Angel Gabriel.

f Jesus! Name of priceless worth To the fallen sons of earth For the promise that it gave,-

"Jesus shall His people save."

p Jesus! Name of mercy mild, Given to the Holy Child, When the cup of human woe First He tasted here below.

f Jesus! Only Name that's given Under all the mighty heaven, Whereby man, to sin enslaved, Bursts his fetters, and is saved.

mf Jesus! Name of wondrous love! Human Name of God above!

dim Pleading only this we flee,

p Helpless, O our God, to Thee. Amen.

Also the following:

Conquering kings their titles take-388 How sweet the Name of Jesus sounds-429 To the Name that brings Salvation—580





For all the future, Lord, prepare
Our souls with strength divine;
Help us to cast on Thee our care,
And on Thy servants shine:
p Life without Thee is dark and drear,
cr Death is not death if Thou art near;
f Our life abides in Thee. Amen.



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Mew Year's Eve.



PART I.

1.

p DAYS and moments quickly flying
Blend the living with the dead;
Soon will you and I be lying
Each within our narrow bed.

2.

Soon our souls to God Who gave them Will have sped their rapid flight: Able now by grace to save them, Oh, that while we can we might!

3.

Jesu, Infinite Redeemer,
Maker of this mighty frame,
Teach, Oh teach us to remember
What we are, and whence we came;

4

Whence we came, and whither wending; Soon we must through darkness go, To inherit bliss unending, Or eternity of woe.

5.

pp Life passeth soon:
 Death draweth near:
 cr Keep us, good Lord,
 Till Thou appear;
 mf With Thee to live,
 dim With Thee to die,
p With Thee to reign through eternity!

PART II.

6.

As a shadow life is fleeting;
As a vapour so it flies;
For the old year now retreating
Pardon grant, and make us wise—

7.

Wise that we our days may number, Strive and wrestle with our sin, Stay not in our work nor slumber Till Thy glorious rest we win.

8.

Soon before the Judge all glorious We with all the dead shall stand; Saviour, over death victorious, Place us then on Thy right hand.

9.

pp Life passeth soon:
 Death draweth near:
 cr Keep us, good Lord,
 Till Thou appear;
 mf With Thee to live,
 dim With Thee to die,
p With Thee to reign through eternity!

Amen.







mf FOR Thy mercy and Thy grace, Constant through another year, Hear our song of thankfulness, Jesu, our Redeemer, hear.

mf Lo! our sins on Thee we cast-Thee, our perfect Sacrifice, -And, forgetting all the past, Press towards our glorious prize.

p Dark the future; (cr) let Thy light Guideus, Bright and Morning Star; p Fierce our foes and hard the fight; Arm us, Saviour, for the war.

mf In our weakness and distress, Rock of strength, be Thou our Stay: In the pathless wilderness Be our true and living Way.

p Who of us death's awful road In the coming year shall tread, With Thy rod and staff, O God, Comfort Thou his dying bed.

mf Keep us faithful, keep us pure; Keep us evermore Thine own: Help, Oh help us to endure; Fit us for the promised crown.

Amen.

Mew Dear's Eve.





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mf THE tide of time is rolling on, The end of all things soon will come; p Oh may it bring us to our home.

p All things around us fade and die; All earthly hopes are vanity:

mf Oh let our restless hearts be stayed On Him Whose glories never fade.

mf O Lord of love, let not the past Rise up against us at the last: O Shepherd of our souls, be near To guide us through the coming year. Keep us from every evil way, Guard and protect us day by day, Preserve us from the sinner's doom. And save us from the wrath to come.

p And when our spirits take their flight, And now another year is gone: cr Grant they may live 'mid Saints in light:

mf Oh guide them to the realms above, Where all is joy, and peace, and love.

To Thee, O Father, Son, to Thee, To Thee, Blest Spirit, glory be; As ever was in ages past, And shall be still while ages last.



Also the following: A few more years shall roll-353 Brief life is here our portion—561 [Part II.] O God, our Help in ages past-485



Thew Year's Day.

mf FATHER, let me dedicate
All this year to Thee,
In whatever worldly state
Thou wouldst have me be:
Not from sorrow, pain, or care
Freedom dare I claim;
This alone shall be my prayer,
cr Glorify Thy Name.

mf Can a child presume to choose
Where or how to live?
Can a Father's love refuse
All the best to give?
More Thou givest every day
Than the best can claim,
Nor withholdest aught that may
cr Glorify Thy Name.

Joys that yet are mine;
Joys that yet are mine;
If on life, serene and fair,
Brighter rays may shine;
f Let my glad heart, while it sings,
Thee in all proclaim,
And, whate'er the future brings,
Glorify Thy Name.

p If Thou callest to the Cross,
And its shadow come,
Turning all my gain to loss,
Shrouding heart and home;
Let me think how Thy dear Son
To His glory came,
And in deepest woe pray on,
cr "Glorify Thy Name." Amen.

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Where or how to live?
Can a Father's love refuse
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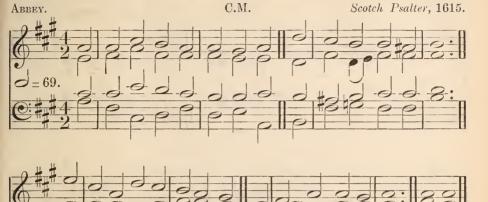
cr Glorify Thy Name.

Thee in all proclaim,
And, whate'er the future brings,
Glorify Thy Name.

p If Thou callest to the Cross,
And its shadow come,
Turning all my gain to loss,
Shrouding heart and home;

Let me think how Thy dear Son To His glory came,

And in deepest woe pray on, cr "Glorify Thy Name." Amen.



Now, gracious Lord, Thine arm reveal,
And make Thy glory known;
Now let us all Thy Presence feel,
And soften hearts of stone.

Help us to venture near Thy throne,
And plead a Saviour's Name;

p For all that we can call our own
Is vanity and shame.

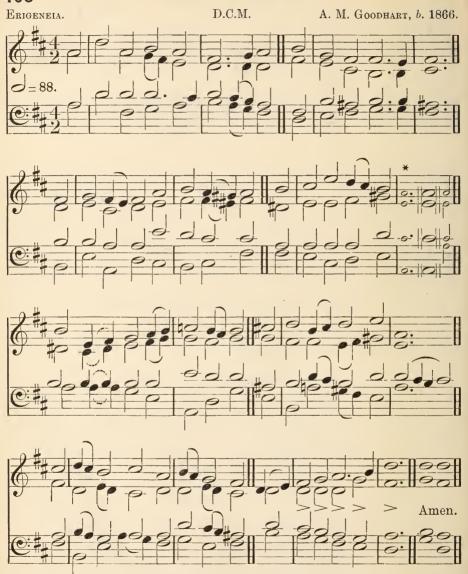
mf From all the guilt of former sin

May mercy set us free;

And let the year we now begin,

Begin and end with Thee.

Send down Thy Spirit from above,
That Saints may love Thee more,
And sinners now may learn to love
Who never loved before. Amen.



Mew Year's Day.

mf THE old year's long campaign is o'er:
Behold a new begun;

p Not yet is closed the holy war, Not yet the triumph won.

cr Out of his still and deep repose
We hear the old year say:

f "Go forth again to meet your foes, Ye children of the day!

f "Go forth! firm faith in every heart,
 Bright hope on every helm,
 Through that shall pierce no fiery dart,
 And this no fear o'erwhelm.
Go in the spirit and the might
 Of Him Who led the way;
 Close with the legions of the night,
 Ye children of the day."

mf So forth we go to meet the strife,
We will not fear nor fly;
Love we the holy warrior's life,
His death we hope to die.

mf We slumber not, this charge in view,
"Toil on while toil ye may,

f Then night shall be no night to you, Ye children of the day."

Lord God, our Glory, Three in One,
 Thine own sustain, defend;
 And give, though dim this earthly sun,
 Thy true light to the end;

cr Till morning tread the darkness down, And night be swept away,

f And never-ending triumph crown The children of the day. Amen.

Also the following:

A few more years shall roll—353 O God, our Help in ages past—488 Thou Judge of quick and dead—573





A S with gladness men of old
Did the guiding star behold;
As with joy they hailed its light,
Leading onward, beaming bright;

mf So, most gracious God, may we
Evermore be led to Thee.

f As with joyful steps they sped
To that lowly manger bed,
There to bend the knee before
Him Whom heaven and earth adore;

mf So may we with willing feet Ever seek Thy Mercy-seat.

- As they offered gifts most rare
 At that manger rude and bare;
 So may we with holy joy,
 Pure, and free from sin's alloy,
 All our costliest treasures bring,
 Christ, to Thee, our heavenly King.
- P Holy Jesu! every day
 Keep us in the narrow way;
 And, when earthly things are past,
 Bring our ransomed souls at last
 Where they need no star to guide,
 Where no clouds Thy glory hide.

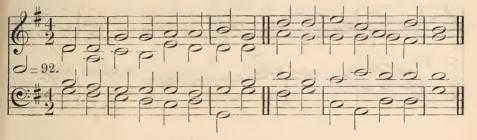
f In the heavenly country bright Need they no created light; Thou its Light, its Joy, its Crown, Thou its Sun, which goes not down;

ff There for ever may we sing Alleluias to our King! Amen.

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f BETHLEHEM! of noblest cities

None can once with thee compare,

Thou alone the Lord from heaven

Didst for us Incarnate bear.

mf Fairer than the sun at morning

Was the star that told His birth,

To the lands their God announcing,

Hid beneath a form of earth.

By its radiant beauty guided

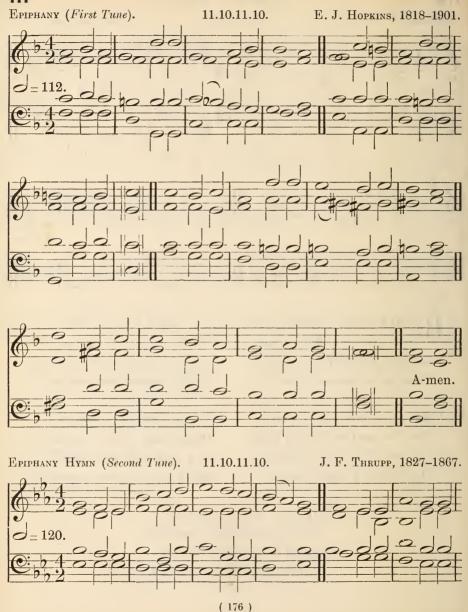
See the Eastern Kings appear;

See them bend, their gifts to offer,—

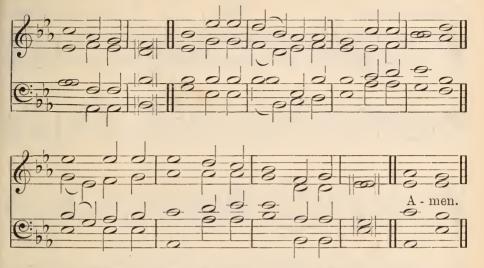
Gifts of incense, gold, and myrrh.

Offerings of mystic meaning!—
Incense doth the God disclose;
Gold a royal Child proclaimeth,
Myrrh a future tomb foreshows.

f Holy Jesu! in Thy brightnessTo the Gentile world displayed!With the Father and the Spirit,Endless praise to Thee be paid. Amen.



Epiphany.



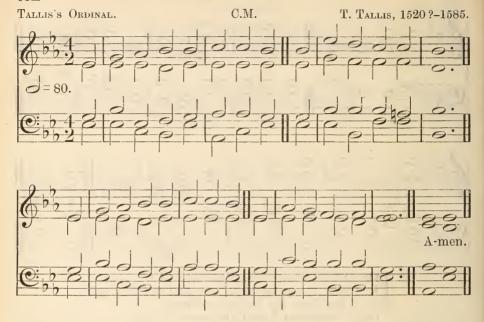
mf BRIGHTEST and best of the sons of the morning,
Dawn on our darkness, and lend us thine aid!
Star of the East, the horizon adorning,
Guide where our Infant Redeemer is laid!

P Cold on His cradle the dew-drops are shining,
 Low lies His head with the beasts of the stall;
 Angels adore Him in slumber reclining,
 Maker, and Monarch, and Saviour of all.

Say, shall we yield Him, in costly devotion, Odours of Edom, and offerings divine, Gems of the mountain, and pearls of the ocean, Myrrh from the forest, and gold from the mine?

Vainly we offer each ample oblation, Vainly with gifts would His favour secure: Richer by far is the heart's adoration, Dearer to God are the prayers of the poor.

mf Brightest and best of the sons of the morning,
 Dawn on our darkness and lend us thine aid!
 Star of the East, the horizon adorning,
 Guide where our Infant Redeemer is laid! Amen.



mf I^N stature grows the heavenly Child With death before His eyes:

A Lamb unblemished, meek and mild, Prepared for sacrifice.

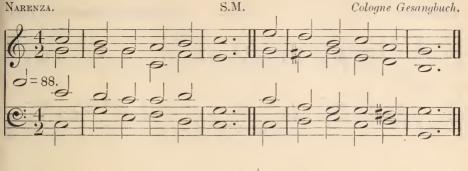
The Son of God His glory hides
With parents mean and poor:
And He Who made the heaven abides
In dwelling-place obscure.

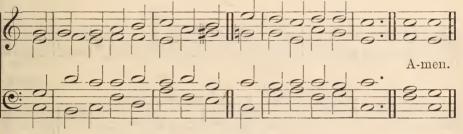
Those mighty hands that stay the sky No earthly toil refuse,

And He Who set the stars on high
An humble trade pursues.

He before Whom the Angels stand,
At Whose behest they fly,
Now yields Himself to man's command
And lays His glory by.

For this Thy lowliness revealed
We, Jesu, Thee adore
f And praise to God the Father yield
And Spirit evermore. Amen.





MOT by Thy mighty hand,
Thy wondrous works alone,
But by the marvels of Thy word
Thy glory, Christ, is known.

Forth from the eternal gates,
Thine everlasting home,
To sow the seed of truth below,
Thou didst vouchsafe to come.

And still from age to age
Thou, gracious Lord, hast been
The bearer forth of goodly seed,
The Sower still unseen.

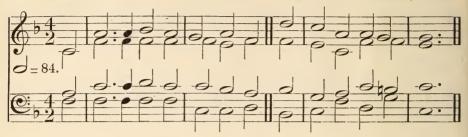
And Thou wilt come again,
To reap what Thou hast sown,
The Sower and the Reaper Thou,
The Gatherer of Thine own.

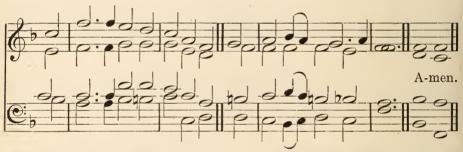
Watch, Lord, Thy harvest-field With Thine unsleeping eye: The children of the kingdom keep To Thy Epiphany:—

So, when in Thy great day
The tares shall severed be,
May we be gathered in Thy barn
With all Thy Saints to Thee. Amen.

JERUSALEM.

C.M. T. Worsley Staniforth, b. 1845.





mf O THOU Who by a star didst guide
The wise men on their way,
Until it came and stood beside
The place where Jesus lay;

Although by stars Thou dost not lead Thy servants now below, Thy Holy Spirit, when they need,

Will show them how to go.

cr But still we trust Thy word,mf That blessèd are the pure in heart,For they shall see the Lord.

p As yet we know Thee but in part;

p O Saviour, give us then Thy grace
To make us pure in heart,

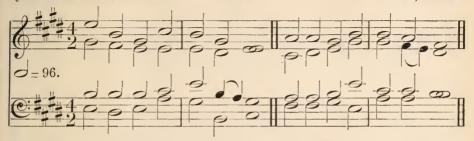
That we may see Thee face to face Hereafter as Thou art.

f To God the Father, God the Son,And God the Holy Ghost,By men on earth be honour done,And by the heavenly Host. Amen.

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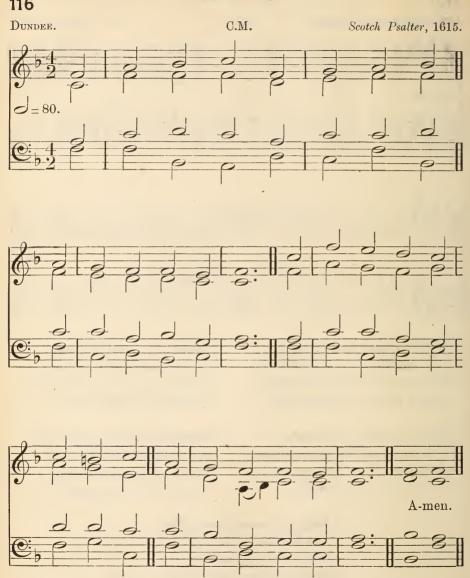
H. S. IRONS, b. 1834.





- f SONS of men, behold from far, Hail the long-expected star! Star of truth that gilds the night, Guides bewildered Nature right.
- f Nations all, remote and near,Haste to see your God appear;Haste, for Him your hearts prepare,Meet Him manifested there!
- p Mild it shines on all beneath,
- cr Piercing through the shades of death;
- f Scattering error's wide-spread night; Kindling darkness into light.
- There behold the Dayspring rise, Pouring light on mortal eyes; See it chase the shades away, Shining to the perfect day!

f Sing, ye morning stars, again!
God descends on earth to reign!
God in mercy leaves the sky!
Shout, ye sons of God, on high! Amen.



Epiphany.

f THE people that in darkness sat
A glorious light have seen;
The Light has shined on them who long
In shades of death have been.

To hail Thee, Sun of Righteousness, The gathering nations come; They joy as when the reapers bear Their harvest treasures home.

For Thou their burden dost remove, And break the tyrant's rod, As in the day when Midian fell Before the sword of God.

f For unto us a Child is born,To us a Son is given,And on His shoulder ever restsAll power in earth and heaven.

f His Name shall be the Prince of Peace,
The Everlasting Lord,
The Wonderful, the Counsellor,
The God by all adored.

His righteous government and power Shall over all extend;
On judgment and on justice based,
His reign shall have no end.

p Lord Jesu, reign in us we pray,
cr And make us Thine alone,
f Who with the Father ever art
And Holy Spirit One. Amen.



Epiphany.

More beauteous than the noonday light?

It shines to herald forth the King,
And Gentiles to His cradle bring.

See now fulfilled what God decreed, "From Jacob shall a star proceed;" And Eastern Sages with amaze Upon the wondrous vision gaze.

The guiding star above is bright; Within them shines a clearer light, Which leads them on with power benign To seek the Giver of the sign.

True love can brook no dull delay; Nor toil nor dangers stop their way: Home, kindred, fatherland, and all They leave at their Creator's call.

- O Jesu, while the star of grace
 Now leads us on to seek Thy face,
 Let not our slothful hearts refuse
 The guidance of that light to use.
- f All glory, Jesu, be to Thee
 For this Thy glad Epiphany,
 Whom with the Father we adore
 And Holy Ghost for evermore. Amen.

Also the following:

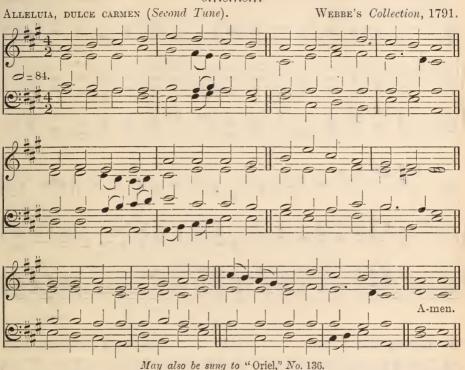
At even, when the sun did set—12 [3rd S.] Jesu, the very thought of Thee—446 [Part I.] Christ, Whose glory fills the skies—3
Come, Thou long-expected Jesus—383
Fierce raged the tempest—399 [4th S.]
From all that dwell below the skies—405
God of mercy, God of grace—417
Hail to the Lord's Anointed—424

[3rd S.]
Jesu, the very thought of Thee—446 [Part I.]
Jesus shall reign where'er the sun—452
O God of Hosts, the mighty Lord—485 [1st S.]
O Hand of bounty, largely spread—490
O Love, how deep! how broad!—502
The strain upraise of joy and praise—560



Before Septuagesima.

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A LLELUIA! Song of sweetness!
Voice of joy that cannot die!

Alleluia is the anthem

Heard among the choirs on high; Singing in God's blissful mansion Day and night eternally.

Alleluia! Joyful Mother,
True Jerusalem and free,
Alleluia, now triumphant,
All thy children sing in thee:
p But by Babylon's sad waters
Mourning exiles still are we.

p Alleluia cannot always
Be our song while here below;
Alleluia our transgressions
Make us for awhile forego;
For the solemn time is coming
When our tears for sin must flow.

mf Trinity of endless glory, Hear Thy people as they cry:

cr Grant us all to keep Thy Easter
In our home beyond the sky,

f There to Thee our Alleluia Singing everlastingly. Amen.

Also the following:

Sing Alleluia forth in duteous praise-544



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Septuagesima.

mf CREATOR of the world! to Thee
An endless rest of joy belongs;
And heavenly choirs are ever free
To sing on high their festal songs.

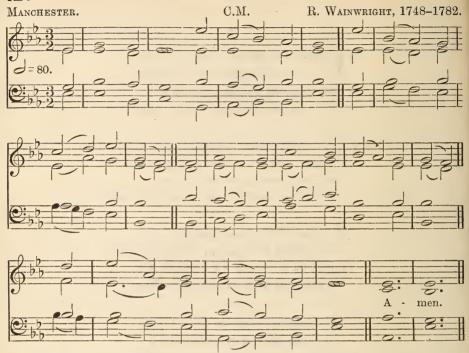
p But we are fallen creatures here,Where pain and sorrow daily come;And how can we, in exile drear,Sing out, as they, sweet songs of home?

O Father! Who dost promise still, That they who mourn shall blessèd be; Grant us to mourn for deeds of ill, That banish us so long from Thee:

cr But, weeping, grant us faith to rest
In hope upon Thy loving care;
f Till Thou restore us, with the blest,
Their songs of praise in heaven to share. Amen.

Also the following:

Fight the good fight with all thy might—401 Let us with a gladsome mind—303 The spacious firmament on high—559 There is a book, who runs may read—565 We thank Thee, Lord, for this fair earth—589



A LMIGHTY God, Thy word is cast Like seed into the ground: Now let the dew of heaven descend And righteous fruits abound.

Let not the foe of Christ and man
This holy seed remove:
But give it root in every heart,
To bring forth fruits of love.

Let not the world's deceitful cares
The rising plant destroy;
But let it yield a hundredfold
The fruits of peace and joy.

Nor let Thy word, so kindly sent To raise us to Thy throne, dim Return to Thee, and sadly tell p That we reject Thy Son.

mf Oft as the precious seed is sown,

Thy quickening grace bestow;

That all whose souls the truth receive

Its saving power may know. Amen.

Also the following:

Praise to the Holiest in the height—534 The Sower went forth sowing—307





mf RACIOUS Spirit, Holy Ghost,
Taught by Thee, we covet most
Of Thy gifts at Pentecost
Holy, heavenly love.

Faith, that mountains could remove, Tongues of earth or heaven above, Knowledge—all things—empty prove Without heavenly love.

Though I as a martyr bleed, Give my goods the poor to feed, All is vain, if love I need; Therefore, give me love. Love is kind, and suffers long; Love is meek, and thinks no wrong; Love than death itself more strong; Therefore, give us love.

Prophecy will fade away, Melting in the light of day; Love will ever with us stay; Therefore, give us love,

Faith will vanish into sight;
Hope be emptied in delight;
Love in heaven will shine more bright;
Therefore, give us love.

Faith and Hope and Love we see Joining hand in hand agree;
But the greatest of the three,
And the best, is Love. Amen.

Also the following:

Great Mover of all hearts—421 Lord of mercy and of might—468





May also be sung to "Burford," No. 143.

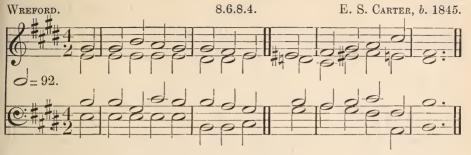
ONCE more the solemn season calls
 A holy fast to keep;
 And now within the temple walls
 Let priest and people weep.

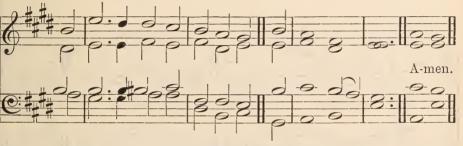
But vain all outward sign of grief,
And vain the form of prayer,
Unless the heart implore relief,
And penitence be there.

We smite the breast, we weep in vain, In vain in ashes mourn, Unless with penitential pain The smitten soul be torn. In sorrow true then let us pray
To our offended God,
From us to turn His wrath away,
And stay the uplifted rod.

O God, our Judge and Father, deign To spare the bruisèd reed; We pray for time to turn again, For grace to turn indeed.

Blest Three in One, to Thee we bow;
Vouchsafe us, in Thy love,
To gather from these fasts below
Immortal fruit above. Amen.



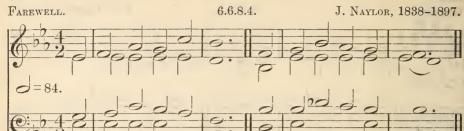


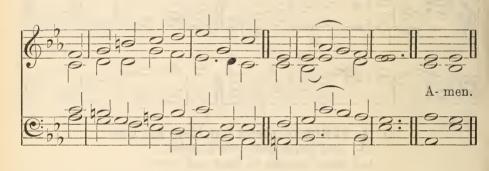
A BURDENED heart that bleeds and bears
And hopes and waits in pain,
And faints beneath its fears and cares,
Yet hopes again:

Wilt Thou accept the heart I bring,
O gracious Lord and kind,
To ease it of a torturing sting,
And staunch and bind?

Alas! if Thou wilt none of this
None else have I to give:
Look Thou upon it as it is,
Accept, relieve.

Or if Thou wilt not yet relieve, Be not extreme to sift: Accept a faltering will to give, Itself Thy gift. Amen.





P RAR from Thy heavenly care,
Lord, I have gone astray;
And all the wealth Thou gav'st to me,
Have cast away.

Now from a broken heart,
In penitence sincere,
I lift my prayer to Thee, O Lord,
In mercy hear.

And in Thy blest abode
Give me a servant's place,
That I, a son, may learn to own
A Father's grace. Amen.

PENITENTIA.

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E. Dearle, 1806-1891.





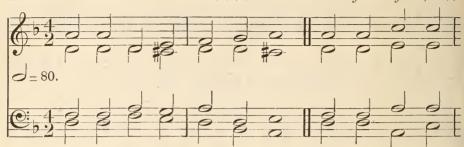


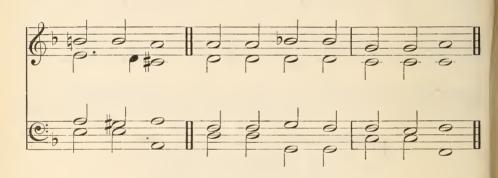
- P RATHER, again in Jesus' Name we meet, And bow in penitence beneath Thy feet: Again to Thee our feeble voices raise, To sue for mercy, and to sing Thy praise.
- mf Oh we would bless Thee for Thy ceaseless care, And all Thy works from day to day declare; Is not our life with hourly mercies crowned? Does not Thine arm encircle us around?
- p Alas! unworthy of Thy boundless love,Too oft our feet from Thee, our Father, rove;
- cr But now, encouraged by Thy voice, we come, Returning sinners to a Father's home.
- mf Oh, by that Name, in whom all fulness dwells,
 Oh, by that Love, which every love excels,
 Oh, by that Blood, so freely shed for sin,
 Open sweet mercy's gate, and let us in! Amen.

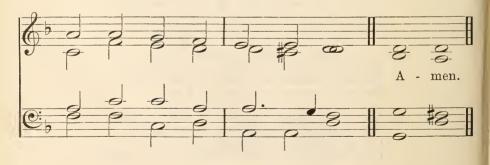
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Nuremberg Gesangbuch, 1677.







Thou wast fasting in the wild Forty days and forty nights

Tempted still, yet undefiled.

Sunbeams scorching all the day; Chilly dew-drops nightly shed; Prowling beasts about Thy way; Stones Thy pillow, earth Thy bed.

Shall not we Thy sorrow share,
 Learn Thy discipline of pain,
 Strive, like Thee, through fast and prayer,
 Strength for after time to gain?

Then if Satan, vexing sore,
Flesh or spirit shall assail,
f Thou, his vanquisher before,
Wilt not suffer us to fail.

mf So shall we have peace divine; Holier gladness ours shall be; Round us too shall Angels shine, Such as ministered to Thee.

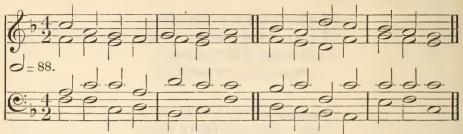
Keep, oh! keep us, Saviour dear,
Ever constant by Thy side;

f That with Thee we may appear
At the eternal Eastertide. Amen.

BATTISHILL.

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J. BATTISHILL, 1738-1801.





mf GIVER of the perfect gift!
Only Hope of human race!
Hear the prayer our hearts uplift
Trembling at Thy throne of grace.

Who can save us, Lord, but Thou?

Let Thy mercy show Thy power;

Lo, we plead Thy promise now,

Now, in this the accepted hour.

p Though the accusing voice within
Speaks of many a wrong to Thee,
mf Thou canst cleanse from every sin,
Thou canst set the conscience free.

Oh! may these our Lenten days,

Blest by Thee, with Thee be passed,

cr That with purer, nobler praise

We may keep Thy feast at last.

p God the Holy Trinity,
Grant the mercy we implore:
f God the One, all praise to Thee
Through the ages evermore! Amen.

ST. BRIDE.

S.M.

S. Howard, 1710-1782.





P HAVE mercy, Lord, on me,
As Thou wert ever kind;
Let me, opprest with loads of guilt,
Thy wonted mercy find.

Wash off my foul offence,
And cleanse me from my sin;
For I confess my crime, and see
How great my guilt has been.

The joy Thy favour gives
Let me again obtain,
And Thy free Spirit's firm support
My fainting soul sustain.

f To God the Father, Son,
And Spirit glory be,
As 'twas, and is, and shall be so
To all eternity. Amen.



mf LO! now is our accepted day,

The time for purging sins away,

The sins of thought, and deed, and word,

That we have done against the Lord.

For He the Merciful and True Hath spared His people hitherto; Not willing that the soul should die, Though great its past iniquity.

- Then let us all with earnest care,
 And contrite fast, and tear, and prayer,
 And works of mercy and of love,
 Entreat for pardon from above;
- mf That He may all our sins efface,
 Adorn us with the gifts of grace,
 And join us to the Angel band
 For ever in the heavenly land.

Blest Three in One and One in Three,
Almighty God, we pray to Thee,
That Thou wouldst now vouchsafe to bless
Our fast with fruits of righteousness. Amen.



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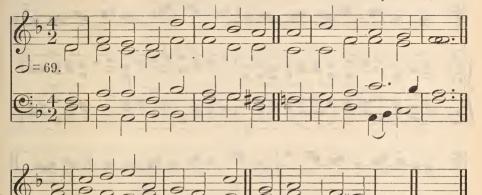
p L ORD, in this Thy mercy's day,
Ere it wholly pass away,
On our knees we fall and pray.
Holy Jesu, grant us tears,
Fill us with heart-searching fears,
Ere that awful doom appears.
Lord, on us Thy Spirit pour,
Kneeling lowly at Thy door,
Ere it close for evermore.

By Thy night of agony,
By Thy supplicating cry,
By Thy willingness to die.
By Thy tears of bitter woe
For Jerusalem below,
Let us not Thy love forego.
Grant us 'neath Thy wings a place,
Lest we lose this day of grace,
Lest we never see Thy face. Amen.

For Now the thirty years accomplished—see 136 [Part II.]

ST. MARY.

C.M. Archdeacon Prys's Book of Psalms, 1621.



P O LORD, turn not Thy face away
From them that lowly lie,
Lamenting sore their sinful life
With tears and bitter cry.

Thy mercy-gates are open wide

To them that mourn their sin;
Oh! shut them not against us, Lord,

But let us enter in.

We need not to confess our fault,

For surely Thou canst tell:

What we have done and what we are,

Thou knowest very well.

Wherefore to beg and to entreat
With tears we come to Thee,
As children that have done amiss
Fall at their father's knee.

And need we, then, O Lord, repeat

The blessing which we crave,

When Thou dost know, before we speak,

The thing that we would have?

Mercy! O Lord, mercy we seek,
This is the total sum!
For mercy, Lord, is all our prayer,
Oh let Thy mercy come! Amen.

In this our fast of forty days,



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Impart to us Thy pardoning grace.

Our sins are manifold and sore, But spare Thou them who sin deplore; And for Thine own Name's sake make The fainting and the weary soul. [whole Grant us to mortify each sense, By means of outward abstinence; That free from every stain of sin The soul may keep her fast within.

Blest Three in One and One in Three, Almighty God, we pray to Thee That Thou wouldst now vouchsafe to bless Our fast with fruits of righteousness. Amen.







OUT of the deep I call
To Thee, O Lord, to Thee;
Before Thy throne of grace I fall;
Be merciful to me.

Out of the deep I cry,
The woeful deep of sin,
Of evil done in days gone by,
Of evil now within.

Out of the deep of fear,
And dread of coming shame
From morning watch till night is near
I plead the precious Name.

Lord, there is mercy now,
As ever was, with Thee;
Before Thy throne of grace I bow,
Be merciful to me. Amen.



mf SWEET Saviour! in Thy pitying grace
Thy sweetness to our souls impart;
Thou Friend and Lover of our race,
Give healing to the wounded heart;
cr Oh hear Thy contrite servants' cry,
p And save us, Jesu! lest we die.

mf Long-suffering Jesu! hear our prayer
Who weep before Thee in our shame;
We have no hope but Thee; Oh spare,
Lord, spare us from the undying flame;
cr Oh hear Thy contrite servants' cry,
p And save us, Jesu! lest we die.

mf All we have broken Thy command;
Lord, help us for Thy mercies' sake;
Deliver us from Satan's hand,
And safely to Thy Kingdom take;
cr Oh hear Thy contrite servants' cry,
p And save us, Jesu! lest we die.

mf We flee for refuge to Thy love,
Salvation of the helpless soul;
Pour down Thy radiance from above,
And make these sin-worn spirits whole;
cr Good Lord, in mercy hear our cry,
p And save us, Jesu! lest we die. Amen.

Also the following:

A few more years shall roll—353
Approach, my soul, the Mercy-seat—362
Art thou weary, art thou languid—363
Father of all, to Thee—394
Heal us, Emmanuel, hear our prayer—426
In the hour of trial—435
Jesu, Lover of my soul—440
Just as I am, without one plea—454
Lord Jesu, think on me—466
Lord of mercy and of might—468
Lord, when we bend before Thy throne—473
My God and Father, while I stray—475
O Jesu, Thou art standing—494
O King of earth and air and sea—495

O Thou, from Whom all goodness flows—509
O Thou, to Whose all-searching sight—511
Oh, help us, Lord; each hour of need—519
Rock of ages, cleft for me—539
Saviour! when in dust to Thee—541
Saviour, Who exalted high—542
Take up thy cross, the Saviour said—551
Weary of earth, and laden with my sin—590
Weep not for Him Who onward bears—143
When at Thy footstool, Lord, I bend—593
When gathering clouds around I view—595
When our heads are bowed with woe—597
When wounded sore the stricken soul—600

Fifth Sunday in Lent.



Mf A BROAD the regal Banners fly,
Now shines the Cross's mystery
Upon it Life did death endure,
And yet by death did life procure.

Pierced by a spear, to cleanse our hearts, His side a sacred Stream imparts; Which issues in a double flood— A Stream of Water and of Blood.

That which the Prophet-King of old Hath in mysterious verse foretold Is now accomplished, whilst we see That God is reigning from the Tree.

Blest Tree, most sacred and divine, Which dost in royal purple shine; Supporting an Incarnate God, And rendered holy by thy load.

Blest Tree, whose happy branches bore The wealth that did the world restore, The Balance which the Price did weigh That spoiled the spoiler of his prey.

Blest Trinity, life's Source and Spring!
May every soul Thy praises sing:
Let those obtain a Crown in heaven
To whom the Cross hath conquest given. Amen.





- CING, my tongue, the glorious battle, mf NOW the thirty years accomplished Sing the last, the dread affray; O'er the Cross, the Victor's trophy, Sound the high triumphal lay, How, the pains of death enduring. Earth's Redeemer won the day.
- p He, our Maker, deeply grieving That the first-made Adam fell. When he ate the fruit forbidden Whose reward was death and hell, Marked e'en then this Tree the ruin Of the first tree to dispel.
- mf Therefore, when at length the fulness Of the appointed time was come, He was sent, the world's Creator, From the Father's heavenly home, And was found in human fashion, Offspring of the Virgin's womb.

Which on earth He willed to see, Born for this, He meets His Passion, Gives Himself an Offering free: On the Cross the Lamb is lifted. There the Sacrifice to be.

Faithful Cross, above all other One and only noble Tree, None in foliage, none in blossom, None in fruit thy peer may be; Sweet thy wood by man is reckoned For the weight that hung on thee.

Thou alone wast counted worthy This world's ransom to sustain, That a shipwrecked race for ever Might a port of refuge gain, With the sacred Blood anointed Of the Lamb for sinners slain.

Doxology to be sung at the end of each Part.

f Praise and honour to the Father, Praise and honour to the Son, Praise and honour to the Spirit, Ever Three and ever One, One in might, and One in glory, While eternal ages run. Amen. Iboly Week.



Iboly Wleek.

Sunday before Easter.

f A LL glory, praise, and honour To Thee, Redeemer, King; To Whom the lips of children Made sweet Hosannas ring.

Thou art the King of Israel,
Thou David's royal Son,
Who in the Lord's Name comest,
The King and blessed One!
All glory, etc.

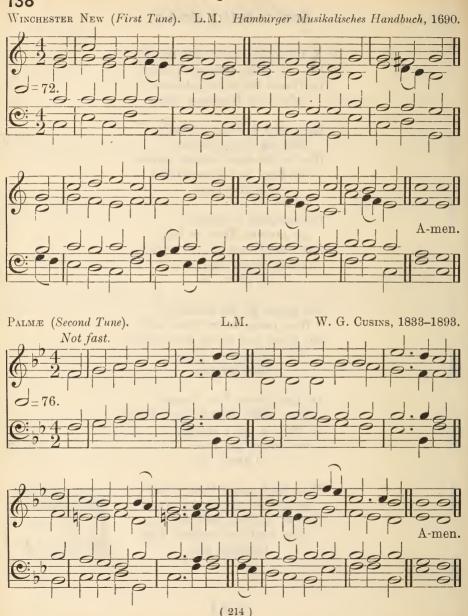
The company of Angels
Are praising Thee on high,
And mortal men and all things
Created make reply.
All glory, etc.

The people of the Hebrews
With palms before Thee went,
Our praise and prayer and anthems
Before Thee we present.
All glory, etc.

To Thee before Thy Passion
They raised their hymns of praise,
To Thee in glory reigning
Our melody we raise.
All glory, etc.

Thou didst accept their praises;
Accept the prayers we bring;
Who in all good delightest,
Thou good and gracious King.
All glory, etc.





Tholy Week.

f RIDE on! Ride on in majesty!

Hark! all the tribes Hosanna cry!

Thine humble beast pursues his road

With palms and scattered garments strowed.

f Ride on! Ride on in majesty!
p In lowly pomp ride on to die;
f O Christ, Thy triumphs now begin
O'er captive death and conquered sin.

f Ride on! Ride on in majesty!
p The wingèd squadrons of the sky
Look down with sad and wondering eyes,
To see the approaching Sacrifice!

f Ride on! Ride on in majesty!mf Thy last and fiercest strife is nigh,The Father on His sapphire-throneExpects His own Anointed Son.

f Ride on! Ride on in majesty!
p In lowly pomp ride on to die!
Bow Thy meek head to mortal pain!
f Then take, O God, Thy power and reign! Amen.

Also the following:
Wosanna to the living Lord!—429

Hymns on the Passion.







mf A LL ye who seek a comfort sure

In trouble and distress,
Whatever sorrow vex the mind,
Or guilt the soul oppress:

p Jesus, Who gave Himself for you
Upon the Cross to die,
cr Opens to you His sacred heart;
dim Oh, to that heart draw nigh!

mf Ye hear how kindly He invites;Ye hear His words so blest;"All ye that labour, come to Me,And I will give you rest."

What meeker than the Saviour's
As on the Cross He lay, [heart?—
It did His murderers forgive,
And for their pardon pray.

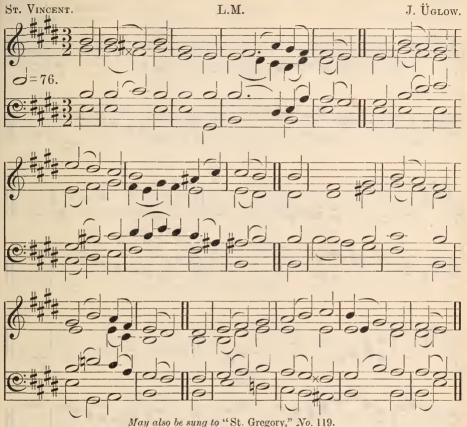
f O heart! Thou Joy of Saints on high,Thou Hope of sinners here,mf Attracted by those loving words

To Thee I lift my prayer.

Wash Thou my wounds in that dear Blood

Which forth from Thee doth flow; New grace, new hope inspire; a new And better heart bestow. Amen.





T ORD Jesu, when we stand afar And gaze upon Thy holy Cross, In love of Thee and scorn of self, Oh, may we count the world as loss! mf Give us an ever-living faith

When we behold Thy bleeding wounds, And the rough way that Thou hast Make us to hate the load of sin [trod, That lay so heavy on our God.

O holy Lord, uplifted high, With outstretched arms in mortal woe,

Embracing in Thy wondrous love The sinful world that lies below;—

To gaze beyond the things we see; And in the mystery of Thy Death Draw us and all men unto Thee.



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Ibymns on the Passion.

P O SACRED head! sore wounded,
With grief and shame weighed down;
O Kingly head! surrounded
With thorns, Thine only crown;
cr Once reigning in the highest
In light and majesty,
p Here mocked and scorned, Thou diest,—
mf And here I worship Thee.

p Thy grief and bitter Passion
Were all for sinners' gain;
Mine—mine was the transgression,
But Thine the cruel pain:
Lo! here I fall, my Saviour,
Turn not from me Thy face,
But look on me with favour,
Vouchsafe to me Thy grace.

mf What language can I borrow
To praise Thee, heavenly Friend,
For this Thy dying sorrow,
Thy love that hath no end?
Lord, make me Thine for ever!
Oh! may I faithful be!
And let me never—never
Outlive my love to Thee!

p Be near when I am dying;
Oh! show Thy Cross to me;
cr Lord, on Thy help relying,
Come Thou, and set me free!
mf These eyes, new faith receiving,
From Thee shall never move;
For he who dies believing
Dies safely in Thy love.

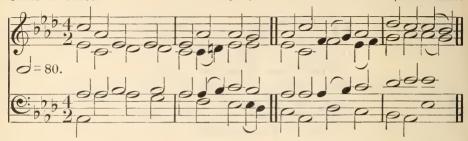


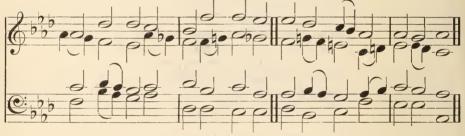
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Cross of Jesus.

8.7.8.7.

J. STAINER, 1840-1901.





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mf SWEET the moments, rich in blessing,

Which before the Cross we spend; Life, and health, and peace possessing From the sinner's dying Friend.

Rest we here, for ever viewing Mercy's streams in streams of Blood; Precious drops, our souls bedewing; Plead and claim our peace with God.

Truly blessèd is the station, Low before His Cross to lie, While we see Divine compassion Beaming in His languid eye.

Lord, in ceaseless contemplation
Fix our hearts and eyes on Thee,
Till we taste Thy whole salvation
And unveiled Thy glory see.

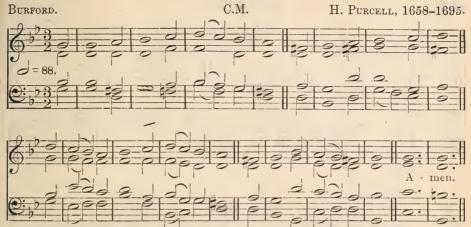
For Thy sorrows we adore Thee—
For the grief that wrought our
peace—

Gracious Saviour, we implore Thee, In our hearts Thy love increase.

Unto Thee, the world's salvation, Father, Spirit, unto Thee, Low we bow in adoration, Ever-blessèd One and Three.







mf WEEP not for Him Who onward bears

His Cross to Calvary;
He does not ask man's pitying tears,
Who wills for man to die.

The awful sorrow of His face,
The bowing of His frame,
Come not from torture or disgrace;
He fears not Cross or shame.

There is a deeper pang of grief,
An agony unknown,
In which His Love finds no relief;
He bears it all alone.

P He thinks of all for whom His Life
 Of lowliness and pain,
 And weariness and care and strife,
 Will be, alas! in vain.

He sees the souls for whom He dies Yet clinging to their sin, And heirs of mansions in the skies Who will not enter in.

Ah! this, my Saviour, was the shame That bowed Thy head so low! These were the wounds that racked Thy frame, And made Thy tears to flow.

mf Oh! may I in Thy sorrow share,
And mourn that sins of mine
Should ever wound with grief or care
That loving heart of Thine. Amen.

MAUNDY THURSDAY.

The following are suitable:

Now, my tongue, the mystery telling—257 O Thou, Who at Thy Eucharist didst pray—260 The heavenly Word proceeding forth—262 [Part I.]

[Part I.]

Ibymns on the Passion. Good Friday.

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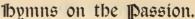
- **P**OUND upon the accursed Tree, Faint and bleeding, who is He?
- p By the eyes so pale and dim, Streaming blood, and writhing limb, By the flesh with scourges torn, By the crown of twisted thorn, By the side so deeply pierced, By the baffled burning thirst, By the drooping death-dewed brow,
- f Son of Man! 'tis Thou, 'tis Thou!

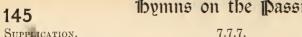
- mf Bound upon the accursed Tree, Sad and dying, who is He?
 - p By the last and bitter cry; The ghost given up in agony, By the lifeless Body, laid In the chamber of the dead; By the mourners, come to weep Where the bones of Jesus sleep;
- cr Crucified! we know Thee now;
- f Son of Man! 'tis Thou, 'tis Thou!
- mf Bound upon the accursed Tree, Dread and awful, who is He?
- p By the sun at noon-day pale,
- cr Shivering rocks, and rending veil, By Earth that trembles at His doom, cr By the spoiled and empty grave,
- f By yonder Saints who burst their tomb,
- mf By Eden promised ere He died To the felon at His side, Lord! our suppliant knees we bow;
 - f Son of God! 'tis Thou, 'tis Thou!

- mf Bound upon the accursed Tree, Dread and awful, who is He! By the prayer for them that slew,
 - "Lord, they know not what they do!"

 - By the souls He died to save,
- f By the conquest He hath won, By the Saints before His throne, By the rainbow round His brow,
- ff Son of God! 'tis Thou, 'tis Thou!

Amen.









May also be sung to "St. Philip," No. 130.

JESU, Lord, enthroned on high, Willing once for us to die, At Thy Cross we humbly lie.

Jesu, Lord, betrayed and tried, By Thine own at last denied, Scorned of men and crucified:

By Thy soul in anguish torn With the insult and the scorn. Mocking robe and crown of thorn:

By Thy tears of grief which fell; By Thy woes which none may tell; By Thy strife with death and hell:

By Thy sad and lonely cry Through the gloom that veiled the sky Ere Thou willed Thyself to die:

By Thy dying sad and lone; mf By Thy Cross and victory won, Finished work and battle done:

> Dying, Lord, that we might live, Willing now Thy grace to give, Hear us, Jesu, and forgive.

Lord of glory, Jesu blest, Hope of weary souls opprest, dim Grant us Thine eternal rest.

Amen.





THOU, the Eternal Son of God, The Lamb for sinners slain, We worship Thee, Whose head is In agony and pain. [bowed

Thou Great High Priest, Thy glory-To-day are laid aside; [robes] And human sorrows, Son of Man, Thy Godhead seem to hide.

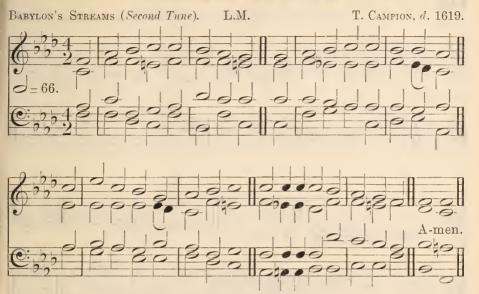
None tread with Thee Thine awful p The Cross is sharp, but in Thy woe Thou sufferest alone; [path; Thine is the perfect Sacrifice Which only can atone.

This is the lightest part; Our sin it is which pierces Thee, And breaks Thy sacred heart.

mf Who love Thee most, at Thy dear Cross Will truest, Lord, abide; Make Thou that Cross our only hope, O Jesu Crucified! Amen.

Ibymus on the Passion.





oh, come and mourn with me awhile;
Oh, come ye to the Saviour's side;
Oh, come, together let us mourn:—

pp Jesus, our Lord, is crucified!

mf Have we no tears to shed for Him,
While soldiers scoff and Jews deride?
Ah, look how patiently He hangs!

pp Jesus, our Lord, is crucified!

p Seven times He spake—seven words of love;
And all three hours His silence cried
For mercy on the souls of men:—
pp Jesus, our Lord, is crucified!

mf A broken heart, a fount of tears,
Ask, and they will not be denied;
A broken heart love's cradle is;
pp Jesus, our Lord, is crucified!

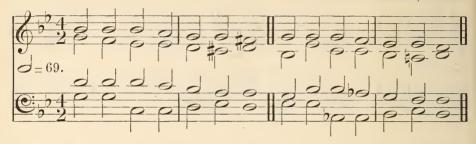
mf Oh, Love of God! Oh, sin of man!
In this dread act your strength is tried;
f And victory remains with love,
pp For He, our Love, is crucified! Amen.

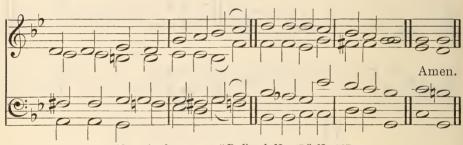
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Basil Johnson, b. 1861.





May also be sung to "Redhead, No. 47," No. 597.

mf SEE the destined day arise!
See, a willing Sacrifice,
To redeem our fatal loss,
Jesus hangs upon the Cross!

Jesu, who but Thou had borne, Lifted on that Tree of scorn, Every pang and bitter throe, Finishing Thy life of woe? Who but Thou had dared to drain, Steeped in gall, the cup of pain, And with tender Body bear Thorns, and nails, and piercing spear?

Thence poured forth the Water flowed, Mingled from Thy side with Blood; Sign to all attesting eyes Of the finished Sacrifice.

p Holy Jesu, grant us grace
In that Sacrifice to place
cr All our trust for life renewed,
f Pardoned sin and promised good. Amen

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Hymns on the Seven Words.

SAXONY.

L.M.

Old German Chorale.





" Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do."

mf TO whom but Thee, O God of grace,

Shall laden souls for mercy seek?

Oh turn not Thou away Thy face,
But pardon to the contrite speak.

Our countless faults before Thee lie,
 Our secret sins beneath Thy glance;
 And all must bear that scrutiny,
 The light of Thy dread countenance.

We have no worthiness to bring, No plea but this—that Christ has died, And to His Cross alone we cling, Sheltered by Jesus crucified.

- er Send from the Cross our pardon true,
 That voice which bids us hope and
 live—
- p "Father, they know not what they do, Father, Thy sinful sons forgive."
- f So, cleansed and pardoned, we will raise
 Our everlasting songs to Thee;
 And Father, Son, and Spirit praise,
 One God to all eternity.



Ibymns on the Passion.

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Hymns on the Seven Mords.

KENSINGTON. 10.10.10.10. Archbishop Maclagan, h. 1826. (230)

Hymns on the Seven Words.

" To-day shalt thou be with Me in Paradise."

mf" L ORD, when Thy Kingdom comes, remember me;"
Thus spake the dying lips to dying ears;
O faith, which in that darkest hour could see
The promised glory of the far-off years!

No kingly sign declares that glory now,
No ray of hope lights up that awful hour;
A thorny crown surrounds the bleeding brow,
The hands are stretched in weakness, not in power.

Hark! through the gloom the dying Saviour saith, "Thou too shalt rest in Paradise to-day;" or O words of love to answer words of faith!
O words of hope for those who live to pray!

p Lord, when with dying lips my prayer is said, Grant that in faith Thy Kingdom I may see; And, thinking on Thy Cross and bleeding head, May breathe my parting words, "Remember me."

Remember me, but not my shame or sin:

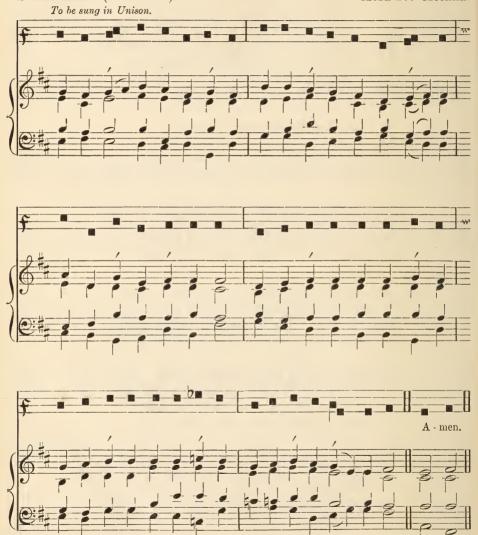
- cr Thy cleansing Blood hath washed them all away;
- mf Thy precious Death for me did pardon win; Thy Blood redeemed me in that awful day.
 - p Remember me; and, ere I pass away,
- cr Speak Thou the assuring word that sets us free,
- mf And make Thy promise to my heart, "To-day Thou too shalt rest in Paradise with Me." Amen.

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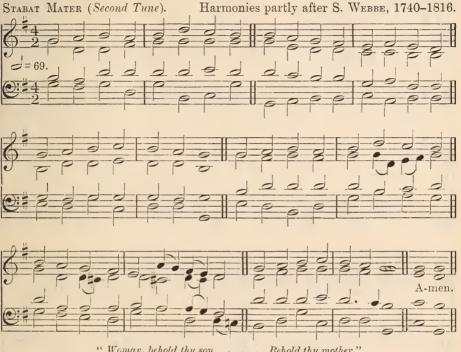
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STABAT MATER (First Tune).

Mode IV. Mechlin.



Hovmus on the Seven Words. 8.8.7. D.



" Woman, behold thy son.

mf BY the Cross, sad vigil keeping, Stood the Mother, doleful, weep-Where her Son extended hung; [ing, For her soul, of joy bereaved, Smit with anguish, deeply grieved, Lc! the piercing sword had wrung.

p Oh how sad and sore distressèd Now was she, that Mother blessed Of the Sole-Begotten One! Woe-begone, with heart's prostration, mf Mother meek, the bitter passion Saw she of her glorious Son.

mf Who on Christ's fond Mother looking, cr That my heart fresh ardour proving, Such extreme affliction brooking, Born of woman, would not weep?

Behold thy mother."

Who on Christ's fond Mother thinking, With her Son in sorrow sinking, Would not share her sorrow deep?

Traditional.

p For His people's sins rejected, She beheld Him, unprotected, [rent:

Torn with thorns, with scourges Saw her Son from judgment taken, Her beloved in death forsaken,

Till His spirit forth He sent.

With Thy Mother's deep devotion, Make me feel her strong emotion,

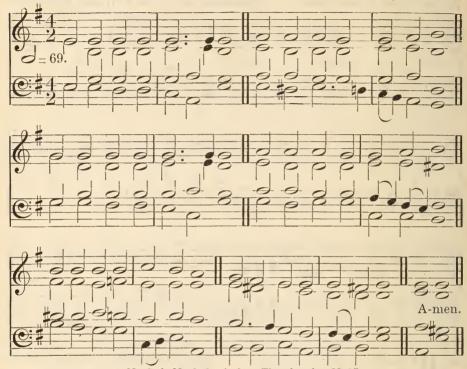
Fount of love, Redeemer kind! Thee, my God and Saviour, loving, May with Thee acceptance find.

Amen.

GETHSEMANE.

Six 7's.

F. A. G. Ouseley, 1825-1889.



" My God, My God, why hast Thou forsaken Me?"

THRONED upon the awful Tree, mf King of grief, I watch with Thee;

p Darkness veils Thine anguished face, cr Thou, the Father's Only Son, None its lines of woe can trace, None can tell what pangs unknown

pp Hold Thee silent and alone.

p Silent through those three dread

cr Wrestling with the evil powers, dim Left alone with human sin, Gloom around Thee and within, Till the appointed time is nigh, pp Till the Lamb of God may die.

Hark that cry that peals aloud Upward through the whelming cloud!

Thou, His own Anointed One, Thou dost ask Him—(p)can it be? f"Why hast Thou forsaken Me?"

p Lord, should fear and anguish roll Darkly o'er my sinful soul, Thou, Who once wast thus bereft

cr That Thine own might ne'er be left, Teach me by that bitter cry

mf In the gloom to know Thee nigh.

Amen.

Hymns on the Seven Mords.

ERSKINE.

8.8.8.6.

W. H. GLADSTONE, 1840-1889.





"I thirst."

mf HIS are the thousand sparkling rills,
That from a thousand fountains burst,
And fill with music all the hills:

p And yet He saith, "I thirst."

mf All fiery pangs on battlefields,
On fever beds where sick men toss,
p Are in that human cry He yields
To anguish on the Cross.

mf But more than pains that racked Him then
Was the deep longing thirst divine,
That thirsted for the souls of men:
Dear Lord! and one was mine.

p O Love most patient, give me grace;
 Make all my soul athirst for Thee;
 That parched dry lip, that fading face,
 cr That thirst, were all for me. Amen.

Ibymus on the Passion.

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154 ST. RAPHAEL. E. J. Hopkins, 1818-1901. 8.7.8.7.4.7. A - men.

Hymns on the Seven Mords.

"It is finished."

f HARK! the voice of love and mercy Sounds aloud from Calvary;
See, it rends the rocks asunder,
Shakes the earth, and veils the sky:

p "It is finished,"
Hear the dying Saviour cry.

mf "It is finished." Oh what pleasure
Do the wondrous words afford!
cr Heavenly blessings without measure
Flow to us from Christ the Lord.

p "It is finished,"
mf Saints, the dying words record.

f Finished all the types and shadows
Of the ceremonial law,
Finished all that God had promised:
Death and hell no more shall awe.
p "It is finished,"
mf Saints, from hence your comfort draw.

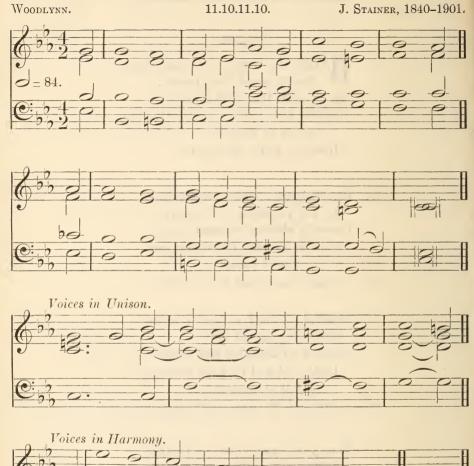
f Tune your harps anew, ye Seraphs;
Strike them to Emmanuel's Name.
cr All on earth, and all in heaven,
Join the triumph to proclaim.
ff Hallelujah!

Glory to the bleeding Lamb! Amen.

Thymns on the Passion.

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"Father, into Thy hands I commend My spirit.

P A ND now, belovèd Lord, Thy soul resigning Into Thy Father's arms with conscious will, Calmly, with reverend grace, Thy head inclining, The throbbing brow and labouring breast grow still.

Freely Thy life Thou yieldest, meekly bending

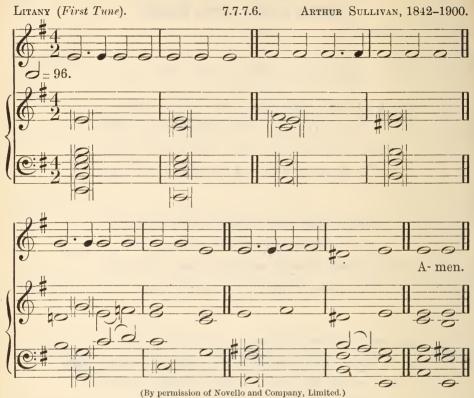
E'en to the last beneath our sorrows' load,

mf Yet strong in death, in perfect peace commending

Thy spirit to Thy Father and Thy God.

- pp Sweet Saviour, in mine hour of mortal anguish
 When earth grows dim, and round me falls the night
 Oh breathe Thy peace, as flesh and spirit languish
 cr At that dread eventide let there be ligh
 - p To Thy dear Cross turn Thou my eyes in dying;
 Lay but my fainting head upon Thy breast;
 Those outstretched arms receive my latest sighing;
 cr And then, Oh! then, (p) Thine everlasting rest. Amen.

Litany of the Seven Mords.



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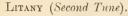
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E. H. Turpin, b. 1835.





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The following are also suitable for Passion-tide:

Behold the Lamb of God:—370 Hail, Thou once despised Jesus—423 Lord Jesu, when we stand afar—140 O sacred head! sore wounded—141 O Thou, before the world began—259 O Thou, the Eternal Son of God—146 Rock of ages, cleft for me—539 Saviour, Who exalted high—542 We sing the praise of Him Who died—588 When wounded sore the stricken soul—600



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R. REDHEAD, 1820-1901.





T is finished! Blessèd Jesus,
Thou hast breathed Thy latest sigh,
Teaching us the sons of Adam
How the Son of God can die.

Lifeless lies the piercèd Body,
Resting in its rocky bed,
Thou hast left the Cross of anguish
For the mansions of the dead.

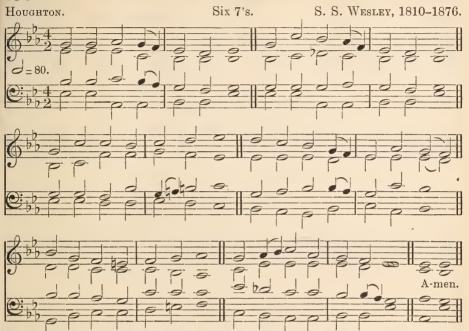
mf In the hidden realm of darkness
Shines a light unseen before,
For the Lord of dead and living
Enters at the lowly door.

Lo! in spirit, rich in mercy Comes He from the world above, Preaching to the souls in prison Tidings of His dying love. f Lo! the heavenly light around Him
As He draws His people near;
All amazed they come rejoicing
At the gracious words they hear.

Patriarch and Priest and Prophet Gather round Him as He stands, In adoring faith and gladness, Hearing of the pierced hands.

mf There in lowliest joy and wonder Stands the robber by His side, Reaping now the blessed promise Spoken by the Crucified.

p Jesus, Lord of our salvation,
Let Thy mercy rest on me;
Grant me too, when life is finished,
Rest in Paradise with Thee. Amen.



mf SABBATH of the Saints of old,
Day of mysteries manifold,
By the great Creator blest,
Type of His eternal rest!
Resting from His work the Lord
Spake to-day the hallowing word.

Resting from His work to-day, In the tomb the Saviour lay; Still He slept, from head to feet Shrouded in the winding-sheet, Lying in the rock alone, Hidden by the sealed stone.

All that Sabbath long, I ween, Mournful watched the Magdalene; Rising early, resting late, By the sepulchre to wait, In the holy garden glade, Where her buried Lord was laid. p Lord, with Thee, till life shall end,
We would solemn vigil spend;
Close the door from sight and sound
Of the busy world around;
And in patient watch remain
Till our Lord appear again.

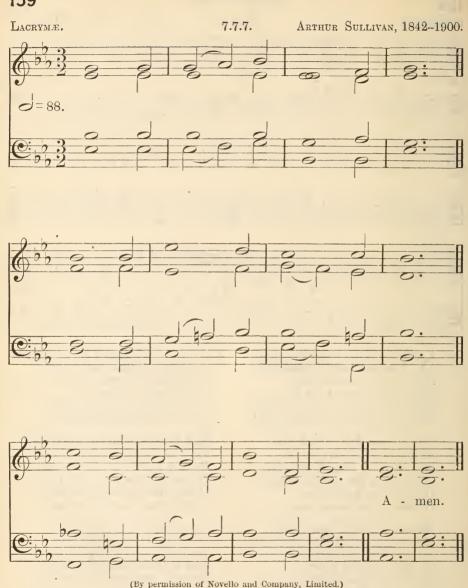
Still with Thee their Sabbath keep They who 'neath the Altar sleep; Resting from their labours past, cr Waiting for the trumpet's blast;

f When, the new creation done, Endless joys shall be begun.

p Jesu, keep us safe from sin; With them let us enter in,

cr Dangers past and toil at end,
And to those blest joys ascend;
There in flesh our God to see,
p And adore eternally. Amen.

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P WEEPING as they go their way
Their dear Lord in earth to lay,
Late at even—who are they?

These are they who watched to see Where He hung in agony, Dying on the accursed Tree.

All is over—fought the fight;

Heaviness is for the night,

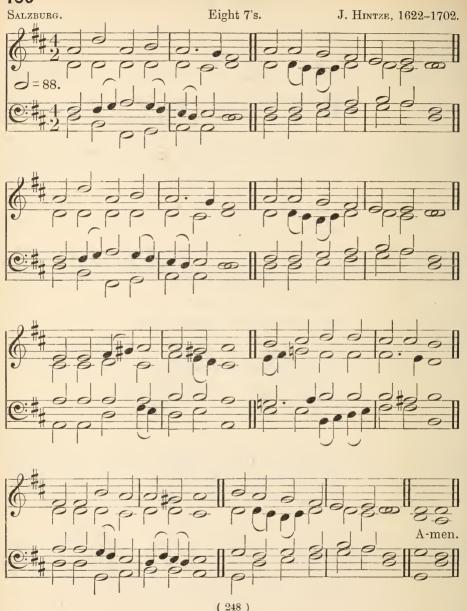
er Joy comes with the morning light.

Leave we in the grave with Him Sins that shame and doubts that dim, If our souls would rise with Him.

f Glory to the Lord, Who gave

His pure Body to the grave,

Us from sin and death to save. Amen.



A T the Lamb's high feast we sing Praise to our victorious King, Who hath washed us in the tide Flowing from His piercèd side.

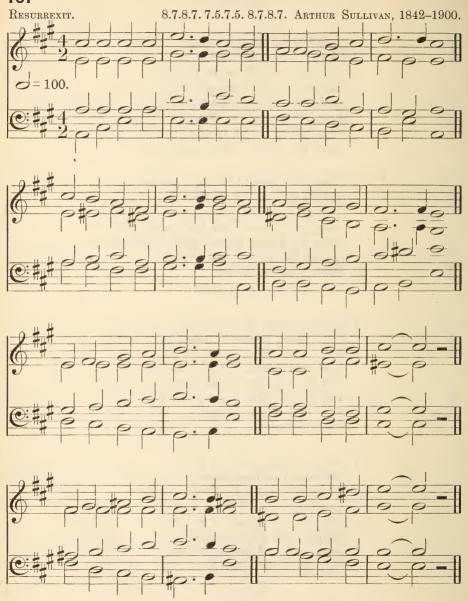
Praise we Him, Whose love divine Gives His guests His Blood for wine, Gives His Body for the feast; Christ the Victim, Christ the Priest!

mf Where the Paschal Blood is poured, Death's dark Angel sheathes his sword;

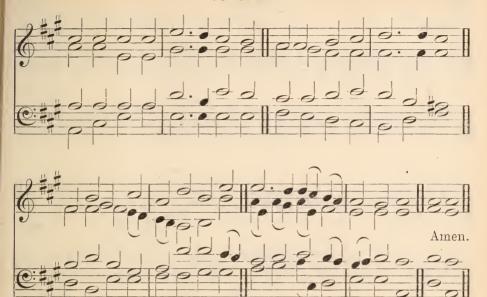
f Israel's hosts triumphant go
Through the wave that drowns the foe.
Praise we Christ Whose Blood was shed,
Paschal Victim, Paschal Bread;

mf With sincerity and love Eat we Manna from above.

- f Mighty Victim from the sky
 Hell's fierce powers beneath Thee lie,
 Thou hast conquered in the fight,
 Thou hast brought us life and light:
 Now no more can death appal,
 Now no more the grave enthral;
 Thou hast opened Paradise,
 And in Thee Thy Saints shall rise.
- p Easter triumph, Easter joy— Sin alone can this destroy;
- cr From sin's power do Thou set free Souls new-born, O Lord, in Thee.
- f Hymns of glory and of praise,
 Father, unto Thee we raise;
 Risen Lord, all praise to Thee,
 With the Spirit, ever be! Amen.



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f CHRIST is risen! Christ is risen!
He hath burst His bonds in cr
twain:

Christ is risen! Christ is risen!
Cry of gladness, soar again!

For our gain He suffered loss,
By divine decree

He hath died upon the Cross, But our God is He.

ff Christ is risen! Christ is risen!

He hath burst His bonds in twain:
Christ is risen! Christ is risen!
Earth and heaven prolong the strain!

mf Lo! the chains of death are broken!

Earth below, and heaven above,

Joy anew in every token

Of Thy triumph, Lord of love! He o'er earth and heaven shall reign At His Father's side, Till He cometh once again, Bridegroom to His Bride.

tf Christ is risen! Christ is risen!

He hath burst His bonds in twain:
Christ is risen! Christ is risen!

Earth and heaven prolong the strain!

mf Glorious Angels, downward thronging,
Hail the Lord of all the skies!

For the Father's Image, cries—

Christ is risen! Earth, rejoice! Sing, ye starry train!

Let Creation find a voice! He o'er all shall reign!

Christ is risen! Christ is risen!

He hath burst His bonds in twain:
Christ is risen! Christ is risen!

O'er the universe to reign! Amen.

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Würtemberg.

7.7.7., with Alleluia. J. Rosenmüller, 1610-1686.





- f CHRIST the Lord is risen again;
 Christ hath broken every chain;
 Hark, Angelic voices cry,
 Singing evermore on high,
 Allelnia!
- mf He Who gave for us His life,
 Who for us endured the strife,
 - f Is our Paschal Lamb to-day;
 We too sing for joy, and say
 Alleluia!
- mf He Who bore all pain and loss Comfortless upon the Cross,
 - f Lives in glory now on high,
 Pleads for us and hears our cry;
 Alleluia!

- mf He Who slumbered in the grave,
- f Is exalted now to save;
- # Now through Christendom it rings
 That the Lamb is King of kings.
 Alleluia!
- mf Now He bids us tell abroad
 How the lost may be restored,
 How the penitent forgiven,
 How we too may enter heaven.
 f Alleluia!
 - p Thou our Paschal Lamb indeed, Christ, Thy ransomed people feed;
 - cr Take our sins and guilt away,
 - f That we all may sing for aye,

 ff Alleluia!

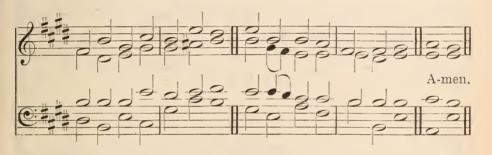
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H. S. Irons, b, 1834.





f "CHRIST the Lord is risen to-day,"
Sons of men, and Angels, say;
Raise your joys and triumphs high!
Sing, ye heavens; and earth, reply!

Lives again our glorious King! Where, O Death, is now thy sting? Once He died our souls to save; Where thy victory, O Grave?

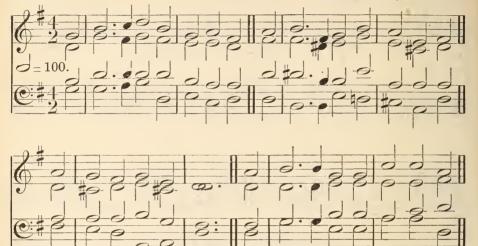
Love's redeeming work is done, Fought the fight, the battle won; Lo! our Sun's eclipse is o'er; Lo! He sets in blood no more.

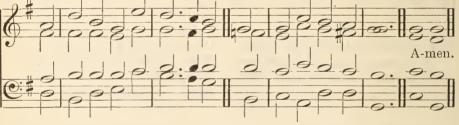
Soar we now where Christ has led, Following our exalted Head! Made like Him, like Him we rise, Ours the cross, the grave, the skies.

Vain the stone, the watch, the seal; Christ has burst the gates of hell! Death in vain forbids His rise; Christ has opened Paradise!

King of Glory, soul of bliss, Everlasting life is this, Thee to know, Thy power to prove, Thus to sing, and thus to love. Amen 8.8.6. 8.8.6.

S. Wesley, 1766-1837.





f COME, see the place where Jesus lay,
And hear Angelic watchers say—
"He lives, Who once was slain:
Why seek the living 'midst the dead?
Remember how the Saviour said
That He would rise again."

f O joyful sound! O glorious hour, When by His own almighty power He rose, and left the grave:

cr Now let our songs His triumph tell,

Who burst the bands of death and hell,

And ever lives to save.

mf The First-begotten of the dead, For us He rose, our glorious Head, Immortal life to bring:

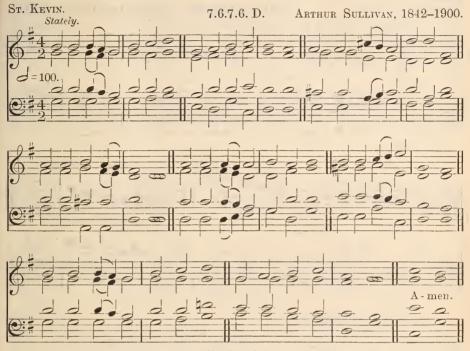
p What though the Saints like Him shall die.

cr They share their Leader's victory, f And triumph with their King.

mf No more they tremble at the grave,

cr For Jesus will their spirits save,
f And raise their slumbering dust:

O risen Lord, in Thee we live, To Thee our ransomed souls we give, To Thee our bodies trust. Amen.



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f COME, ye faithful, raise the strain
Of triumphant gladness!
God hath brought His Israel
Into joy from sadness,—
All the winter of our sins,
Long and dark, is flying
From His light, to Whom we give
Thanks and praise undying.

Now the Queen of seasons, bright
With the day of splendour,
With the royal Feast of feasts,
Comes its joy to render;
Comes to glad Jerusalem,
Who with true affection
Welcomes in unwearied strains
Jesus' Resurrection!

Neither might the gates of death,
Nor the tomb's dark portal,
Nor the watchers, nor the seal
Hold Thee as a mortal:
But to-day amidst Thine own
Thou didst stand, bestowing
That Thy peace which evermore
Passeth human knowing. Amen.













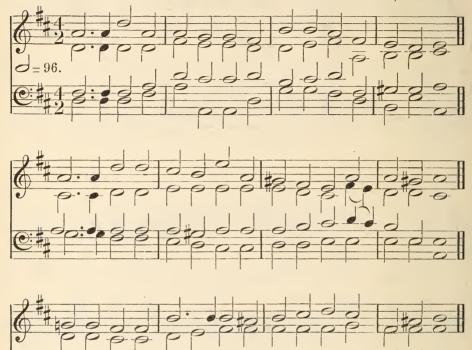


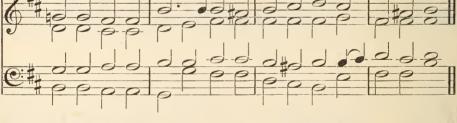
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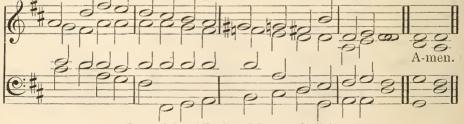
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ARTHUR SULLIVAN, 1842-1900.







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- f HALLELUJAH! Hallelujah! Hearts to heaven and voices raise;
 Sing to God a hymn of gladness, sing to God a hymn of praise!

 mf He Who on the Cross a victim for the world's salvation bled,
 f Jesus Christ, the King of Glory, now is risen from the dead!
 - f Now the iron bars are broken, Christ from death to life is born, Glorious life, and life immortal, on the holy Easter morn.

 Christ has triumphed, and we conquer by His mighty enterprise, We with Christ to life eternal by His Resurrection rise.
 - f Christ is risen, Christ the First-fruits of the holy harvest-field, Which will all its full abundance at His second coming yield; Then the golden ears of harvest will their heads before Him wave, Ripened by His glorious sunshine, from the furrows of the grave.
 - f Christ is risen, we are risen! (p) Shed upon us heavenly grace, Rain, and dew, and gleams of glory from the brightness of Thy face,
 - cr So that we, with hearts in heaven, here on earth may fruitful be,
 - f And by Angel-hands be gathered, and be ever, Lord, with Thee.
 - f Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Glory be to God on high!

 To the Father, and the Saviour, Who has gained the victory!

 Glory to the Holy Spirit, fount of Love and Sanctity!

 Hallelujah! Hallelujah! to the Triune Majesty! Amen.

EDOM.

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A. L. Peace, b. 1844.









f HE is risen, He is risen,
Tell it with a joyful voice,
He has burst His three days' prison,
Let the whole wide earth rejoice;
Death is conquered, man is free,
Christ has won the victory.

mf Tell it to the sinners weeping
Over deeds in darkness done,
Weary fast and vigil keeping,
cr Brightly breaks their Easter sun;
f Blood can wash all sins away,
Christ has conquered hell to-day.

mf Come, ye sad and fearful-hearted,
With glad smile and radiant brow;
Lent's long shadows have departed,
All His woes are over now,
And the Passion that He bore;
f Sin and pain can vex no more.

mf Come, with high and holy hymning
Chant our Lord's triumphant lay;
Not one darksome cloud is dimming
Yonder glorious morning ray
Breaking o'er the purple east;
f Brighter far our Easter feast.

the is risen, He is risen;
He hath ope'd the eternal gate;
We are free from sin's dark prison,
Risen to a holier state.
And a brighter Easter beam
On our longing eyes shall stream. Amen.



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FOR THE EVENING.

mf JESU, the world's redeeming Lord,
The Father's Co-eternal Word,
Of Light invisible true Light,
Thine Israel's Keeper day and night;

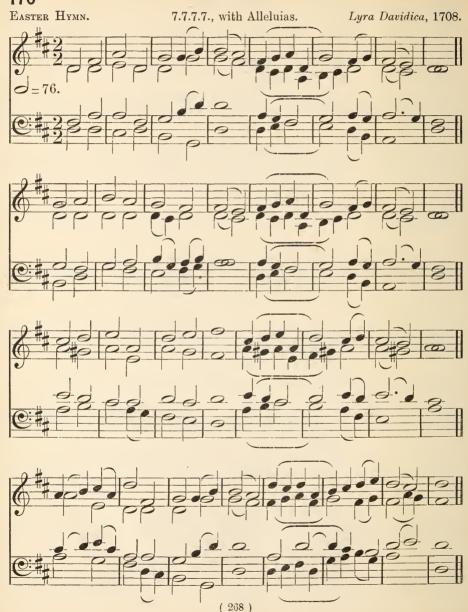
Our great Creator and our Guide, Who times and seasons dost divide, Refresh at night with quiet rest Our limbs by daily toil oppressed:

That while in this frail house of clay A little longer here we stay, Our flesh in Thee may sweetly sleep, Our souls with Thee their vigils keep.

We pray Thee, while we dwell below, Preserve us from our ghostly foe; Nor let his wiles victorious be O'er them that are redeemed by Thee.

O Lord of all, with us abide In this our joyful Easter-tide; From every weapon death can wield Thine own redeemed for ever shield.

f All praise be Thine, O risen Lord,
 From death to endless life restored;
 All praise to God the Father be,
 And Holy Ghost eternally. Amen.



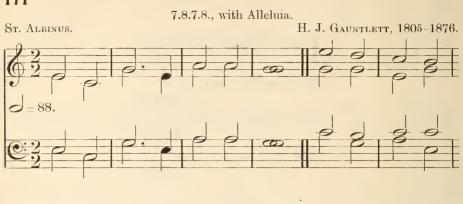
JESUS Christ is risen to-day,
Alleluia!
Our triumphant holy day,
Alleluia!
Who did once upon the Cross
Alleluia!
Suffer to redeem our loss.
Alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing
Alleluia!
Unto Christ our heavenly King;
Alleluia!
Who endured the Cross and grave,
Alleluia!
Sinners to redeem and save.
Alleluia!

mf But the pains which He endured
Alleluia!
Our salvation have procured;
Alleluia!
ff Now above the 'sky He's King,
Alleluia!
Where the Angels ever sing



Alleluia!







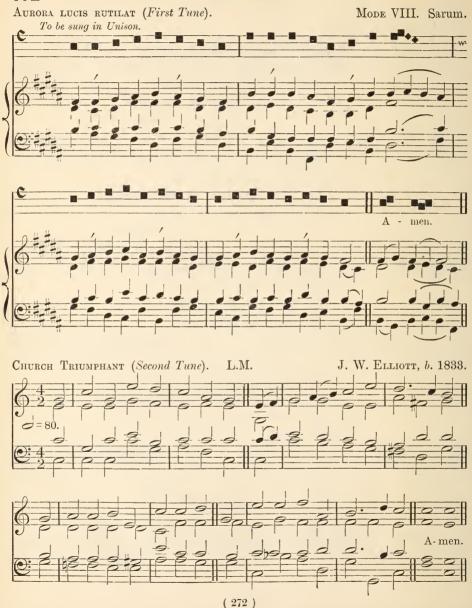
f JESU lives! Thy terrors now Can no longer, Death, appal us! Jesus lives! By this we know Thou, O Grave, canst not enthral us. Alleluia!

Jesus lives! Henceforth is death But the gate of life immortal; This shall calm our trembling breath, When we pass its gloomy portal. f Alleluia!

Jesus lives! (p) For us He died: mf Then, alone to Jesus living. Pure in heart may we abide, Glory to our Saviour giving. f Alleluia!

Jesus lives! Our hearts know well Nought from us His love shall sever; mf Life, nor death, nor powers of hell cr Tear us from His keeping ever. f Alleluia!

Jesus lives! To Him the throne Over all the world is given; mf May we go where He is gone, cr Rest and reign with Him in heaven. f Alleluia! Amen.



- f NOW dawning glows the Day of days;

 All heaven resounds with songs of praise!

 From earth loud shouts of triumph rise,

 And hell despoiled with groans replies.
- f For He, the mighty King of day,

 Hath crushed proud Death's unlawful sway,

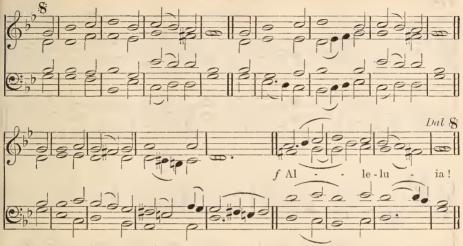
 And, marching through his dark domain,

 Broken the weary prisoners' chain.
- mf Fierce soldiers o'er His tomb kept guard;A mighty stone the entrance barred;f But, bursting from His prison, He rose
 - f But, bursting from His prison, He rose Triumphant o'er His baffled foes.
 - f Loosed are the pains of hell this hour;

 Death over life hath lost his power:
 - "The Lord is risen," the Angel said,
 - "Why seek the living 'mid the dead?"
 - p Thou gracious King and Lord of day, Dwell Thou within our hearts, we pray;
- cr So from Thine own shall grateful praise
- f Rise to Thy throne through all our days. Amen.

Mode II. Ancient Plain Song.





f Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

The King of heaven, the glorious King.

O'er death to-day rose triumphing.

Allelnia!

mf That Easter morn, at break of day, The faithful women went their way To seek the tomb where Jesus lay. Allelnia!

mf An Angel clad in white they see, Who sat, and spake unto the three, "Your Lord doth go to Galilee."

Alleluia!

p That night the Apostles met in mf How blest are they who have not fear:

Amidst them came their Lord most dear.

And said, "My peace be on all here." Alleluia!

SONS and daughters, let us sing! mf When Thomas first the tidings heard.

How they had seen the risen Lord, He doubted the disciples' word.

Allelnia!

p" My piercèd side, O Thomas, see; My hands, My feet I show to thee; Not faithless, but believing be." Alleluia!

mf No longer Thomas then denied; He saw the feet, the hands, the side;

f"Thou art my Lord and God," he cried Alleluia!

seen,

And yet whose faith hath constant been.

For they eternal life shall win. Alleluia!

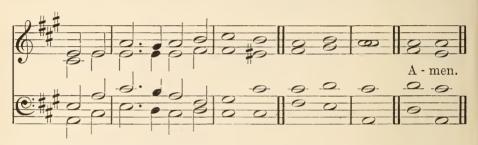
f On this most holy Day of days To God your hearts and voices raise In laud, and jubilee, and praise. Alleluia!











N the Resurrection morning Soul and body meet again; No more sorrow, no more weeping, No more pain!

p Here awhile they must be parted, And the flesh its Sabbath keep, Waiting in a holy stillness, Wrapt in sleep.

p For a space the tired body Lies with feet toward the dawn: cr Till there breaks the last and brightest

Easter morn.

mf But the soul in contemplation Utters earnest prayer and strong; cr Bursting at the Resurrection

Into song!

mf Soul and body reunited Thenceforth nothing shall divide, Waking up in Christ's own likeness Satisfied.

Oh! the beauty, oh! the gladness Of that Resurrection day! Which shall not through endless ages Pass away!

mf On that happy Easter morning All the graves their dead restore, Father, mother, children, brethren, Meet once more.

p To that brightest of all meetings Bring us, Jesu Christ, at last; cr To Thy Cross, through death and judgment,

Holding fast. Amen.

















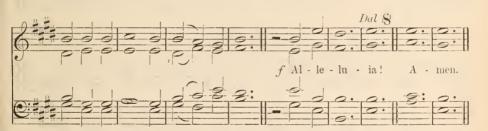


VICTORY.

8.8.8., with Alleluias. From Palestrina, 1515 ?-1594.







f Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

THE strife is o'er, the battle done:

The victory of Life is won:

The song of triumph has begun,— Alleluia!

The three sad days have quickly sped; He rises glorious from the dead;

All glory to our risen Head!

Alleluia!

The powers of death have done their p Lord, by the stripes which wounded worst.

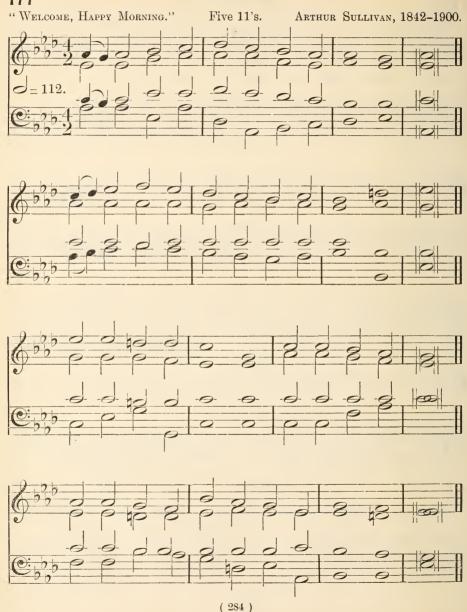
But Christ their legions hath dispersed;

Let shout of holy joy outburst,—

Thee.

From Death's dread sting Thy servants free.

f That we may live and sing to Thee Alleluia! Alleluia! Amen.



Easter.



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- f "WELCOME, happy morning!" age to age shall say;
 Hell to-day is vanquished; heaven is won to-day!
 Lo! the Dead is living, God for evermore!
 Him, their true Creator, all His works adore!
 "Welcome, happy morning!" age to age shall say.
- mf Earth with joy confesses, clothing her for Spring, All good gifts returned with her returning King:
 Bloom in every meadow, leaves on every bough,
 Speak His sorrows ended, hail His triumph now.
 f Hell to-day is vanquished; heaven is won to-day!
- mf Months in due succession, days of lengthening light,
 Hours and passing moments praise Thee in their flight;
 Brightness of the morning, sky and fields and sea,
 Vanquisher of darkness, bring their praise to Thee.

 f "Welcome, happy morning!" age to age shall say.
- mf Maker and Redeemer, Life and Health of all,
 Thou from heaven beholding human nature's fall,
 Of the Father's Godhead true and Only Son,
 Manhood to deliver, manhood didst put on.
 - f Hell to-day is vanquished; heaven is won to-day!
- p Thou, of Life the Author, death didst undergo, Tread the path of darkness, saving strength to show;
- mf Come, then, True and Faithful, now fulfil Thy word; 'Tis Thine own third Morning! Rise, O buried Lord!
 - f" Welcome, happy morning!" age to age shall say.
- mf Loose the souls long prisoned, bound with Satan's chain;
 All that now is fallen raise to life again;
 Show Thy face in brightness, bid the nations see;
 Bring again our daylight: day returns with Thee!
 f Hell to-day is vanquished! heaven is won to-day! Amen.





f YE choirs of new Jerusalem, Your sweetest notes employ, The Paschal victory to hymn In strains of holy joy; f Triumphant in His glory now,
His sceptre ruleth all;
Earth, heaven, and hell before Him bow,
And at His footstool fall.

How Judah's Lion burst His chains, And crushed the serpent's head, And brought with Him from death's The long imprisoned dead. [domains

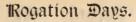
p While joyful thus His praise we sing,
 His mercy we implore,
 Into His palace bright to bring
 And keep us evermore.

From hell's devouring jaws the prey Alone our Leader bore;
His ransomed hosts pursue their way,
Where He hath gone before.

Through times unknown to earthly O Father, praise to Thee, [thought, To Him Who our deliverance wrought, And to the Spirit be. Amen.

Also the following:

All hail the power of Jesus' Name—356 Awake, and sing the song—366 Come, ye faithful, raise the anthem—386 Light's abode, celestial Salem—459 The King of love my Shepherd is—556



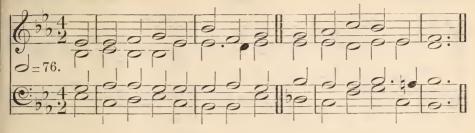


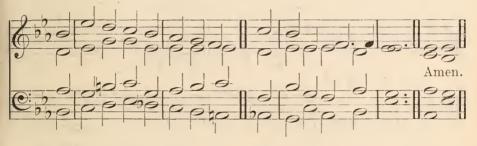
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St. Hugh.

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E. J. HOPKINS, 1818-1901.





ORD, in Thy Name Thy servants plead.

And Thou hast sworn to hear: Thine is the harvest, Thine the seed, The fresh and fading year.

Our hope, when Autumn winds blew wild,

We trusted, Lord, with Thee: And still, now Spring has on us smiled, We wait on Thy decree.

The former and the latter rain. The summer sun and air. The green ear, and the golden grain, All Thine, are ours by prayer.

Thine too by right, and ours by grace, The wondrous growth unseen,

The hopes that soothe, the fears that brace.

The love that shines serene.

So grant the precious things brought forth

By sun and moon below,

That Thee in Thy new heaven and earth We never may forego.

f To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, The God Whom we adore, Be glory, as it was, is now, And shall be evermore. Amen.



Rogation Days.

f O THRONED, O Crowned with all renown,

Since Thou the earth hast trod,
Thou reignest, and by Thee come
down

Henceforth the gifts of God.

By Thee the suns of space, that burn Unspent, their watches hold;

The hosts that turn, and still return, Are swayed, and poised, and rolled. Thus in their change let frost and heat

And winds and dews be given;

All fostering power, all influence sweet,

Breathe from the bounteous heaven.

Attemper fair with gentle air
The sunshine and the rain.

That kindly earth, with timely birth, May yield her fruits again;

f The powers of earth, for all her ills, An endless treasure yield;

The precious things of ancient hills,
Forest, and fruitful field. [wealth,
Thing is the health and Thing the

Thine is the health, and Thine the That in our halls abound;

And Thine the beauty and the joy With which the years are crowned.

That we may feed Thy poor aright,
And, gathering round Thy throne,

Here, in the holy Angels' sight, Repay Thee of Thine own.

For so our sires in olden time Spared neither gold nor gear,

Nor precious wood, nor hewen stone, Thy sacred shrines to rear.

mf And as, when ebbed the Flood, our sires Kneeled on the mountain sod;

cr While o'er the new-world's altar-fires Shone out the Bow of God;

p And sweetly fell the peaceful spell,

Word that shall aye avail;

mf "Summer and winter shall not cease, Seed-time nor harvest fail;" For there, to give the second birth In mysteries and signs,

The face of Christ o'er all the earth On kneeling myriads shines.

And if so fair beyond compare Thy earthly houses be,

In how great grace shall we Thy face In Thine own palace see! Amen.





- f OD is gone up with a merry noise
 Of Saints that sing on high,
 With His own right hand and His holy arm
 He hath won the victory!
- f Now empty are the courts of death,
 And crushed thy sting, despair;
 And roses bloom in the desert tomb,
 For Jesus hath been there!
- f And He hath tamed the strength of hell,
 And dragged him through the sky,
 And captive behind His chariot wheel
 He hath bound captivity!
- f God is gone up with a merry noiseOf Saints that sing on high;With His own right hand and His holy armHe hath won the victory!















f HAIL the day that sees Him rise
Glorious to His native skies!
Christ awhile to mortals given
Re-ascends His native heaven.

There the glorious triumph waits; Lift your heads, eternal gates; Wide unfold the radiant scene; Take the King of Glory in!

mf Him though highest heaven receives,
Still He loves the earth He leaves;
Though returning to His throne,
Still He calls mankind His own.

See He lifts His hands above! See He shows the prints of love; Hark! the gracious lips bestow Blessings on His Church below.

Still for us He intercedes; His prevailing Death He pleads; Near Himself prepares our place, Harbinger of human race.

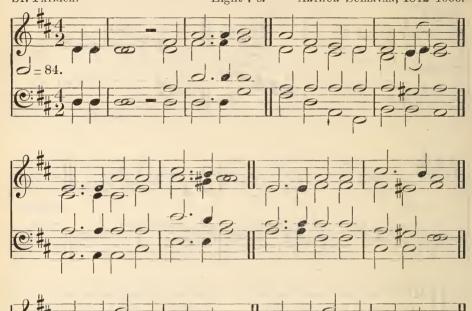
p Lord, though parted from our sight High above you azure height, Grant our hearts may thither rise, Following Thee beyond the skies.

mf There we shall with Thee remain,
Partners of Thy endless reign;
There Thy face unclouded see,
Find our heaven of heavens in Thee. Amen.

St. Patrick.

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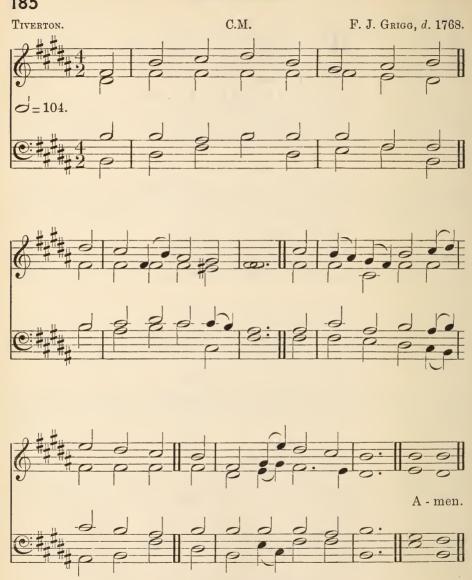
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In Heaven, where eye of men Follows not, nor Angel's ken;
Through the veils of time and space,
Passed into the Holiest place;
All the toil, the sorrow done,
All the battle fought and won.

He is gone—Towards their goal
World and Church must onward roll:
Far behind we leave the past;
Forward are our glances cast:
Still His words before us range
Through the ages, as they change:
Wheresoe'er the truth shall lead,
He will give whate'er we need.

He is gone—But we once more Shall behold Him as before; In the heaven of heavens the same, As on earth He went and came. In the many mansions there Place for us He will prepare: In that world unseen, unknown, He and we may yet be one.

He is gone—But not in vain,
Wait until He comes again:
He is risen, He is not here,
Far above this earthly sphere;
Evermore in heart and mind
There our peace in Him we find:
To our own eternal Friend,
Thitherward let us ascend. Amen.



f L IFT up your heads, eternal gates!
Unfold to entertain
The King of Glory; see, He comes
With His celestial train!

mf Who is the King of Glory? Who?f The Lord for strength renowned;In battle mighty, o'er His foesEternal Victor crowned.

ff Lift up your heads, ye gates! unfold
In state to entertain
The King of Glory; see, He comes
With all His shining train!

mf Who is the King of Glory? Who?f The Lord of Hosts renowned;Of glory, He alone is King,Who is with glory crowned.

f To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Immortal glory be,Who was, and is, and shall be still To all eternity. Amen.



of O SAVIOUR, Who for man hast trod
The winepress of the wrath of God,
Ascend, and claim again on high
Thy glory left for us to die.

A radiant cloud is now Thy seat, And earth lies stretched beneath Thy feet; While myriads in their bright array Attend Thee homeward on Thy way.

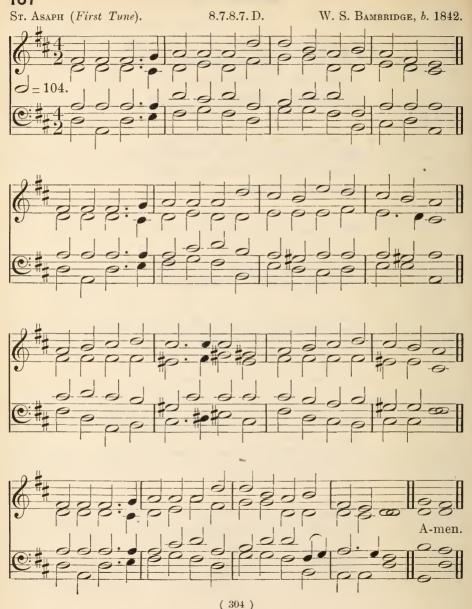
The gates of heaven obey the call, And open to the Lord of all; His throne receives the Eternal Son, Both God and Man for ever one:

Our great High Priest and Shepherd, Thou Within the veil art entered now,
To offer there Thy precious Blood
Once poured on earth a cleansing flood.

And thence the Church, Thy chosen Bride, With countless gifts of grace supplied, Through all her members draws from Theo Her hidden life of sanctity.

O Christ our Lord, of Thy dear care Thy lowly members heaven-ward bear; Be ours with Thee to suffer pain, With Thee for evermore to reign. Amen.



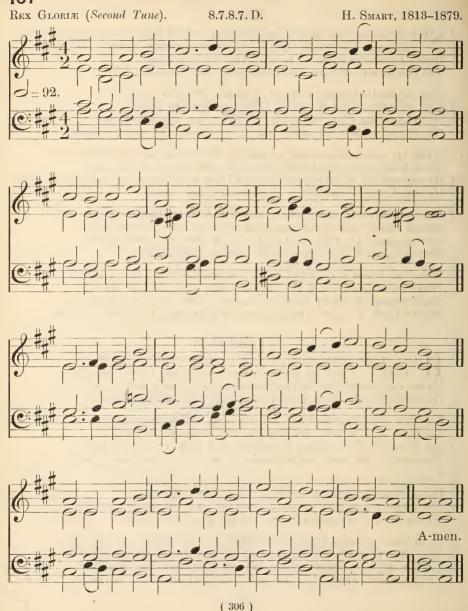


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- mf While He raised His hands in blessing, He was parted from His friends; While their eager eyes behold Him, He upon the clouds ascends.
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- mf Now our heavenly Aaron enters with His Blood within the veil; Joshua now is come to Canaan, and the kings before Him quail; Now he plants the tribes of Israel in their promised resting-place: Now our great Elijah offers double portion of His grace.
 - f Thou hast raised our human nature on the clouds to God's right hand;
 There we sit in heavenly places, there with Thee in glory stand:
 Jesus reigns, adored by Angels; Man with God is on the throne;
 Mighty Lord, in Thine Ascension we by faith behold our own. Amen.

PART II.

- mf HOLY Ghost, Illuminator, shed Thy beams upon our eyes, Help us to look up with Stephen, and to see, beyond the skies, Where the Son of Man in glory standing is at God's right hand, Beckoning on His Martyr army, succouring His faithful band;
 - See Him, Who is gone before us, heavenly mansions to prepare, See Him, Who is ever pleading for us with prevailing prayer,
 - f See Him, Who with sound of trumpet and with His Angelic train, Summoning the world to judgment, on the clouds will come again.
- p Lift us up from earth to heaven, give us wings of faith and love, Gales of holy aspirations wafting us to realms above;
- cr That, with hearts and minds uplifted, we with Christ our Lord may dwell,
- f Where He sits enthroned in glory in His heavenly citadel.
- f So at last, when He appeareth, we from out our graves may spring, With our youth renewed like eagles, flocking round our heavenly King,
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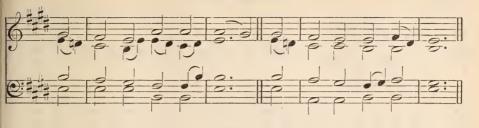
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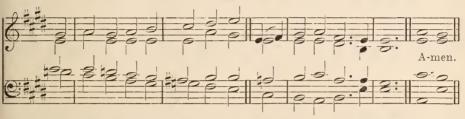
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THOU art gone up on high To mansions in the skies; And round Thy throne unceasingly The songs of praise arise. But we are lingering here, With sin and care oppressed;

Lord, send Thy promised Comforter, cr But only let that path of tears

And lead us to our rest.

Thou art gone up on high; But Thou didst first come down, Through earth's most bitter misery To pass unto Thy crown; And girt with griefs and fears Our onward course must be; Lead us at last to Thee!

Thou art gone up on high; But Thou shalt come again, With all the bright ones of the sky Attendant in Thy train.

Oh! by Thy saving power, So make us live and die.

cr That we may stand in that dread hour

At Thy right hand on high. Amen.

Also the following:

All hail the power of Jesus' Name !-356 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!—360 Christ, above all glory seated—374 Come, ye faithful, raise the anthem-386 Crown Him with many crowns-389 and 390 Hail, Thou once despised Jesus-423

Jesu, our Hope, our heart's Desire-443 O Christ, Who hast prepared a place-480 Rejoice, the Lord is King!-537 The head that once was crowned with thorns-Where high the heavenly temple stands-601

Whitsuntide. 189 VENI CREATOR SPIRITUS (First Form). Mode VIII. Ancient Plain Song. To be sung in Unison. Verse 9.

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VENI CREATOR SPIRITUS (Second Form).
To be sung in Unison.

Mode VIII. Sarum.



COME, Holy Ghost! our souls inspire And lighten with celestial fire.
Thou the anointing Spirit art,
Who dost Thy sevenfold gifts impart.
Thy blessèd unction from above Is comfort, life, and fire of love.
Enable, with perpetual light,
The dulness of our blinded sight.

Anoint and cheer our soiled face With the abundance of Thy grace. Keep far our foes, give peace at home, Where Thou art Guide, no ill can come. Teach us to know the Father, Son, And Thee, of Both, to be but One. That, through the ages all along, This may be our endless song:

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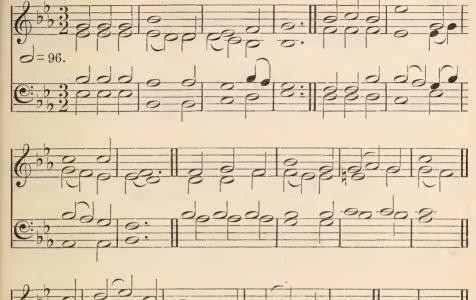
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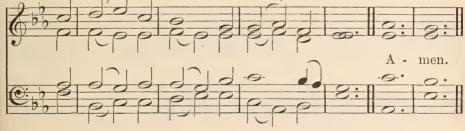
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H. S. IRONS, b. 1834.





mf COME, gracious Spirit, heavenly Dove,

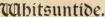
With light and comfort from above; Be Thou our Guardian, Thou our Guide, O'er every thought and step preside.

The light of truth to us display,
And make us know and choose Thy
way:

Plant holy fear in every heart, That we from God may ne'er depart. Lead us to Christ, the living Way, Nor let us from His pastures stray; Lead us to holiness, the road That we must take to dwell with God.

Lead us to God, our final rest,
To be with Him for ever blest;
Lead us to heaven, that we may
share

Fulness of joy for ever there. Amen.



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mf CREATOR Spirit, by Whose aid

The world's foundations first were laid,

Come, visit every pious mind;

Come, pour Thy joys on human-kind;

From sin and sorrow set us free,

And make Thy temples worthy Thee.

O Source of uncreated light,
The Father's promised Paraclete,
Thrice holy Fount, thrice holy Fire,
Our hearts with heavenly love inspire;
Come, and Thy sacred unction bring
To sanctify us while we sing.

Plenteous of grace, descend from high Rich in Thy sevenfold energy; Make us eternal truths receive, And practise all that we believe; Give us Thyself, that we may see The Father and the Son by Thee.

f Immortal honour, endless fame,
Attend the Almighty Father's Name;
The Saviour Son be glorified,
Who for lost man's redemption died;
And equal adoration be,
Eternal Paraclete to Thee. Amen.

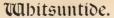






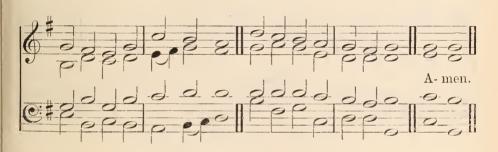












or Joy! because the circling year
Brings our day of blessings here;
Day when first the Light divine
On the Church began to shine!

Hardened scoffers vainly jeered; Listening strangers heard and feared; Knew the Prophet's word fulfilled; Owned the work which God had willed.

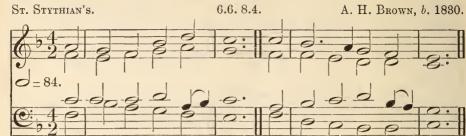
Like to quivering tongues of flame Unto each the Spirit came; Tongues, that earth might hear their call; Still Thy Spirit's fulness, Lord, On Thy waiting Church be poured! Once Thou on Thy Saints didst shower

Fire, that love might burn in all.

Mighty signs and words of power;

So the wondrous works of God Wondrously were spread abroad; Every tribe's familiar tone Made the glorious marvel known. Humbler things we ask Thee now, Gifts from heaven to men below; Grant our burdened hearts release, Grant Thine own abiding peace.

Amen.

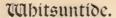




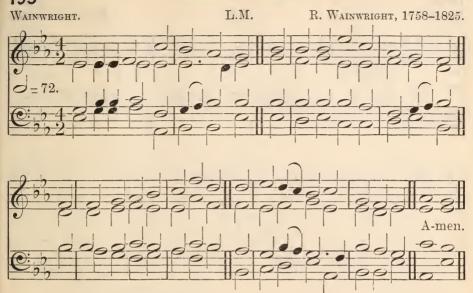
p KING, enthroned on high,
Thou Comforter Divine,
Blest Spirit of all Truth, be nigh
And make us Thine.

Thou art the Source of life,
Thou art our Treasure-store;
Give us Thy peace, and end our strife
For evermore.

Descend, O heavenly Dove,
Abide with us alway;
And in the fulness of Thy love
Cleanse us, we pray. Amen.







mf SPIRIT of God, that moved of old Upon the waters' darkened face, Come, when our faithless hearts are cold, And stir them with an inward grace.

Thou that art Power and Peace combined, All highest Strength, all purest Love, The rushing of the mighty Wind, The brooding of the gentle Dove;—

Come, give us still Thy powerful aid, And urge us on, and keep us Thine; Nor leave the hearts that once were made Fit temples for Thy grace divine:—

Nor let us quench Thy Sevenfold Light:
But still with softest breathings stir
Our wayward souls—and lead us right,
O Holy Ghost the Comforter! Amen.



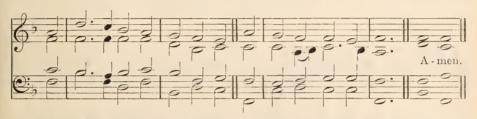
P SPIRIT of mercy, truth, and love, Oh! shed Thine influence from above;

And still from age to age convey The wonders of this sacred day. mf In every clime, in every tongue,
Be God's eternal praises sung:
Through all the listening earth be
taught
The acts our great Redeemer wrought.

Unfailing Comfort! Heavenly Guide!
 Over Thy favoured Church preside;
 Still may mankind Thy blessings prove;
 Spirit of mercy, truth, and love. Amen.







THEN God of old came down from f And as on Israel's awe-struck ear heaven, In power and wrath He came;

Before His feet the clouds were riven. Half darkness and half flame:

The voice exceeding loud,

The trump, that Angels quake to hear.

Thrilled from the deep, dark cloud;

p But when He came the second time, mf So, when the Spirit of our God He came in power and love; Softer than gale at morning prime Hovered His Holy Dove.

Came down His flock to find, A voice from heaven was heard abroad, A rushing, mighty wind.

f The fires that rushed on Sinai down, f It fills the Church of God; it fills In sudden torrents dread,

mf Now gently light, a glorious crown, On every sainted head.

The sinful world around;

p Only in stubborn hearts and wilis No place for it is found.

mf Come, Lord, come Wisdom, Love, and Power, Open our ears to hear; Let us not miss the accepted hour; Save, Lord, by love or fear. Amen.

Also the following:

Come, Holy Ghost, Who ever One-51 Come to our poor nature's night-384 Gracious Spirit, Life Divine-418 Gracious Spirit, Love Divine-419

Holy Spirit, Lord of Light !- 427 O Love so strong, O Power so sweet-503 Our blest Redeemer, ere He breathed-527



Trinity Sunday.

- p HOLY, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

 mf Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;

 p Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and Mighty!

 mf God in Three Persons, blessèd Trinity!
- p Holy, Holy! All the Saints adore Thee,
 mf Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
 Cherubim and Seraphim falling down before Thee,
 Which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.
- p Holy, Holy! Though the darkness hide Thee,
 Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see,
 mf Only Thou art holy, there is none beside Thee
 Perfect in power, in love, and purity.
- p Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!
 f All Thy works shall praise Thy Name in earth and sky and sea.
 p Holy, Holy! Merciful and Mighty!
 f God in Three Persons, blessèd Trinity! Amen.



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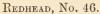
Trinity Sunday.

Mf A LL hail, Adorèd Trinity;
All hail, Eternal Unity;
O God the Father, God the Son,
And God the Spirit, ever One.

Behold to Thee, this festal day, We utter forth a thankful lay, For all Thy gifts of priceless worth, The saving health of all the earth.

f Three Persons praise we evermore,
One only God our hearts adore;
mf In Thy sure mercy ever kind
May we our true protection find.

p O Trinity! O Unity!
Be present as we worship Thee;
cr And with the songs that Angels sing
Unite the hymns of praise we bring. Amen.



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R. REDHEAD, 1820-1901.





DRIGHT the vision that delighted f Heaven is still with glory ringing, Once the sight of Judah's seer; Sweet the countless tongues united p "Holy, Holy, Holy,"-singing, [High." To entrance the prophet's ear.

f "Lord of Hosts, The Lord Most With His Seraph train before Him, With His holy Church below, Thus unite we to adore Him,

Earth takes up the Angels' cry,

Round the Lord in glory seated Cherubim and Seraphim Filled His temple, and repeated Each to each the alternate hymn:

> f "Lord, Thy glory fills the heaven; Earth is with its fulness stored; Unto Thee be glory given, Holy, Holy, Holy Lord."

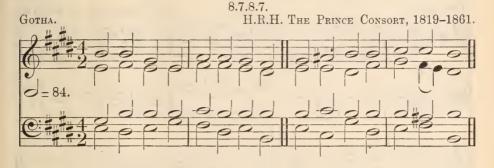
Bid we thus our anthem flow:

f "Lord, Thy glory fills the heaven; Earth is with its fulness stored: Unto Thee be glory given, Holy, Holy, Holy Lord."

Also the following:

Father of heaven, Whose love profound—395 O King of kings, before Whose throne—496 The strain upraise of joy and praise—560 Thou, Whose Almighty word-574 Three in One, and One in Three-575

St. Andrew the Apostle.





May also be sung to "Stuttgart," No. 110.

mf JESUS calls us; o'er the tumult
Of our life's wild restless sea
Day by day His sweet voice soundeth,
Saying, "Christian, follow Me;"

Jesus calls us from the worship
Of the vain world's golden store,
From each idol that would keep us,
Saying, "Christian, love Me more."

As of old Saint Andrew heard it
By the Galilean lake, [dred,
Turned from home, and toil, and kinLeaving all for His dear sake.

In our joys and in our sorrows,
Days of toil and hours of ease,
Still He calls, in cares and pleasures,
"Christian, love Me more than these."

p Jesus calls us; by Thy mercies, cr Saviour, make us hear Thy call, Give our hearts to Thy obedience, Serve and love Thee best of all. Amen.

St. Thomas the Apostle.



mf WE have not seen, we cannot see,
The happy land above,
From sin and death and suffering free,
Where all is peace and love;

We only see the path so long By which we have to go; We only feel the foe so strong Who seeks to work us woe.

We have not seen, we cannot see
The Cross our Master bore,
With all its pains, that man might be
The devil's slave no more.

We only think it hard to part
With every pleasant sin,
And give to God a perfect heart,
And make Him Lord within.

We walk by faith, and not by sight;
And, blessèd Saint, like thee,
We sometimes doubt if faith tells right,
Because we cannot see.

Upon the promise we would lean
Thy doubting heart received;
Blessèd are they that have not seen,
And that have yet believed. Amen.

L.M.

Breslau.

Harmonized by Mendelssohn, 1809-1847.





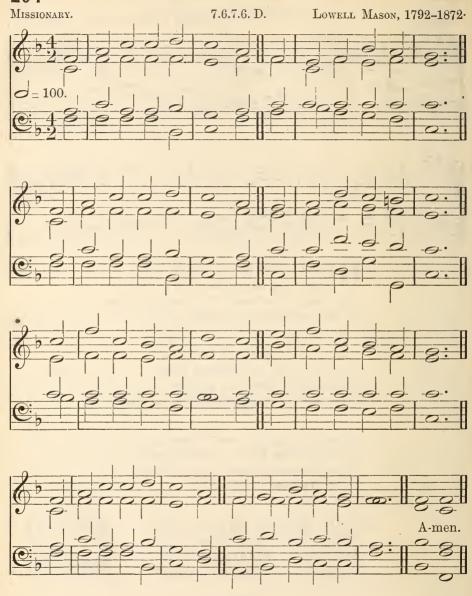
O CHRIST, the true and only Light,
Direct the souls that walk in night,
And bring them 'neath Thy sheltering care
To find their blest redemption there.

O Lord, give sight unto the blind, And join us all in heart and mind; Oh gather the dispersed to Thee; The wavering, Lord, from doubt set free.

Those who in error wander wide, Let Thy bright beams of mercy guide; Whom sin hath bruised and wounded, heal: To all the hope of glory seal.

f So they who sing Thy praise above, With us shall join in bonds of love; And Thee for all Thy grace adore On earth,—in heaven,—for evermore.





Conversion of St. Paul.

f WE sing the glorious conquest
Before Damascus' gate,
When Saul, the Church's spoiler,
Came breathing threats of hate:
The ravening wolf rushed forward
Full early to the prey;
But lo! the Shepherd met him,
And bound him fast to-day!

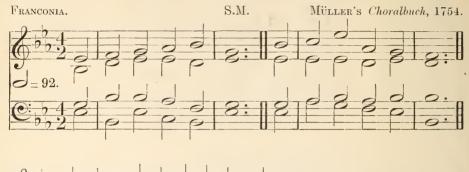
mf O Glory most excelling
That smote across His path!
O Light that pierced and blinded
The zealot in his wrath!
O Voice that spake within him
The calm reproving word!
O Love that sought and held him

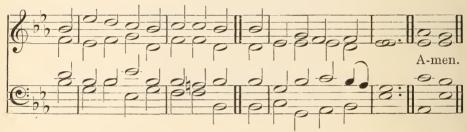
O Love that sought and held him The bondman of his Lord!

O Wisdom, ordering all things
In order strong and sweet,
What nobler spoil was ever
Cast at the Victor's feet?
What wiser master-builder
E'er wrought at Thine employ,
Than he, till now so furious
Thy building to destroy.

p Lord teach Thy Church the lesson,
Still in her darkest hour
Of weakness and of danger
To trust Thy hidden power.
cr Thy grace by ways mysterious
The wrath of man can bind,
And in Thy boldest foeman
Thy chosen Saint can find! Amen.

The Purification of St. Mary the Virgin.





BLEST are the pure in heart,
For they shall see our God;
The secret of the Lord is theirs;
Their soul is Christ's abode.

The Lord, Who left the heavens Our life and peace to bring, To dwell in lowliness with men, Their pattern and their King:

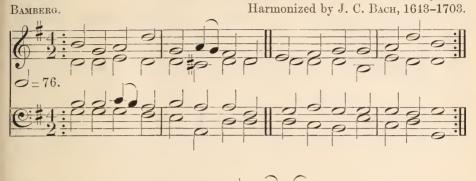
Still to the lowly soul
 He doth Himself impart;
 And for His dwelling and His throne
 Chooseth the pure in heart.

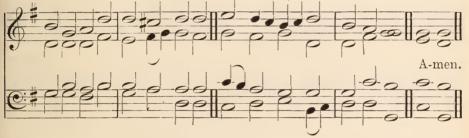
mf Lord, we Thy presence seek;
May ours this blessing be;
Give us a pure and lowly heart,
A temple meet for Thee. Amen.

The Purification of St. Mary the Virgin.

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mf IN His temple now behold Him, See the long-expected Lord! Ancient prophets had foretold Him: God hath now fulfilled His word.

- f Now to praise Him His redeemèd Shall break forth with one accord.
- p In the arms of her who bore Him, Virgin pure, behold Him lie, While His agèd Saints adore Him, Ere in perfect faith they die:
- f Alleluia! Alleluia! Lo, the Incarnate God Most High!

p Jesus, by Thy presentation, Thou, Who didst for us endure.

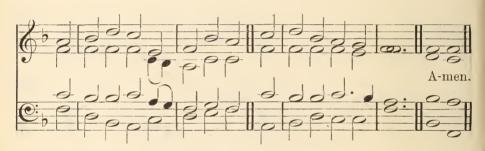
Old German Melody.

- cr Make us see Thy great salvation, Seal us with Thy promise sure;
- f And present us in Thy glory To Thy Father cleansed and pure.
- f Prince and Author of salvation, Be Thy boundless love our theme! Jesu, praise to Thee be given By the world Thou didst redeem, With the Father and the Spirit, Lord of majesty supreme! Amen.

St. Matthias's Day.

ST. ETHELDREDA.

C.M. Bishop Turton, 1780-1864.



mf THE highest and the holiest place Guards not the heart from sin: The Church that safest seems without May harbour foes within.

Thus in the small and chosen band Beloved above the rest, One fell from his apostleship, A traitor-soul unblest.

But not the great designs of God Man's sins shall overthrow: Another witness to the truth Forth to the lands shall go.

The soul that sinneth, it shall die; Thy purpose shall not fail; The word of grace no less shall sound, The truth no less prevail.

Righteous, O Lord, are all Thy ways; Long as the worlds endure. From foes without and foes within Thy Church shall stand secure. Amen.

208 The Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary.



PRAISE ye the Lord,
Ye nations, rejoice,
Pour forth adoration
On this blessèd morn;
An Angel to Mary
Hath raisèd his voice,
Declaring salvation,
For Christ shall be born.

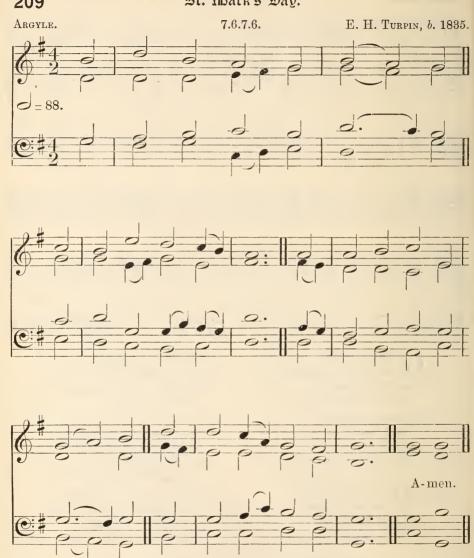
mf The Lord hath fulfillèd His wonderful sign— The sign He declarèd Of old should be done; A Virgin conceiving
By power Divine
Shall bear, as the Saviour
Of Israel, a Son.

f Then raise the glad voice,
Ye nations and lands;
Pour forth adoration,
Ye kindreds of earth;
Let the mountains rejoice,
The floods clap their hands,
And God's great Creation
Sing praise at His birth. Amen.

Saints' Days.

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St. Mark's Day.



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f WE praise Thy grace, O Saviour,
That beareth with us long,
And ever out of weakness
Thy servants maketh strong.

p The Saint, who left his comrades,
And turned back from the fight,
f Behold at last victorious
In Thy prevailing might!

mf From Thee, Lord, came the courage Once more to front the host: Thy strength, most mighty Saviour, In weakness shineth most.

Thy love Thy Saint hath numbered Among the Blessèd Four, And all the world rejoiceth To learn his Gospel-lore.

p O Lord, our human weaknessWith pitying eye behold;cr Uplift the fainting spirit,And make the coward bold.

f O Jesu, glorious Victor
O'er all the hosts of sin,
In us Thy strength make perfect,
In us the victory win. Amen.

St. Philip and St. James's Day.



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p cr TEMPTED oft to go astray,
Jesu Christ, be Thou my Way;
Mocked with shadowy dreams of
youth,

cr Jesu Christ, be Thou my truth;

p Wearied out with manhood's strife,

cr Jesu Christ, be Thou my life;

f Such to Thy Saints wast Thou of yore, Unchangeable Thou art, and shalt be evermore. That beyond the journey lies;
Thou the Truth art, Thou the Guide,
Gone before, yet by our side;
Everlasting life below
It is truly Thee to know;
Such to Thy Saints wast Thou of yore,

Unchangeable Thou art, and shalt be

evermore.

Thou the Way art, Thou the Prize

- mf Would we follow, true and bold,Steps of holy men of old;
 - cr Freely leave the world, to prove Our, like their, undying love;
- p And as freely life lay down,
- cr To receive a martyr's crown?
- mf O Saviour of the Saints of yore,

 Be Thou to us, what Thou to them wast, evermore.

Also the following:

Thou art the Way;—to Thee alone—571

Saints' Days.



St. Barnabas the Apostle.

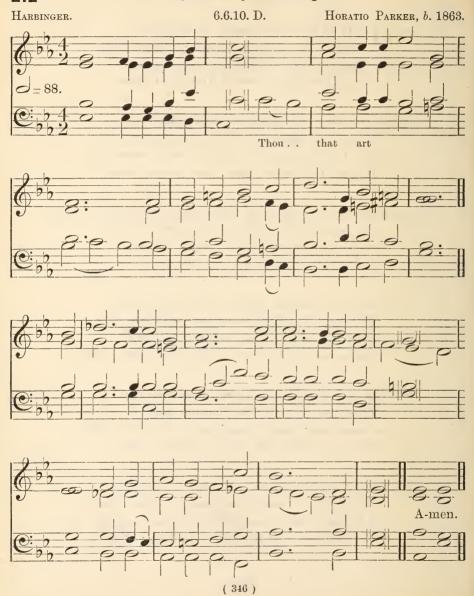
- mf O SON of God, our Captain of Salvation,
 Thyself by suffering schooled to human grief,
 cr We bless Thee for Thy sons of consolation,
 Who follow in the steps of Thee their Chief:—
- mf Those whom Thy Spirit's dread vocation severs

 To lead the vanguard of Thy conquering host;

 Whose toilsome years are spent in brave endeavours

 To bear Thy saving Name from coast to coast:—
- cr Those whose bright faith makes feeble hearts grow stronger,
 And sends fresh warriors to the great campaign,
 Bids the lone convert feel estranged no longer,
 And wins the sundered to be one again:—
- p And all true helpers, patient, kind, and skilful, Who shed Thy light across our darkened earth, Counsel the doubting, and restrain the wilful, Soothe the sick-bed, and share the children's mirth.
- mf Such was Thy Levite, strong in self-oblation
 To cast his all at Thine Apostles' feet;
 He whose new name, through every Christian nation,
 cr From age to age our thankful strains repeat.
- mf Thus, Lord, Thy Barnabas in memory keeping,
 Still be Thy Church's watchword, "Comfort ye;"
 f Till in our Father's house shall end our weeping,
 And all our wants be satisfied in Thee. Amen.

St. John Baptist's Day.



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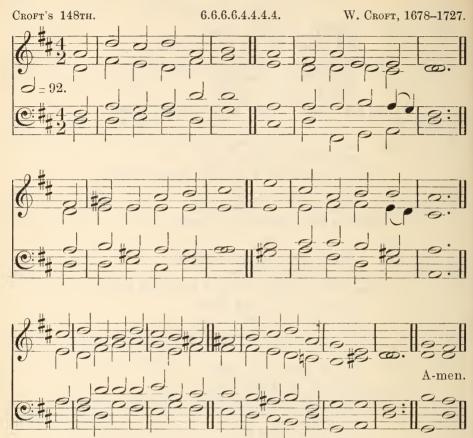
f HAIL, harbinger of Morn:
Thou that art this day born,
And heraldest the Word with clarion voice!
Ye faithful ones, in him
Behold the dawning dim
Of the bright Day, and let your hearts rejoice.

mf John;—by that chosen name
To call him, Gabriel came
By God's appointment from his home on high:
What deeds that babe should do
To manhood when he grew,
God sent His Angel forth to testify.

f There is none greater, none,
Than Zachariah's son;
Than this no mightier prophet hath been born
Of woman. He may claim
More than a prophet's fame;
Sublimer deeds than theirs his brow adorn.

mf "Lo, to prepare Thy way,"
Did God the Father say,
"Before Thy face My messenger I send,
Thy coming to forerun;
As on the orient sun
Doth the bright daystar morn by morn attend."

f Praise therefore God Most High;
Praise Him Who came to die
For us, His Son that liveth evermore;
And to the Spirit raise,
The Comforter, like praise,
While time endureth, and when time is o'er. Amen.



f LO! from the desert home,
Where he hath hid so long,
The new Elias comes,
In sternest wisdom strong;
The voice that cries
Of Christ from high,
And judgment nigh
From opening skies.

St. John Baptist's Day.

f Your God e'en now doth stand
Within heaven's opening door,
His fan is in His hand,
And He will purge His floor;
The wheat He claims
And with Him stows,
The chaff He throws
To deathless flames.

mf Ye haughty mountains, bow
Your sky-aspiring heads;
Ye valleys, hiding low,
Lift up your gentle meads
f Make His way plain
Your King before,
For evermore
He comes to reign.

mf Let thy dread voice around,
Thou harbinger of Light,
On our dull ears still sound,
dim Lest here we sleep in night,
Till judgment come,
p And on our path
Shall burst the wrath,
And deathless doom.

p O God, with love's sweet might,
Who dost anoint and arm
cr Christ's soldier for the fight
With spells that shield from harm,
f Thrice Blessèd Three,
Heaven's endless days
Shall sing Thy praise
Eternally. Amen.

Also the following:
On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry—81
O Saviour! is Thy promise fled?—506

St. Peter's Day.



mf CREATOR of the rolling flood!
On Whom Thy people hope alone;
Who cam'st by water and by blood,
For man's offences to atone:—

Who from the labours of the deep
Didst set Thy servant Peter free,
To feed on earth Thy chosen sheep,
And build an endless Church to Thee:—

p Grant us, devoid of worldly care,
 And leaning on Thy bounteous hand,
 To seek Thy help in humble prayer,
 And on Thy sacred rock to stand:—

And when, our life-long toil to crown,
Thy call shall set the spirit free,
cr To cast with joy our burthen down,
f And rise, O Lord, and follow Thee!





O bright triumphant faith!
O courage void of fears!
O love most strong in death!
O penitential tears!

p By these, Lord, keep us lest we fall, And make us go where Thou shalt call. Amen.

Also the following: Lord! have mercy when we strive-463

St. James the Apostle.





mf FOR all Thy Saints, a noble throng,
Who fell by fire and sword,
Who soon were called, or waited
long,

We praise Thy Name, O Lord;

For him who left his father's side, Nor lingered by the shore,

When, softer than the weltering tide,

Thy summons glided o'er;

Who stood beside the maiden dead,
Who climbed the mount with Thee,
And saw the glory round Thy head,
One of Thy chosen three;

Who knelt beneath the olive shade,
Who drank Thy cup of pain,
And passed from Herod's flashing
blade

To see Thy face again.

Lord, give us grace, and give us love,
 Like him to leave behind
 Earth's cares and joys, and look
 above

With true and earnest mind.

mf So shall we learn to drink Thy Cup, So meek and firm be found,

cr When Thou shalt come to take us up Where Thine elect are crowned.

Amen.

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J. Mainzer, 1801-1851.





f WE praise Thy Name, O Lord Most High,

Redeemer of our souls from death, And all Thy mercies magnify,

In making known Thy saving faith.

mf Thou didst the humble fisher call,
Beside the shores of Galilee:

At Thy command he gave up all,
And left his nets to follow Thee.

O happy choice, for earthly toil

The strife to rescue souls from sin:
For treasures that may rust and spoil,

The crown of heavenly life to win.

O favoured one, who, ere he knew

The sharpness of the coming cross,

Of Thy bright beauty caught the

That turns to gain all earthly loss.

Thy promise is fulfilled, and he
Dares in Thy painful steps to go;

p To drink Thy cup of agony,

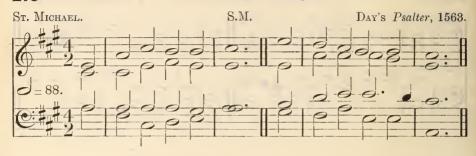
And drain the bitter dregs of woe.

mf Grant, Lord, that hope of seeing Thee
In bliss may us with courage nerve,
The world and all its pomp to flee,
Our cross to bear, and Thee to serve.

Amen.

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St. Bartholomew the Apostle.





OW beauteous are their feet, Who stand on Zion's hill, Who bring salvation on their tongues, p Prophets and kings desired it long, And words of peace reveal!

How charming is their voice, How sweet the tidings are! Zion, behold thy Saviour King;

He reigns and triumphs here.

mfHow happy are our ears That hear this joyful sound, Which kings and prophets waited for, And sought, but never found.

How blessèd are our eyes That see this heavenly light! But died without the sight.

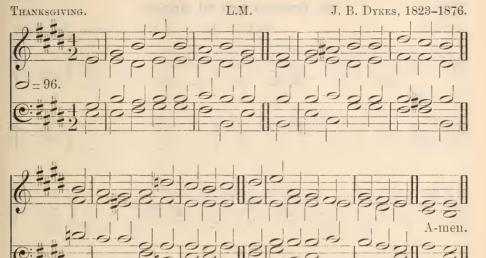
The watchmen join their voice, mfAnd tuneful notes employ;

cr Jerusalem breaks forth in songs, And deserts learn the joy.

The Lord makes bare His arm Through all the earth abroad:

Let every nation now behold Their Saviour and their God.

Amen.



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DEHOLD, the Master passeth by! Oh, seest thou not His pleading eve?

With low sad voice He calleth thee-"Leave this vain world, and follow Me."

That "Follow Me" his faithful ear Seemed every day afresh to hear: Its echoes stirred his spirit still, And fired his hope, and nerved his will.

O soul, bowed down with harrowing p God gently calls us every day: care.

Hast thou no thought for heaven to spare?

mf From earthly toils lift up thine eye; Behold, the Master passeth by!

One heard Him calling long ago, And straightway left all things below, Counting his earthly gain as loss For Jesus and His blessed Cross.

Why should we then our bliss delay?

He calls to heaven an endless light: Why should we love the dreary night?

f Praise, Lord, to Thee for Matthew's call, At which he rose and left his all:

p Thou, Lord, e'en now art calling me, f I will leave all, and follow Thee.

Amen.

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St. Michael and all Angels.

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St. Michael and all Ingels.

of GOD the Son Eternal, Thy dread might
Sent forth Saint Michael and the hosts of heaven,
And from the realms of light
Cast down in burning fight
Satan's rebellious hosts, to darkness given.

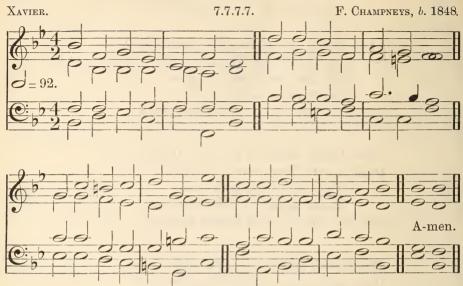
Thine Angels, Lord, we sing with thankful lays,
Dwelling with Thee above you depths of sky;
Who, 'mid' Thy glory's blaze,
Heaven's ceaseless anthems raise,
And gird Thy throne in faithful ministry.

We celebrate their love, whose viewless wing
Hath left for us so oft their mansion high,
The mercies of their King
To mortal Saints to bring,

p Or guard the couch of slumbering infancy.

mf But Thee, the First and Last, we glorify,
Who, when Thy world was sunk in death and sin,
Not with Thine hierarchy,
The armies of the sky,
But didst with Thine own arm the battle win.

f Therefore with Angels and Archangels we
To Thy dear love our thankful chorus raise,
And tune our songs to Thee,
Who art, and art to be;
And, endless as Thy mercies, sound Thy praise! Amen.



f PRAISE to God Who reigns above,
Binding earth and heaven in love;
All the armies of the sky
Worship His dread sovereignty.

mf Seraphim His praises sing, Cherubim on fourfold wing, Thrones, Dominions, Princes, Powers, Marshalled Might that never cowers.

Speeds the Archangel from His face, Bearing messages of grace; Angel hosts His words fulfil, Ruling nature by His Will. Yet on man they joy to wait, All that bright celestial state, For in Man their Lord they see, Christ, the Incarnate Deity.

On the throne their Lord Who died Sits in Manhood glorified; Where His people faint below Angels count it joy to go.

Oh, the depths of joy divine Thrilling through those Orders nine, When the lost are found again, When the banished come to reign!

f Now in faith, in hope, in love,
We will join the choirs above,
Praising, with the heavenly Host,
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.



mf STARS of the morning, so gloriously bright, Filled with celestial resplendence and light; These that, where night never followeth day, Raise the Tris-agion * ever and aye;

These are Thy counsellors: these dost Thou own, God of Sabaoth! the nearest Thy throne; These are Thy ministers; these dost Thou send, Help of the helpless ones! man to defend.

Then, when the earth was first poised in mid-space,— Then, when the planets first sped on their race,—

cr Then, when were ended the six days' employ,—
f Then all the Sons of God shouted for joy.

mf These keep the guard amidst Salem's dear bowers, Thrones, Principalities, Virtues, and Powers: Where with the Living Ones, mystical Four,

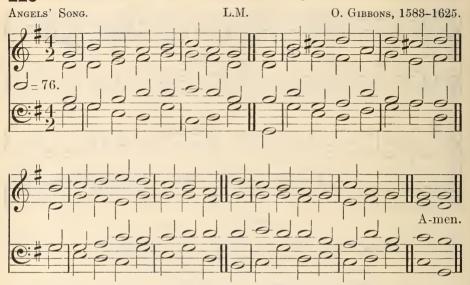
dim Cherubim, Seraphim, bow and adore.

mf Still let them succour us; still let them fight, Lord of Angelic Hosts, battling for right! Till, where their anthems they ceaselessly pour, dim We with the Angels may bow and adore!



^{*} A Greek versicle used in the Eastern and Gallican liturgies: "Holy God, holy mighty, holy immortal, have mercy upon us." Tris-agion means "thrice-holy."

St. Michael and all Angels.



mf THEY come, God's messengers of love, [above,

They come from heavenly realms From fields of never-fading green, From skies where clouds are never seen.

They come to watch around us here, To soothe our sorrow, calm our fear: Ye heavenly Guides, flee not away, God willeth you with us to stay.

p But chiefly at its journey's end,
'Tis yours the spirit to befriend;
And whisper to the faithful heart,
np "O Christian soul, in peace depart."

p Blest Jesu, Thou Whose groans and tears

Have sanctified frail nature's fears! When to the earth in sorrow weighed, Thou didst not scorn Thine Angels' aid:

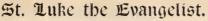
An Angel guard to us supply, When on the bed of death we lie; And in Thine own Almighty arms, O shield us in the last alarms.

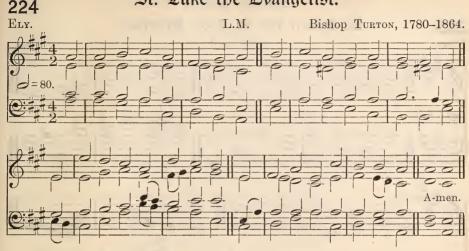
f To God the Father, God the Son, And God the Spirit, Three in One; From all above, and all below, Let joyful praise unceasing flow.

Amen.

Also the following:

Come, let us join our cheerful songs-378 Inspirer and Hearer of prayer-437





THAT thanks and praise to Thee mf What countless worshippers have we owe. sung,

O Priest and Sacrifice divine.

For Thy dear Saint through whom we know

So many a gracious word of Thine:

mf Whom Thou didst choose to tell the tale Of all Thy Manhood's toils and tears, And for a moment lift the veil That hides Thy Boyhood's spotless

p How many a soul with guilt oppressed mf O happy Saint! whose sacred page, cr Has learned to hear the joyful sound In that sweet tale of sin confessed, The Father's love, the lost and found!

p How many a child of sin and shame Has refuge found from guilty fears Through her, who to the Saviour came With costly ointments and with tears!

In lowly fane or lofty choir, The song that loosed the silent tongue

Of him who was the Baptist's sire!

f And still the Church through all her days,

Uplifts the strains that never cease. The Blessèd Virgin's hymn of praise, The aged Simeon's words of peace.

So rich in words of truth and love, Pours on the Church from age to

This healing unction from above;

The witness of the Saviour's life.

The great Apostle's chosen friend Through weary years of toil and strife.

And still found faithful to the end.

So grant us, Lord, like him to live, Beloved by man, approved by Thee, Till Thou at last the summons give, And we, with him, Thy face shall see. Amen.

Saints' Days.



mf THOU Who sentest Thine Apostles
Two and two before Thy face,
Partners in the night of toiling,
Heirs together of Thy grace,
cr Throned at length, their labours ended,
Each in his appointed place;

mf Praise to Thee for those Thy champions
Whom our hymns to-day proclaim;
One, whose zeal by Thee enlightened
Burned anew with nobler flame;
One, the kinsman of Thy Childhood,
Brought at last to know Thy Name.

St. Simon and St. Jude, Apostles.

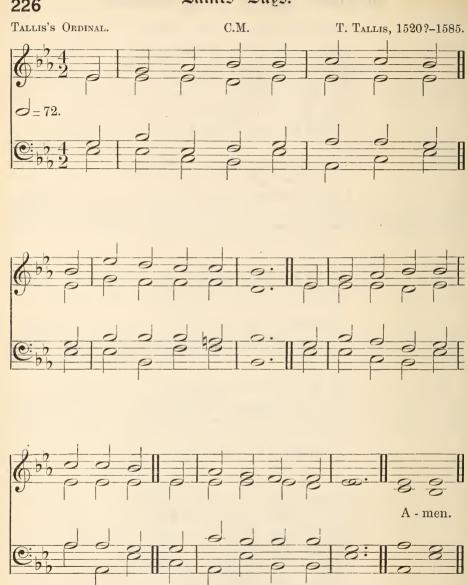
f Praise to Thee! Thy fire within then
Spake in love, and wrought in power;
Seen in mighty signs and wonders
In Thy Church's morning hour;
Heard in tones of sternest warning
When the storms began to lour.

p Once again those storms are breaking; Hearts are failing, love grows cold; Faith is darkened, sin abounding; Grievous wolves assail Thy fold: Save us, Lord, our One Salvation; Guard the Faith revealed of old.

mf Call the erring by Thy pity;
Warn the tempted by Thy fear;
Keep us true to Thine allegiance,
Counting life itself less dear,
Standing firmer, holding faster,
As we see the end draw near.

Till, with holy Jude and Simon
And the thousand faithful more,
We, the good confession witnessed
And the life-long conflict o'er,
On the sea of fire and crystal
Stand, and wonder, and adore.

f God the Father, great and wondrous
In Thy works, to Thee be praise;
King of Saints, to Thee be glory,
Just and true in all Thy ways;
Praise to Thee, from both proceeding,
Holy Ghost, through endless days. Amen.



St. Simon and St. Jude, Hpostles.

mf TO-DAY, O Lord, before our eyes

Two blest Apostles stand,

For ever in Thy holy Church

United hand in hand.

Jude bids us for the holy faith
With fervent zeal to fight,
And zeal shines brightly in thy name,
Simon the Canaanite.

P O Lord, send down into our hearts
 Thy Spirit from above;

 And give us ever fervent zeal
 Tempered with holy love.

mf Give zeal that for Thy glory burns,And still Thy law obeys;Which, while with Stephen it rebukes,With Stephen loves and prays.

So may we with Thy brethren, Lord, In heavenly glory be; For fellowship in holy love Is brotherhood to Thee.

O gracious Spirit, ever brood
On us with holy wing,
mf Give zeal and love, that we Thy praise,
In heaven may always sing. Amen.

QUISQUIS VALET NUMERARE (First Tune). Mode IV. transposed. Ancient Plain Song. To be sung in Unison. A · men. St. LAWRENCE (Second Tune). 8.7.8.7.8.7. C. Steggall, b. 1826.

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If there be that skills to reckon
All the number of the blest,
He, perchance, can weigh the gladness
Of the everlasting rest
Which, their earthly warfare finished,
They through sufferings have possest.

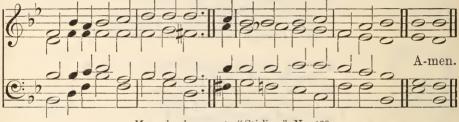
Through the vale of lamentation
Happily and safely past,
Now the years of their affliction
In their memory they recast,
And the fulness of perfection
They can contemplate at last.

There the Trinity of Persons
Unbeclouded shall we see;
There the Unity of Essence
Shall revealed in glory be;
While we hail the Threefold Godhead,
And the simple Unity.

Wherefore, man, take heart and courage
Whatsoe'er thy present pain;
Such untold reward through suffering
Thou mayest merit to attain;
And for ever in His glory
With the Light of Light to reign.

f Laud and honour to the Father;
Laud and honour to the Son;
Laud and honour to the Spirit;
Ever Three, and ever One:
Consubstantial, Co-eternal!
While unending ages run. Amen.





May also be sung to "Stirling," No. 460.

f L⁰! round the throne, a glorious f band,

The Saints in countless myriads stand,

Of every tongue redeemed to God, Arrayed in garments washed in Blood.

p Through tribulation great they came; f" Worthy the Lamb, for sinners slain,

They bore the cross, despised the shame;

From all their labours now they rest, In God's eternal glory blest. They see their Saviour face to face, And sing the triumphs of His grace; Him day and night they ceaseless praise,

To Him the loud thanksgiving raise:

"Worthy the Lamb, for sinners slain, Through endless years to live and reign;

Thou hast redeemed us by Thy Blood, And made us kings and priests to God."

p O may we tread the sacred road
That Saints and holy Martyrs trod;
Wage to the end the glorious strife,
f And win, like them, a crown of life. Amen.





mf The Saints of God! Their wanderings done,
No more their weary course they run,
No more they faint, no more they fall,
No foes oppress, no fears appal:—

p O happy Saints! for ever blest,

In that dear home how sweet your rest!

The Saints of God their vigil keep
While yet their mortal bodies sleep,
Till from the dust they too she

cr Till from the dust they too shall rise

f And soar triumphant to the skies:—
mf O happy Saints! rejoice and sing,

He quickly comes, your Lord and King!

o God of Saints! to Thee we cry;
o Saviour! plead for us on high;
o Holy Ghost! our Guide and Friend
Grant us Thy grace till life shall end:
p That with all Saints our rest may be
In that bright Paradise with Thee! Amen.

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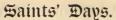




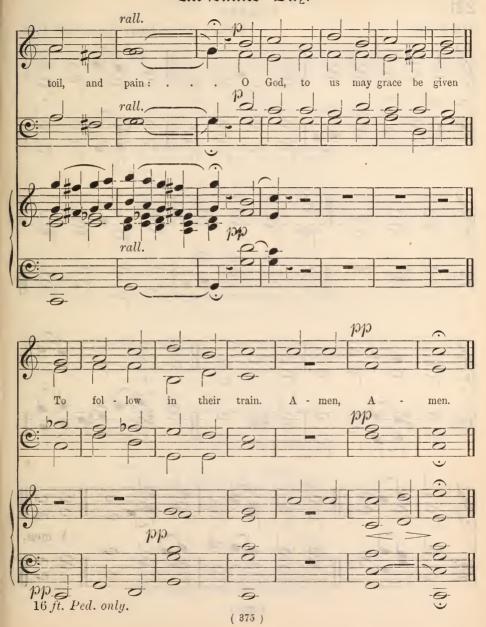


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wf WHO are these, like stars appearing,
These, before God's throne who stand!
Each a golden crown is wearing—
Who are all this glorious band?

f Alleluia! hark, they sing,
Praising loud their heavenly King!

mf Who are these of dazzling brightness,
These in God's own truth arrayed,
Clad in robes of purest whiteness,
Robes whose lustre ne'er shall fade,
Ne'er be touched by time's rude hand—
Whence comes all this glorious band?

f These are they who have contended
For their Saviour's honour long,
Wrestling on till life was ended,
Following not the sinful throng;
These, who well the fight sustained,
Triumph through the Lamb have gained.

p These are they whose hearts were riven,
Sore with woe and anguish tried,
Who in prayer full oft have striven
With the God they glorified;
f Now, their painful conflict o'er,
God has bid them weep no more.

mf These, the Almighty contemplating,
Did as Priests before Him stand,
Soul and body always waiting
Day and night at His command:
f Now in God's most holy place
Blest they stand before His face. Amen.

Also the following:

How bright these glorious spirits shine !—236 Palms of glory, raiment bright—528 Ten thousand times ten thousand—552



Festivals of Saints.

Full. Unison.

f FOR all the Saints who from their labours rest,
Who Thee by faith before the world confest,
Thy Name, O Jesu, be for ever blest.

Alleluia!

Full. Harmony. Thou wast their Rock, their Fortress and their Might;
Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight.
Thou in the darkness drear their one true Light!
Alleluia!

Men in Unison.

Oh! may Thy soldiers, faithful, true, and bold, Fight as the Saints who nobly fought of old, And win, with them, the victor's crown of gold.

Alleluia!

Full. Harmony. mf Oh, blest communion! Fellowship divine!

We feebly struggle; they in glory shine!

Yet all are one in Thee, for all are Thine.

Alleluia!

Men in Unison. p And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long, cr Steals on the ear the distant triumph-song, f And hearts are brave again, and arms are strong!

Trebles only.

p The golden evening brightens in the west:
Soon, soon, to faithful warriors cometh rest;
Sweet is the calm of Paradise the blest.
Alleluia!

Full. Harmony. f But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day;
The Saints triumphant rise in bright array;
The King of Glory passes on His way!
Alleluia!

Full. Unison. ff From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost—
Alleluia! Amen.



TOR all Thy Saints, O Lord,
Who strove in Thee to live,
Who followed Thee, obeyed, adored,
Our grateful hymn receive.

For all Thy Saints, O Lord,
Accept our thankful cry,
Who counted Thee their great reward,
And strove in Thee to die.

They all, in life and death,
With Thee, their Lord, in view,
Learnt from Thy Holy Spirit's breath
To suffer and to do.

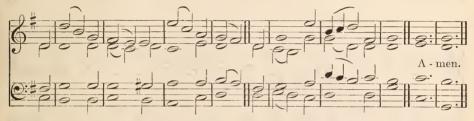
For this Thy Name we bless,
And humbly beg that we
May follow them in holiness,
And live and die in Thee. Amen.





Т. Аттwood, 1765-1838.





mf (IVE me the wings of faith to rise Within the veil, and see The Saints above, how great their joys, How bright their glories be.

P Once they were mourning here below,
 And wet their couch with tears;
 Inf They wrestled hard, as we do now,
 With sins and doubts and fears.

p I ask them, whence their victory came;
 f They with united breath,
 Ascribe the conquest to the Lamb,
 Their triumph to His Death.

mf They marked the footsteps that He trod,
His zeal inspired their breast:
And, following their Incarnate God,
Possess the promised rest.

f Our glorious Leader claims our praise
For His own pattern given;
While the long cloud of witnesses
Show the same path to heaven. Amen.



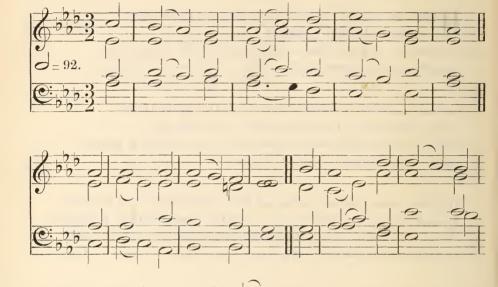


festivals of Saints.

- f HARK, the sound of holy voices, chanting at the crystal sea, Alleluia! Alleluia! Lord, to Thee.
- mf Multitudes, which none can number, like the stars in glory stand, Clothed in white apparel, holding palms of victory in their hand.
- mf Patriarch, and holy Prophet, who prepared the way of Christ, King, Apostle, Saint, Confessor, Martyr, and Evangelist, Saintly maiden, godly matron, widows who have watched to prayer, Joined in holy concert, singing to the Lord of all, are there.
- p They have come from tribulation and have washed their robes in Blood, Washed them in the Blood of Jesus; tried they were and firm they stood;
- cr Mocked, imprisoned, stoned, tormented, sawn asunder, slain with sword,
- j They have conquered death and Satan, by the might of Christ the Lord.
- f Marching with Thy Cross their banner they have triumphed following Thee, the Captain of Salvation, Thee their Saviour and their King; Gladly, Lord, with Thee they suffered; gladly, Lord, with Thee they died; And by death to life immortal they were born, and glorified.
- f Now they reign in heavenly glory, now they walk in golden light; Now they drink, as from a river, holy bliss and infinite;
- p Love and Peace they taste for ever, and all truth and knowledge see In the beatific vision of the Blessèd Trinity.
- f God of God, the One-begotten, Light of Light, Emmanuel, In Whose Body joined together all the Saints for ever dwell, Pour upon us of Thy fulness, that we may for evermore God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Ghost adore. Amen.

H. H. Pierson, 1815-1873.

St. Jerome.



May also be sung to "St. Stephen," No. 485.

mf H^{OW} bright these glorious spirits shine!
Whence all their white array?
How came they to the blissful seats
Of everlasting day?

p Lo! these are they, from sufferings great,

cr Who came to realms of light;

f And in the Blood of Christ have washed Those robes which shine so bright.

Festivals of Saints.

f Now with triumphal palms they stand Before the throne on high, And serve the God they love amidst The glories of the sky.

His presence fills each heart with joy, Tunes every mouth to sing; By day, by night, the sacred courts With glad Hosannas ring.

mf Hunger and thirst are felt no more,Nor sun with scorching ray;f God is their sun, Whose cheering beamsDiffuse eternal day.

mf The Lamb which dwells amidst the throne
Shall o'er them still preside,
Feed them with nourishment Divine,
And all their footsteps guide.

In pastures green He'll lead His flock
Where living streams appear;
f And God the Lord from every eye
dim Shall wipe off every tear. Amen.

Also the following:

Come, let us join our friends above—379
Disposer supreme—391
Jerusalem, my happy home—438
Jerusalem on high—439
Jerusalem the golden!—561 [Part IV.]
O God, our Help in ages past—488
Oh, what the joy and the glory must be—524
Sing Alleluia forth in duteous praise—544
The Church's One Foundation—553
The Son of God goes forth to war—230

CELESTIS AULE PRINCIPES (First Tune). Modes V. & VI. Ancient Plain Song.

To be sung in Unison.



Festivals of the Apostles.

- f HAIL! Princes of the Host of heaven,

 To whom by Christ, your Chief, 'tis given

 On twelve bright thrones to sit on high,

 And judge the world with equity.
- mf 'Tis yours to cheer with sacred light

 Those who lie sunk in sin's dark night;

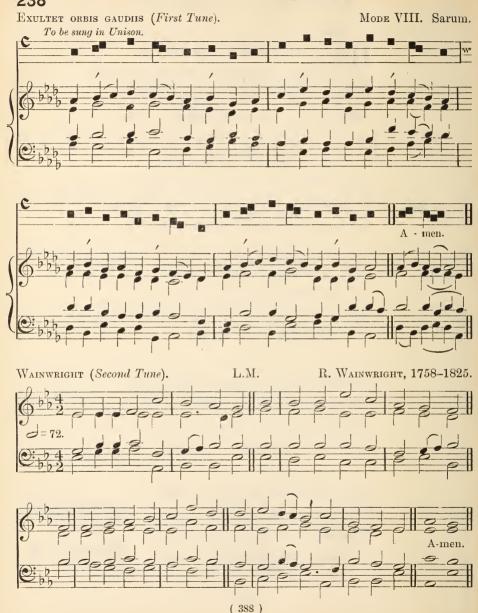
 To guide them in the upward path,

 And rescue them from endless wrath.

With no vain arts, no earthly sword,
Ye quell the rebels of the Lord;
cr The Cross, the Cross which men despise,
f 'Tis that achieves your victories.

- mf Through you the wondrous works of God
 Are spread through every land abroad;
 Thus every clime records your fame,
 And distant ages praise your name.
 - f And now to God, the Three in One,Be highest praise and glory done,Who calleth us from sin's dark night,To walk in His eternal light. Amen.





Festivals of the Apostles.

f LET the round world with songs rejoice;
Let heaven return the joyful voice;
All mindful of the Apostles' fame,
Earth, sky, their Sovereign's praise proclaim.

mf Thou, at Whose word they bore the lightOf gospel truth o'er heathen night,Oh still to us that light impart,To glad our eyes and cheer our heart.

Thou, at Whose will to them was given The key that shuts and opens heaven, Our chains unbind, our loss repair, Oh grant us grace to enter there

Thou, at Whose will they preached the word Which cured disease, which health conferred; To us its healing power prolong; The weak support, confirm the strong:

That when Thy Son again shall come, And speak the world's unerring doom, He may with them pronounce us blest, And place us in Thy endless rest.

f To Thee, O Father; Son, to Thee;To Thee, Blest Spirit, glory be!So was it aye for ages past,So shall through endless ages last. Amen.

Æterna Christi munera.

Mode VIII. Ancient Plain Song.





May also be sung to "Brockham," No. 506.

f THE eternal gifts of Christ the mf Theirs was the steadfast faith of King,

Saints,

The Apostles' glory let us sing; To Him, with hearts of gladness, raise The voice of thankful love and praise.

For they the Church's princes are, Triumphant leaders in the war; In heavenly courts a warrior band, True lights to lighten every land. The hope that never yields nor faints, And love of Christ in perfect glow, That lays the Prince of this world low.

cr In these the Father's glory shone; In these the will of God the Son;

f In these exults the Holy Ghost; [Host. Through these rejoice the heavenly

p Redeemer, hear us of Thy love,

That, with the glorious band above, Hereafter, of Thine endless grace,

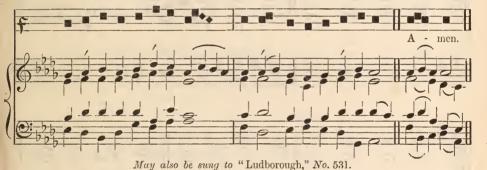
f Thy servants also may have place. Amen.

Also the following: Disposer supreme-391

CHRISTI PERENNES NUNTII.

Mode VIII. Milan.





Who open wide the Gospel page,

Unfolding all the wondrous plan Of love divine to sinful man.

The mysteries, which beneath the law

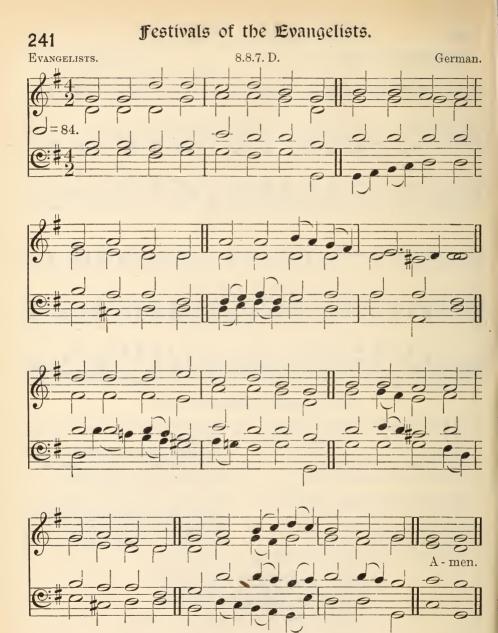
The holy prophets dimly saw, f Ye now behold in open day, For Christ removes the shades away.

TERALDS of Christ, to every age, mf The woes He bore, the words He

The wondrous miracles He wrought, All this ye wrote, as God decreed, That all posterity might read.

p The self-same Spirit was your Guide, On Him your faithful minds relied; Oh may that Spirit still be given To teach our hearts the laws of heaven!

f Oh! praise the Father, praise the Son, Who victory o'er the grave hath won, And to the Spirit praise be given By all on earth, and all in heaven.



Festivals of the Evangelists.

mf SING to God in sweetest measures

Praise for those who spread the treasures

In the holy Gospel shrined:

Blessèd tidings of salvation,

p Peace on earth their declaration,

mf Love from God to lost mankind.

mf Thou, by Whom the words were given

For our light and guide to heaven,

Spirit, on our darkness shine;

Graft them in our hearts, increasing

Faith, hope, love, and joy unceasing,

Till our hearts are wholly Thine.

f Then shall thanks and praise ascending,

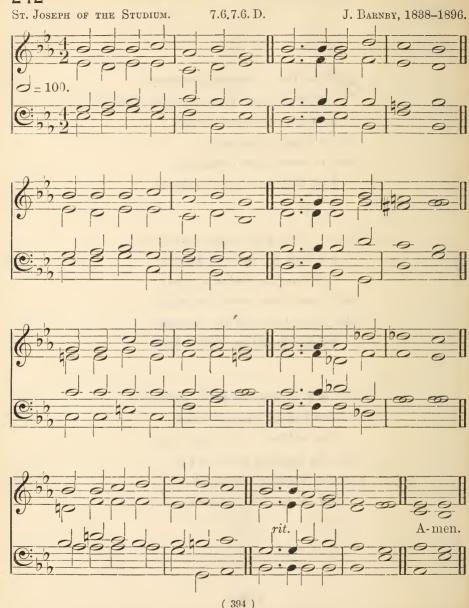
For Thy mercies without ending,

Rise to Thee, Thou Lord of love:

p With Thy gracious aid defend us;

Let Thy guiding light attend us,

Till we join Thy Saints above. Amen.



Festivals of Martyrs.

f LET our choir new anthems raise,
Wake the morn with gladness:
God Himself to joy and praise
Turns the martyrs' sadness:
This the day that won their crown,
Opened heaven's bright portal,
As they laid the mortal down,
And put on the immortal.

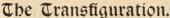
mf Never flinched they from the flame,
From the torture, never;
Vain the foeman's sharpest aim,
Satan's best endeavour:
cr For by faith they saw the Land
Decked in all its glory,
f Where triumphant now they stand
With the victor's story.

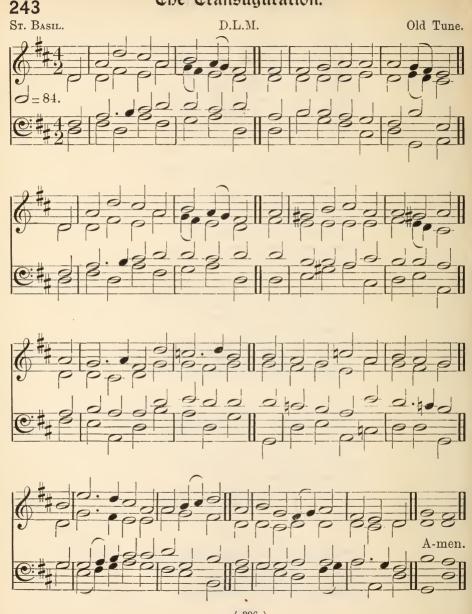
mf Faith they had that knew no shame,
Love that could not languish;
And eternal hope o'ercame
Momentary anguish.
He Who trod the self-same road,
Death and hell defeated;
Wherefore these their sufferings showed
Calvary repeated.

f Up, and follow, Christian men!
Press through toil and sorrow!
Spurn the night of fear, and then,—
Oh, the glorious morrow!
Who will venture on the strife?
Who will first begin it?
Who will grasp the land of life?
ff Warriors! up and win it! Amen.

Also the following:

How bright these glorious spirits shine!—236 Lo! round the throne, a glorious band—228 Oh what, if we are Christ's—523 Palms of glory, raiment bright—528 Soldiers, who are Christ's below—547





The Transfiguration.

MASTER, it is good to be
High on the mountain here with Thee:
Where stand revealed to mortal gaze
Those glorious Saints of other days;
Who once received on Horeb's height
The eternal laws of truth and right;
Or caught the still small whisper, higher
Than storm, than earthquake, or than fire.

O Master, it is good to be
With Thee, and with Thy faithful three:
Here, where the Apostle's heart of rock
Is nerved against temptation's shock;
Here, where the son of thunder learns
The thought that breathes, and word that burns;
Here, where on eagle's wings we move
With Him Whose last best creed is love.

O Master, it is good to be Entranced, enwrapt, alone with Thee; And watch Thy glistering raiment glow, Whiter than Hermon's whitest snow The human lineaments that shine Irradiant with a light divine: Till we too change from grace to grace Gazing on that transfigured Face.

O Master, it is good to be
Here on the Holy Mount with Thee:
When darkling in the depths of night,
When dazzled with excess of light,
We bow before the heavenly voice
That bids bewildered souls rejoice,
Though love wax cold, and faith be dim—
f "This is My Son—Oh hear ye Him." Amen.

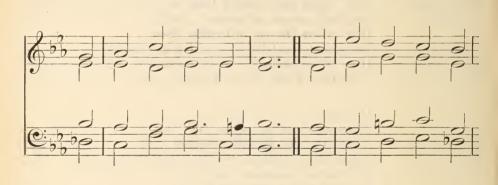
Boly Communion

St. Hugh.

C.M.

E. J. Hopkins, 1818-1901.







Tholy Communion.

A CCORDING to Thy gracious word,
 In meek humility,
 This will I do, my dying Lord,
 I will remember Thee.

Thy Body, broken for my sake,
My bread from heaven shall be;
Thy Testamental Cup I take,
And thus remember Thee.

Gethsemane can I forget?

Or there Thy conflict see,
Thine agony and bloody sweat,
And not remember Thee?

When to the Cross I turn mine eyes,
And rest on Calvary,
O Lamb of God, my Sacrifice,
I must remember Thee.

Remember Thee, and all Thy pains,
And all Thy love to me;

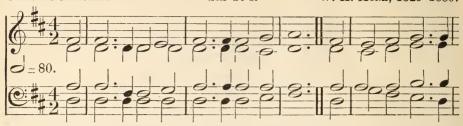
mf Yea, while a breath, a pulse remains,
Will I remember Thee.

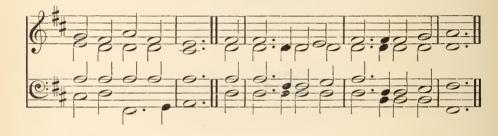
p And when these failing lips grow dumb,
 And mind and memory flee,
 When Thou shalt in Thy Kingdom come,
 Jesu, remember me. Amen.

Holy Communion.

UNDE ET MEMORES.

Six 10's. W. H. Monk, 1825-1889.









Tholy Communion.

That bought us, once for all, on Calvary's Tree,
And having with us Him that pleads above,

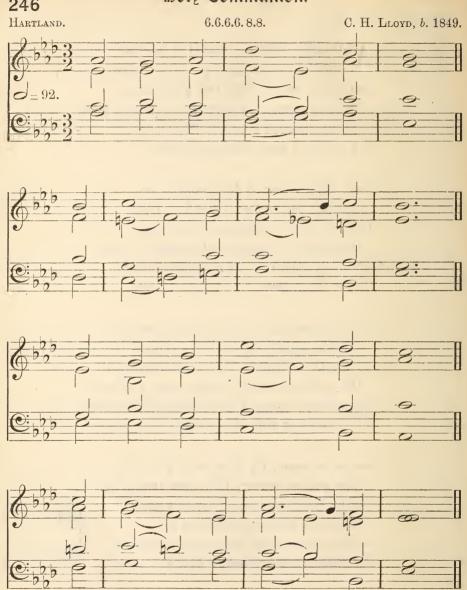
We here present, we hear spread forth to Thee

Mf That only Offering perfect in Thine eyes,
The one true, pure, immortal Sacrifice.

p And then for those, our dearest and our best,
By this prevailing Presence we appeal;
cr Oh fold them closer to Thy mercy's breast,
Oh do Thine utmost for their souls' true weal
From tainting mischief keep them white and clear,
And crown Thy gifts with strength to persevere.

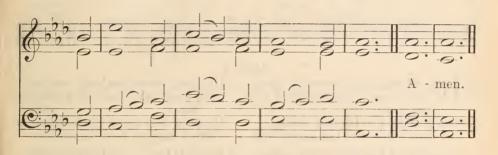
p And so we come; Oh draw us to Thy feet,
Most patient Saviour, Who canst love us still;
cr And by this Food, so awful and so sweet,
Deliver us from every touch of ill:
f In Thine own service make us glad and free,
p And grant us never more to part with Thee.





Holy Communion.





- A UTHOR of Life Divine,
 Who hast a Table spread,
 Furnished with mystic Wine
 And everlasting Bread,
- cr Preserve the life Thyself hast given, And feed and train us up for heaven.
- Our needy souls sustain
 With fresh supplies of love,
 Till all Thy life we gain,
 And all Thy fulness prove,
- cr And, strengthened by Thy perfect grace, Behold without a veil Thy face. Amen.

Ellesmere.

L.M.

A. R. Reinagle, 1799-1877.





PART I.

BE still, my soul! for God is near;
The great High Priest is with thee now!

The Lord of Life Himself is here, Before Whose face the Angels bow.

To make thy heart His lowly throne my Thy Saviour God in love draws nigh;

He gives Himself unto His own,
For whom He once came down to
die.

He pleads before the Mercy-seat—
He pleads with God; He pleads for
thee;

He gives thee Bread from heaven to His Flesh and Blood in mystery.

mf I come, O Lord!—for Thou dost call—
To blend my pleading prayer with
Thine;

To Thee I give myself—my all,
And feed on Thee, and make Thee
mine.
Amen.

PART II.

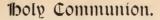
P O BODY bruised for my sake,
And dying on the awful Tree!
That I from death new life should take,
And live engrafted into Thee.

O living Bread! Who once didst die, And lay Thee down in rocky tomb, Within my heart for ever lie, [gloom. And shed Thy brightness o'er its O precious Blood! so freely shed, The pledge of pardon from above; Speak to my heart, so cold and dead, And wake it into life and love.

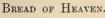
Speak better things than Abel's blood— My ransom paid, my sins forgiven! My soul restored to peace with God, My place prepared for me in heaven.

O sacred Food! O cleansing Stream! Fill all my soul with love divine;

O Thou, Who didst my life redeem, Come to my heart, and make it Thine! Amen.

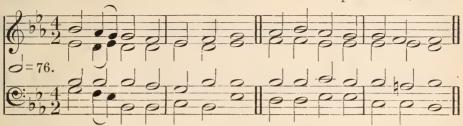






Six 7's.

Archbishop Maclagan, b. 1826.







P BREAD of heaven! on Thee I feed, p Vine of heaven! Thy Blood supplies For Thy Flesh is meat indeed; Ever may my soul be fed With this true and living Bread; cr Day by day with strength supplied cr

dim Through the Life of Him Who died.

This blest Cup of Sacrifice.

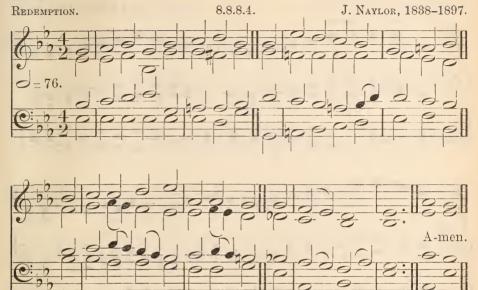
'Tis Thy wounds my healing give; To Thy Cross I look, and live.

Thou, my Life, Oh let me be Rooted, grafted, built on Thee!

Amen.



BREAD of the world, in mercy broken,
Wine of the soul, in mercy shed,
By Whom the words of life were spoken,
And in Whose death our sins are dead;
Look on the heart by sorrow broken,
Look on the tears by sinners shed,
And be Thy Feast to us the token
That by Thy grace our souls are fed. Amen.



mf BY Christ redeemed, in Christ restored,

We keep the memory adored,

- p And show the death of our dear Lord pp Until He come.
- p His Body slain upon the Tree,
 His Life-blood, shed for us, we see;
- cr Thus faith shall read the mystery pp Until He come.

- p And thus that dark betrayal-night With the last Advent we unite By one blest chain of loving rite,
 - pp Until He come :-
- mf Until the trump of God be heard, Until the ancient graves be stirred,
- cr And with the great commanding word

f The Lord shall come.

mf Oh, blessèd hope! With this elate
Let not our hearts be desolate,
cr But, strong in faith, in patience wait
p Until He come! Amen.



Tholy Communion.

- p DRAW nigh and take the Body of the Lord, And drink the holy Blood for you outpoured.
- mf Saved by that Body, hallowed by that Blood, Whereby refreshed, we render thanks to God.

Salvation's Giver, Christ the Only Son, By that His Cross and Blood the victory won.

p Offered was He for greatest and for least, Himself the Victim and Himself the Priest.

Victims were offered by the law of old, That, in a type, celestial mysteries told.

- mf He, Ransomer from death, and Light from shade, Giveth His holy grace His Saints to aid.
 - p Approach ye then with faithful hearts sincere, And take the safeguard of salvation here.
- mf He that in this world rules His Saints and shields, To all believers life eternal yields:

With heavenly Bread makes them that hunger whole; Gives living Waters to the thirsty soul.

p Alpha and Omega, to Whom shall bow All nations at the Doom, is with us now. Amen.





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Iboly Communion.

Here would I touch and handle things unseen;
Here grasp with firmer hand the eternal grace,
And all my weariness upon Thee lean.

Here would I feed upon the Bread of God;

Here drink with Thee the royal Wine of heaven;

Here would I lay aside each earthly load,

Here taste afresh the calm of sin forgiven.

I have no help but Thine; nor do I need
Another arm save Thine to lean upon;
It is enough, my Lord, enough indeed;
My strength is in Thy might, Thy might alone.

Mine is the sin, but Thine the righteousness;

Mine is the guilt, but Thine the cleansing Blood:

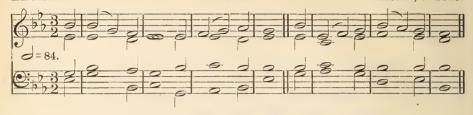
Here is my robe, my refuge, and my peace—

Thy Blood, Thy Righteousness, O Lord, my God! Amen.

LEICESTER.



W. Hurst, b. 1849.





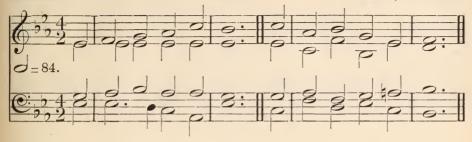
- p \prod AM not worthy, Holy Lord, That Thou shouldst come to me;
- cr Speak but the word, one gracious word
 Can set the sinner free.
- p I am not worthy; cold and bare
 The lodging of my soul;
 How canst Thou deign to enter there?
 cr Lord, speak, and make me whole.
- p I am not worthy; yet, my God,
 cr How can I say Thee nay;
 Thee, Who didst give Thy Flesh and Blood
 My ransom-price to pay?
- mf O come! in this sweet morning hour
 Feed me with Food Divine;
 And fill with all Thy love and power
 - p This worthless heart of mine.

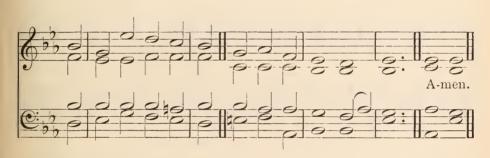


Moseley.

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H. SMART, 1813-1879.





Mf I HUNGER and I thirst;
Jesu, my manna be:
Ye living waters, burst
Out of the rock for me.

Thou bruised and broked Bread,
My life-long wants supply;
As living souls are fed,
Oh feed me, or I die.

mf Thou true life-giving Vine,

Let me Thy sweetness prove;

Renew my life with Thine,

Refresh my soul with love.

Rough paths my feet have trod, Since first their course began; Feed me, Thou Bread of God; Help me, Thou Son of Man.

p For still the desert lies
 My fainting soul before;
 cr O living waters rise
 Within me evermore. Amen.

LACRYMÆ.

7.7.7. ARTHUR SULLIVAN, 1842-1900.





mf JESU, to Thy Table led,
Now let every heart be fed
With the true and living Bread.

p While in penitence we kneel,cr Thy sweet Presence let us feel,

mf All Thy wondrous love reveal.

μ While on Thy dear Cross we gaze,
 Mourning o'er our sinful ways,
 cr Turn our sadness into praise.

mf When we taste the mystic Wine, Of Thine out-poured Blood the sign,

cr Fill our hearts with love Divine.

p Draw us to Thy wounded side, [tide;

cr Whence there flowed the healing

dim There our sins and sorrows hide.

mf From the bonds of sin release;
Cold and wavering faith increase;

p Lamb of God, grant us Thy peace.

mf Lead us by Thy pierced hand

cr Till around Thy throne we stand

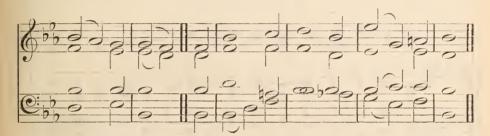
P In the bright and better land. Amen.

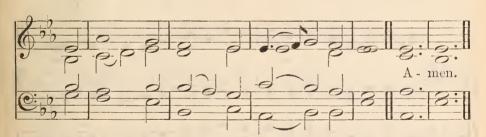




E. Miller, 1731-1807.







MY God, and is Thy Table spread, p Why are its dainties all in vain And does Thy Cup with love o'er-Thither be all Thy children led, [flow? And let them all its sweetness know.

Before unwilling hearts displayed? Was not for you the Victim slain?

Are you forbid the children's Bread?

Hail, sacred Feast, which Jesus makes, f Oh, let Thy Table honoured be, Rich banquet of His Flesh and Blood!

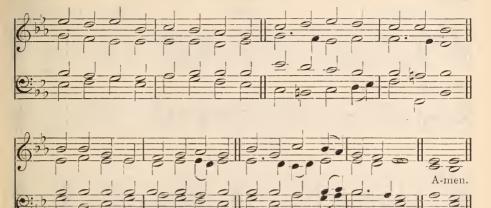
Thrice happy he who here partakes That sacred Stream, that heavenly Food.

And furnished well with joyful guests.

And may each soul salvation see That here its sacred pledges tastes! Amen.



Holy Communion.



PART I.

Mow, my tongue, the mystery tell- mf That last night, at supper lying, of the glorious Body sing, [ing, 'Mid the Twelve, His chosen be And the Blood, all price excelling, Which the Gentiles' Lord and King.

p In a Virgin's womb once dwelling, Shed for this world's ransoming.

mf Given for us, and condescending To be born for us below, He with men in converse blending, Dwelt the seed of truth to sow,

p Till He closed with wondrous ending

His most patient life of woe.

'Mid the Twelve, His chosen band, Jesus, with the law complying,

Keeps the feast its rites demand;

Then, more precious Food supplying.

Gives Himself with His own hand.

p Word-made-Flesh true Bread He maketh

By His word His Flesh to be; Wine His Blood; which whoso taketh Must from carnal thoughts be free;

mf Faith alone, though sight forsaketh, Shows true hearts the mystery.

Amen.

PART II.

p THEREFORE we, before Him bend- f Glory let us give, and blessing To the Father, and the Son,

This great Sacrament revere; cr Types and shadows have their ending,

For the newer rite is here:

mf Faith, our outward sense befriending. Makes our inward vision clear.

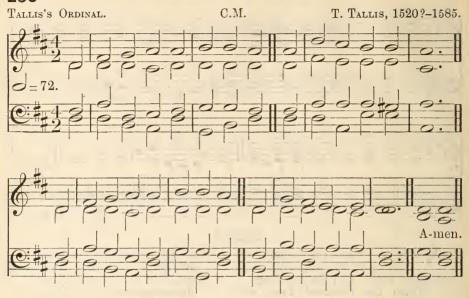
Honour, might, and praise addressing,

While eternal ages run;

Ever too His love confessing,

Who from Both with Both is One. Amen.

O Body bruisèd for my sake-see 247 [Part II.]



mf O God, unseen yet ever near!
Thy Presence may we feel;
dim And thus inspired with holy fear
p Before Thine Altar kneel!

mf Here may Thy faithful people know
The blessings of Thy love;
The streams that through the desert flow,
The Manna from above!

We come, obedient to Thy word,
To feast on heavenly Food;
Our meat the Body of the Lord,
Our drink His precious Blood.

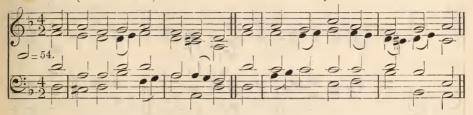
Thus may we all Thy words obey;
For we, O God, are Thine;
cr And go rejoicing on our way,
Renewed with strength divine. Amen.

O Saving Victim, opening wide-262 [Part II.]

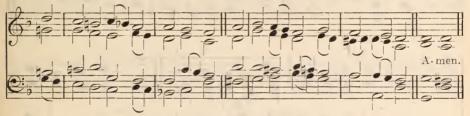
Six 8's.

OLD 112TH (VATER UNSER).

Harmonized by J. S. Bach, 1685-1750.







May also be sung to "Giessen," No. 270.

mf O THOU, before the world began,
Ordained a Sacrifice for man;
And by the Eternal Spirit made
An Offering in the sinner's stead;
Our everlasting Priest art Thou,
Pleading Thy death for sinners now.

Thy Offering still continues new, Thy vesture keeps its blood-stained hue; Thyself the Lamb for sinners slain, Thy Priesthood doth unchanged remain; Thy years, O God, can never fail, Nor Thy blest work within the veil.

p Oh! that our faith may never move, But stand unshaken as Thy love;

cr Sure evidence of things unseen, Now let it pass the years between,

p And view Thee bleeding on the Tree, Our Victim and our Priest to be! Amen.



Toly Communion.

THOU, Who at Thy Eucharist didst pray
That all Thy Church might be for ever one,

p Grant us at every Eucharist to say

cr With longing heart and soul, "Thy will be done."

mf Oh, may we all one Bread, one Body be,

pp One through this Sacrament of Unity.

p For all Thy Church, O Lord, we intercede;
Oh make our sad divisions soon to cease;
cr Draw us the nearer each to each, we plead,
By drawing all to Thee, O Prince of Peace;
mf Thus may we all one Bread, one Body be,
pp One through this Sacrament of Unity.

p We pray Thee too for wanderers from Thy Fold,
Oh bring them back, Good Shepherd of the sheep,
r Back to the Faith which Saints believed of old;
Back to the Church which still that Faith doth keep;
mf Soon may we all one Bread, one Body be,
pp One through this Sacrament of Unity.

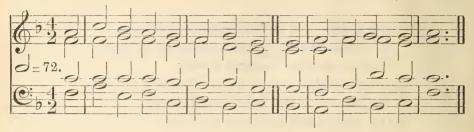
mf That so, at length when Sacraments shall cease,
We may be one with all Thy Church above,
cr One with Thy Saints in one unbroken peace,
One with Thy Saints in one unbounded love:
More blessèd still in peace and love to be
pp One with the Trinity in Unity.

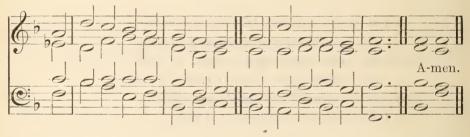


ALBANO.

C.M.

V. Novello, 1781-1861.





of ONCE, only once, and once for all His precious life He gave;
Before the Cross our spirits fall,
And own it strong to save.

"One Offering, single and complete,"
With lips and heart we say;
But what He never can repeat
He shows forth day by day.

For, as the priest of Aaron's line
Within the Holiest stood,
And sprinkled all the mercy-shrine
With sacrificial blood;

So He, Who once atonement wrought, Our Priest of endless power,

Presents Himself for those He bought In that dark noontide hour.

His Manhood pleads where now it lives On heaven's eternal throne, And where in mystic rite He gives

Its Presence to His own.

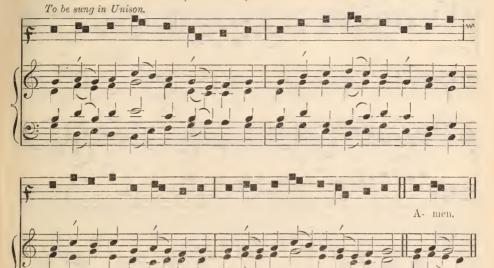
And so we show Thy death, O Lord, Till Thou again appear; And feel, when we approach Thy Board,

We have an Altar here.

f All glory to the Father be,
All glory to the Son,
All glory, Holy Ghost, to Thee,
While endless ages run. Amen.

VERBUM SUPERNUM PRODIENS (First Tune).

Mode VIII. Mechlin.



PART I.

mf THE heavenly Word proceeding forth,
Yet leaving not the Father's side,
Accomplishing His work on earth
P Had reached at length life's eventide.

mf By false disciple to be given
To foemen for His life athirst,
Himself, the very Bread of heaven,
He gave to His disciples first.

He gave Himself in either kind,
His precious Flesh, His precious Blood;
cr In love s own fulness thus designed
Of the whole man to be the Food.

p By Birth their Fellow-man was He;
Their Meat, when sitting at the Board;

cr He died, their Ransomer to be;

mf He ever reigns, their great Reward. Amen.



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Tholy Communion.

O SALUTARIS HOSTIA.

Mode VI. Old French Plain Song.





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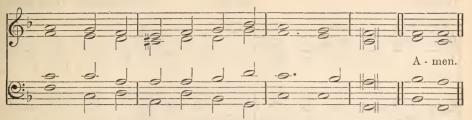
PART II.

p O SAVING Victim, opening wide
 cr O The gate of heaven to man below,
 Our foes press on from every side,
 p Thine aid supply, Thy strength bestow.

f All praise and thanks to Thee ascend
For evermore, Blest One in Three;
p Oh grant us life, that shall not end,
In our true native land with Thee. Amen.

ADORO TE DEVOTE (First Tune). Mode V. Old French Plain Song. To be sung in Unison. OLD 124th (Second Tune). 10.10.10.10. C. GOUDIMEL, Genera Psalter, 1551,

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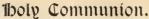


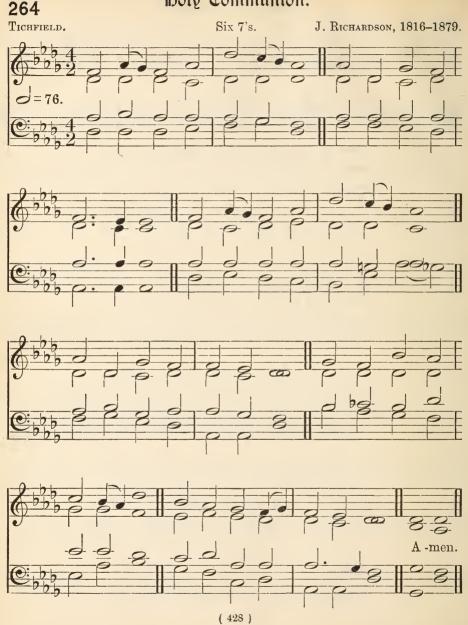
May also be sung to "St. Agnes" (Langran), No. 252.

- p THEE we adore, O hidden Saviour! Thee, Who in Thy Supper with us deign'st to be. Both flesh and spirit in Thy Presence fail, Yet here Thy Presence we devoutly hail.
- mf Oh, blest Memorial of our dying Lord,
 Who living Bread to men doth here afford!
 Oh, may our souls for ever feed on Thee,
 And Thou, O Christ, for ever precious be!

Fountain of goodness! Jesu, Lord and God! Cleanse us, unclean, with Thy most cleansing Blood; Increase our faith and love, that we may know The hope and peace which from Thy Presence flow.

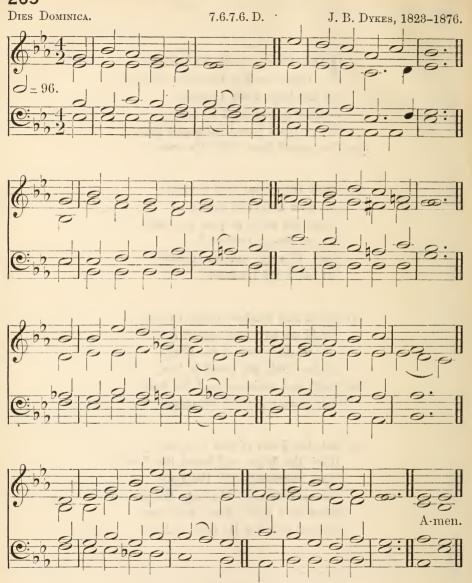
p O Christ! Whom now beneath a veil we see,
May what we thirst for soon our portion be;
cr To gaze on Thee unveiled, and see Thy face,
mf The vision of Thy glory and Thy grace. Amen.





Iboly Communion.

- p TILL He come—Oh let the words
 Linger on the trembling chords;
 Let the little while between
 In their golden light be seen;
 cr Let us think how heaven and home
 dim Lie beyond that "Till He come."
 - p When the weary ones we love
 Enter on their rest above,
 Seems the earth so poor and vast,
 All our life-joy overcast?
 Hush, be every murmur dumb:
 It is only till He come.
 - mf Clouds and conflicts round us press:
 Would we have one sorrow less?
 All the sharpness of the Cross,
 All that tells the world is loss,
 p Death and darkness, and the tomb,
 Only whisper, "Till He come."
- mf See, the Feast of love is spread,
 Drink the Wine, and break the Bread:
 Sweet memorials—till the Lord
 Call us round His heavenly Board;
 Some from earth, from glory some,
 Severed only till He come. Amen.



Tholy Communion.

To hear us in Thy love,
And pour upon Thy children
The unction from above;
That so in love abiding,
From all defilement free,
We may in pureness offer
Our Eucharist to Thee.

Be Thou our Guide and Helper,
O Jesu Christ, we pray;
So may we well approach Thee,
If Thou wilt be the Way.
Thou, very Truth, hast promised
To help us in our strife,
Food of the weary pilgrim,
Eternal Source of Life.

And Thou, Creator Spirit,
Look on us, we are Thine;
Renew in us Thy graces,
Upon our darkness shine;
That with Thy benediction
Upon our souls outpoured,
We may receive in gladness
The Body of the Lord.

O Trinity Eternal!
O Unity most high!
On Thee alone relying,
Thy servants would draw nigh.
Unworthy in our weakness,
On Thee our hope is stayed,
And blest by Thy forgiveness
We will not be afraid. Amen.

Also the following:

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!—360 Forth from the dark and stormy sky—404 God the Father, God the Son—651 Jesu, Thou joy of loving hearts!—447 The King of love my Shepherd is—556





May also be sung to "St. Stephen," No. 485.

mf IN token that thou shalt not fear Christ crucified to own,
We print the Cross upon thee here,
And stamp thee His alone.

f In token that thou shalt not flinch
 Christ's quarrel to maintain,
 But 'neath His banner manfully
 Firm at thy post remain;

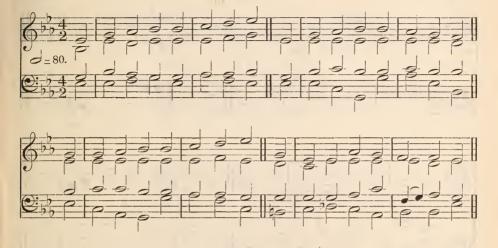
In token that thou shalt not blush To glory in His Name, We blazon here upon thy front His glory and His shame. p In token that thou, too, shalt tread
The path He travelled by;
Endure the cross, despise the shame,
cr And sit thee down on high;

mf Thus outwardly and visibly
We seal thee for His own;
And may the brow that wears His Cross
cr Hereafter share His Crown. Amen.

BERNE.

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J. Schop, с. 1650.



May also be sung to "Melita," No. 317.

mf L ORD Jesu Christ, our Lord most dear.

As Thou wast once an Infant here, So give this child of Thine, we pray, Thy grace and blessing day by day.

O Holy Jesu, Lord Divine, [Thine. We pray Thee guard this child of

As in Thy heavenly Kingdom, Lord, All things obey Thy sacred word, Do Thou Thy mighty succour give, And shield this child by morn and eve.

O Holy Jesu, Lord Divine,

We pray Thee guard this child of Thine.

Their watch let Angels round him keep
Where'er he be, awake, asleep;
Thy holy Cross now let him bear,
That he Thy Crown with Saints may wear.
O Holy Jesu, Lord Divine,
We pray Thee guard this child of Thine. Amen.



Tholy Baptism.

of O'ER the shoreless waste of waters
In the world's primeval night,
or Moved the quickening Spirit, waking
All things into life and light.
f So, Lord, in Thy new creation
Light in Thine own Light we see,
By the water and the Spirit
Born again to life in Thee.

mf When from Thine avenging deluge
 Thou Thy chosen ones wouldst save,
cr Lo! the Ark of Thine appointing
 Rode in safety on the wave.
f So, Lord, on the world's broad ocean,
 Tost with tempests fierce and dark,
 Thine elect have found a refuge,
 And Thy Church is now their Ark.

mf Through the Red Sea's cloven waters
Israel's children gained the shore,
cr Free to seek the land of promise,
Egypt's bond-slaves now no more:
f So upon their journey starting,
Thou Thy children, Lord, dost free:
Lo! they pass from Satan's bondage
Into glorious liberty!

p Buried with their buried Saviour,
cr Raised with Him to life again,
mf Oh, that, dead to sin, Thy children
May to Christ-like life attain!
p Father, guide them by Thy Spirit,
cr Lead them on from strength to strength,
Till, all toils and conflicts ended,
f They are safe with Thee at length. Amen.







Tholy Baptism.

mf SAVIOUR, Who Thy flock art feeding
With the Shepherd's kindest care,
All the feeble gently leading,
While the lambs Thy bosom share:

Now, these little ones receiving,

Fold them in Thy gracious arm;

There, we know, Thy word believing,

Only there, secure from harm.

Never, from Thy pasture roving,

Let them be the lion's prey;

Let Thy tenderness so loving

Keep them through life's dangerous way.

Then within Thy fold eternal

Let them find a resting-place;

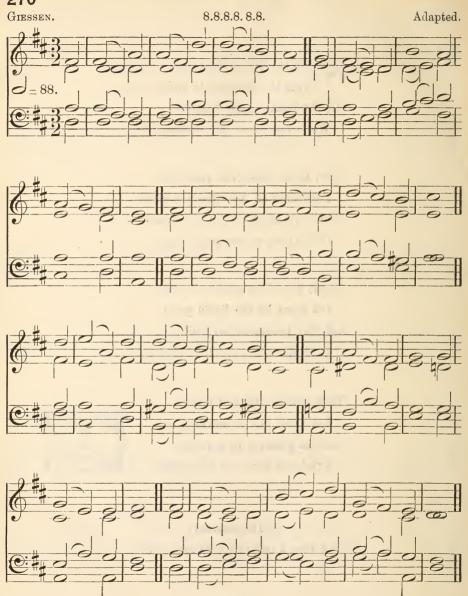
Feed in pastures ever vernal,

Drink the rivers of Thy grace.



Also the following:

I think when I read that sweet story of old—627



Confirmation.

mf BEHOLD us, Lord, before Thee met,
Whom each bright Angel serves and fears,
Who on Thy throne rememberest yet
Thy spotless Boyhood's quiet years,
Whose feet the hills of Nazareth trod,
f Who art true Man and perfect God.

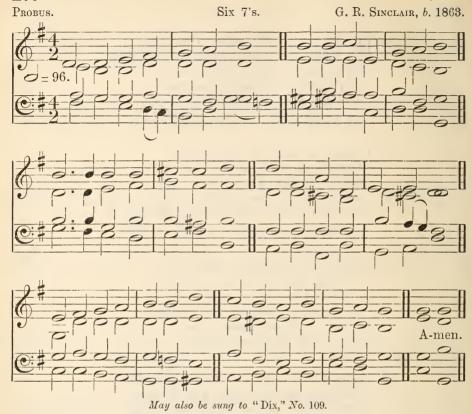
mf To Thee we look, in Thee confide,
Our help is in Thine own dear Name;
For who on Jesus e'er relied
cr And found not Jesus still the same?
p Thus far Thy love our souls hath brought,
Oh, stablish well what Thou hast wrought!

mf The seed of our Baptismal life,
O living Word! by Thee was sown;
cr So, where Thy soldiers wage the strife,
Our posts we take, our vows we own;
And ask, in Thine appointed way,
Confirm us in Thy grace to-day.

mf We need Thee more than tongue can speak
'Mid foes that well might cast us down;
But thousands, once as young and weak,
Have fought the fight, and won the crown.
We ask the help that bore them through;
We trust the Faithful and the True.

p So bless us with the Gift complete
By hands of Thy chief pastors given,
That awful Presence kind and sweet
Which comes in sevenfold might from heaven.
Eternal Christ, to Thee we bow:
Give us Thy Spirit here and now.





p OLY Spirit, Lord of love,
Thou Who camest from above,
Gifts of blessing to bestow
On Thy waiting Church below;
The Once again in love draw near

cr Once again in love draw near To Thy children gathered here.

mf From their bright Baptismal day,
Through their childhood's onward way,
Thou hast been their constant Guide,
Watching ever by their side;
May they now, till life shall end,
Choose and know Thee as their Friend.

mf Give them light Thy truth to see, Give them life to live for Thee,

cr Daily power to conquer sin, Patient faith the Crown to win;

mf Shield them from temptation's breath, Keep them faithful unto death.

p When the holy vow is made,
When the holy hands are laid,
Come in this most solemn hour,
With Thy sevenfold gifts of power,

cr Come, Thou blessèd Spirit, come, Make each heart Thy happy home.

Amen.

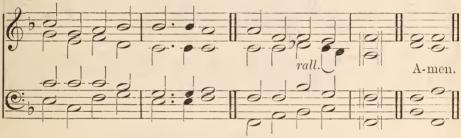
Confirmation.

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OSBORNE.

H.R.H. Princess Henry of Battenberg, b. 1857.





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mf LORD of grace and holiness,
Who alone canst guide and bless,
God of love and tenderness,
Guard these lambs of Thine.

Jesu, Thou wast man indeed,
Thou dost for our weakness plead;
Thou dost know our deepest need;
Jesu, keep them Thine.

Keep them generous, brave, and true, Still their loving trust renew, Make them faithful through and through: Saviour, keep them Thine.

By the grace of gentle years,
By all tender hopes and fears,
By the power of loving tears,
Jesu, keep them Thine.

Lord, Thy loving heart is wide!

Jesu, hold them at Thy side,

cr Saved, redeemed, and sanctified,

f Thine, for ever Thine. Amen.





Confirmation.

Mf L ORD, shall Thy children come to Thee?—
A boon of love divine we seek;—
Brought to Thine arms in infancy,
Ere heart could feel or tongue could speak,
Thy children pray for grace, that they
May come themselves to Thee to-day.

Lord, shall we come?—and come again?—
Oft as we see yon Table spread,
And—tokens of Thy dying pain—
The Wine poured out, the broken Bread,
Bless, bless, O Lord, Thy children's prayer,
That they may come and find Thee there.

Lord, shall we come?—not thus alone
At holy time, or solemn rite,
But every hour till life be flown,
Through weal or woe, in gloom or light—
Come to Thy throne of grace,—that we
In faith, hope, love, confirmed may be.

Lord, shall we come?—come yet again?—
Thy children ask one blessing more;—
cr To come, not now alone,—but then
When life, and death, and time are o'cr,
Then, then to come, O Lord, and be
f Confirmed in heaven, confirmed by Thee. Amen.

St. Peter.

C.M.

A. R. Reinagle, 1799-1877.





MY God, accept my heart this day,
And make it always Thine,
That I from Thee no more may stray,
No more from Thee decline.

p Before the Cross of Him Who died,
Behold, I prostrate fall;
Let every sin be crucified,
cr And Christ be all in all.

mf Anoint me with Thy heavenly grace.

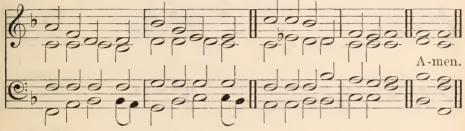
And seal me for Thine own,

cr That I may see Thy glorious face, And worship near Thy throne.

mf Let every thought, and work, and word,
By Thee be ever blest;

er Then life shall be Thy service, Lord, And death the gate of rest. Amen.





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mf THINE for ever! Thine for ever! May Thy face upon us shine.

p Help, oh, help our weak endeavour, Lord, to be for ever Thine.

mf Thine for ever, Thine for ever!
Thine for ever may we be:
May no sin nor sorrow sever
Us from union, Lord, with Thee.

mf Thine for ever, Thine for ever!

Armed with faith, and strong in

cr Ever fighting, fainting never, [Thee, p May we march to victory!

mf Daily in the grace increasing
Of Thy Spirit, more and more,
Watching, praying, without ceasing,
May we reach the heavenly shore!

Hard the conflict; (mf) but what glory
Is revealed to our eyes

While we read the heavenly story Of our home beyond the skies!

f" Thine for ever" we are singing
Here on earth, and while we sing
Voices in our ears are ringing
Hymns of Angels to our King.

Thine for ever! Thine for ever!

May Thy face upon us shine.

Help, oh! help our weak endeavour, Lord, to be for ever Thine.

Glory be to God the Father,
Glory be to God the Son,
Glory to the Holy Spirit,

Glory to the Holy Spirit,
Glory to the Three in One. Amen.

Also the following:

Fight the good fight with all thy might—401
Jesu, meek and gentle—441

O Jesu, I have promised—493 Soldiers of Christ! arise—546 Take up thy cross, the Saviour said—551



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Iboly Matrimony.

mf L ORD, Who at Cana's wedding feast,
Didst as a Guest appear,
Thou dearer far than earthly guest,
p Vouchsafe Thy Presence here;
cr For holy Thou indeed dost prove
The marriage vow to be,
f Proclaiming it a type of love
Between the Church and Thee.

mf The holiest vow that man can make

The golden thread in life,

The bond that none may dare to break,

That bindeth man and wife;

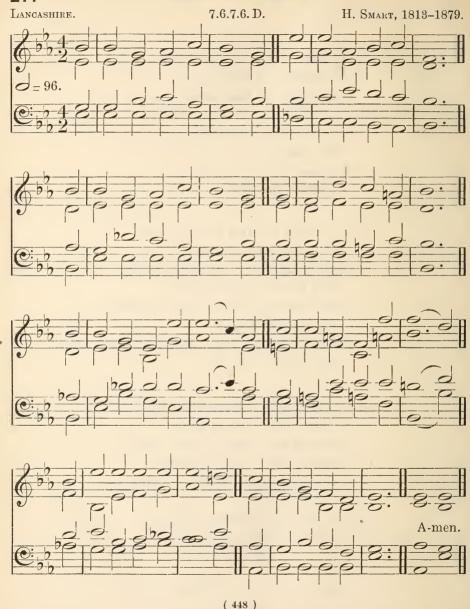
Which, blessed by Thee, whate'er betides,

No evil shall destroy,

Through care-worn days each care divides,

And doubles every joy.

of On those who at Thine Altar kneel
O Lord, Thy blessing pour,
That each may wake the other's zeal
To love Thee more and more:
p O grant them here in peace to live,
In purity and love,
cr And, this world leaving, to receive
f A crown of life above. Amen.

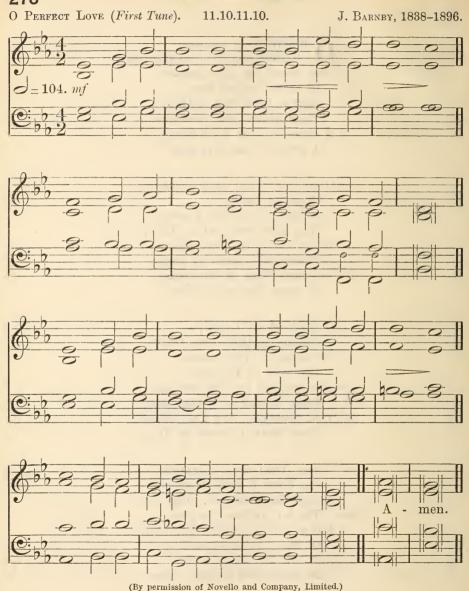


Iboly Matrimony.

mf O FATHER all creating, Whose wisdom, love, and power First bound two lives together In Eden's primal hour,
To-day to these Thy children Thine earliest gifts renew,—
cr A home by Thee made happy,
f A love by Thee kept true.

of O Saviour, Guest most bounteous
Of old in Galilee,
Vouchsafe to-day Thy Presence
With these who call on Thee;
cr Their store of earthly gladness
Transform to heavenly wine,
dim And teach them in the tasting,
To know the gift is Thine.

p O Spirit of the Father,
Breathe on them from above,
So mighty in Thy pureness,
So tender in Thy love;
cr That guarded by Thy Presence,
From sin and strife kept free,
mf Their lives may own Thy guidance,
Their hearts be ruled by Thee.



Holy Matrimony.



mf O PERFECT Love, all human thought transcending, p Compared to Lowly we kneel in prayer before Thy throne, compared the theirs may be the love which knows no ending, whom Thou for evermore doth join in one.

mf O perfect Life, be Thou their full assurance p Of tender charity and steadfast faith,

cr Of patient hope, and quiet brave endurance, With childlike trust that fears nor pain nor death.

mf Grant them the joy which brightens earthly sorrow,

p Grant them the peace which calms all earthly strife; cr And to life's day the glorious unknown morrow

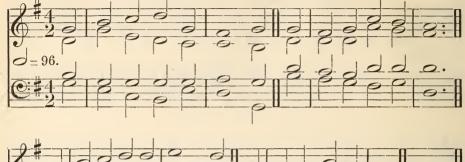
That dawns upon eternal love and life.

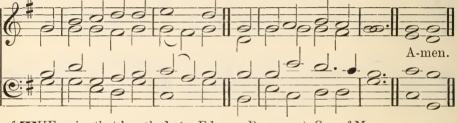




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H. J. GAUNTLETT, 1805-1876.





mf TPHE voice that breathed o'er Eden p Be present, Son of Mary, That earliest wedding-day, The primal marriage blessing, It hath not passed away.

Still in the pure espousal Of Christian man and maid The Holy Three are with us,

The threefold grace is said,

For dower of blessèd children. For love and faith's sweet sake, For high mysterious union Which nought on earth may break.

p Be present, awful Father, To give away this bride, cr As Eve Thou gav'st to Adam Out of his own pierced side.

To join their loving hands, cr As Thou didst bind two natures

In Thine eternal bands.

p Be present, Holiest Spirit, To bless them as they kneel, cr As Thou for Christ, the Bridegroom, The heavenly Spouse dost seal.

mf Oh! spread Thy pure wing o'er them, Let no ill power find place, When onward to Thine Altar

The hallowed path they trace, f To cast their crowns before Thee, In perfect sacrifice, Till to the home of gladness

With Christ's own Bride they rise!

Also the following: Come, gracious Spirit, heavenly Dove-190 Lead us, heavenly Father-456

Now thank we all our God-296 O God of Bethel! by Whose hand-483 Thine for ever! God of love—570



- p A SLEEP in Jesus! blessèd sleep, Of those whose eyes have ceased to weep, When they, who wept so oft before, Shall wake again to weep no more.
- p Asleep in Jesus! wondrous sleep, Which they who sow in tears shall reap:

cr No more by doubt or fear opprest, dim They sleep the sleep of Saints at rest.

Asleep in Jesus! happy he
 Whose sleep at last in Him shall be;
 Whose sorrows past and labours o'er,
 Now rests in Him for evermore.

p Asleep in Jesus! happy they

cr Who wake on that eternal day,

f To share, with those whom God shall bring, The glories of His triumphing.

p Asleep in Jesus! who can weep For those who sleep so calm a sleep?

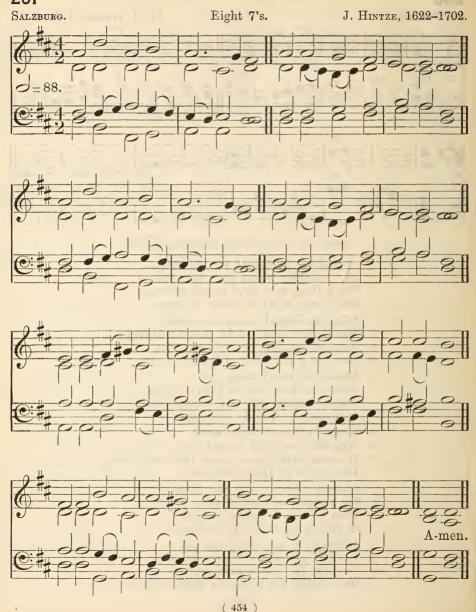
mf Then let the living for the dead In Christ, by Christ be comforted.

p Asleep in Jesus! none can tell

cr The joys of those He loves so well:

dim Then, Holy Jesu, grant that we May, dying, fall asleep in Thee. Amen.





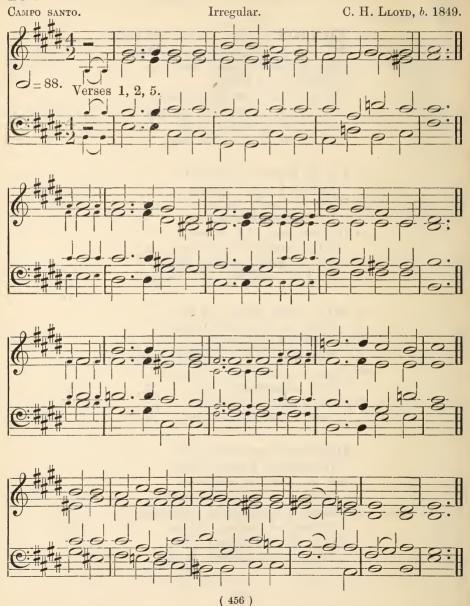
Burial of the Dead.

mf BLESSING, honour, thanks and praise,
Pay we, gracious God, to Thee;
Thou in Thine abundant grace
Givest us the victory.
True and faithful to Thy word,
Thou hast glorified Thy Son:
Jesus Christ our dying Lord
f He for us the fight has won.

mf Lo! the prisoner is released;
Lightened of his fleshly load.
p Where the weary are at rest
He is gathered unto God.
mf Lo! the pain of life is past,
All his warfare now is o'er,
Death and hell behind are cast,
Grief and suffering are no more.

mf Hark, a voice divides the sky,
p Happy are the faithful dead,
In the Lord who sweetly die:
They from all their toils are freed:
mf These the Spirit hath declared
Blest, unutterably blest;
Jesus is their great rewarā,
Jesus is their endless rest.

p Absent from our loving Lord
We shall not continue long:
cr Join we them with one accord
In the new, the joyful song;
f Blessing, honour, thanks, and praise,
Triune God, we pay to Thee,
Who in Thine abundant grace
Givest us the victory. Amen.



Burial of the Dead.

P BROTHER, thou art gone before us, and thy saintly soul is flown
Where tears are wiped from every eye, and sorrow is unknown;
cr From the burden of the flesh, and from care and fear released,
dim Where the wicked cease from troubling, and the weary are at rest.

p The toilsome way thou hast travelled o'er, and borne the heavy load;

mf But Christ hath taught thy languid feet to reach His blest abode:

p Thou art sleeping now, like Lazarus upon his father's breast,
Where the wicked cease from troubling, and the weary are at rest.

mf Sin can never taint Thee now, nor doubt thy faith assail,

Nor thy meek trust in Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit fail:

And there thou art sure to meet the good, whom on earth thou lovedst best,

dim Where the wicked cease from troubling, and the weary are at rest.

p"Earth to earth, and dust to dust," the solemn words are said;
So we lay the turf above thee now, and we seal thy narrow bed;
cr But thy spirit, brother, soars away among the faithful blest,
dim Where the wicked cease from troubling, and the weary are at rest.

mf And when the Lord shall summon us, whom thou hast left behind,May we, untainted by the world, as sure a welcome find!cr May each, like thee, depart in peace, to be a glorious guest,dim Where the wicked cease from troubling, and the weary are at rest!



S. S. Wesley, 1810-1876. Six 8's. COLCHESTER.

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Burial of the Dead.

mf C OD of the living, in Whose eyes
Unveiled Thy whole creation lies;
All souls are Thine; we must not say
That those are dead who pass away;
cr From this our world of flesh set free,
We know them living unto Thee.

mf Released from earthly toil and strife,
With Thee is hidden still their life;
Thine are their thoughts, their works, their powers,
All Thine, and yet most truly ours;
cr For well we know, where'er they be,
Our dead are living unto Thee.

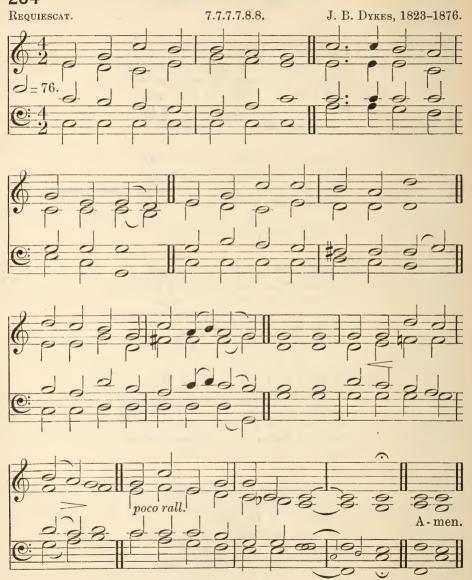
mf Not spilt like water on the ground, Not wrapped in dreamless sleep profound, Not wandering in unknown despair Beyond Thy voice, Thine arm, Thy care;

cr Not left to lie like fallen tree; Not dead, but living unto Thee.

mf Thy word is true, Thy will is just;
To Thee we leave them, Lord, in trust;
And bless Thee for the love which gave
Thy Son to fill a human grave,

cr That none might fear that world to see Where all are living unto Thee.

of O Breather into man of breath,
of Holder of the keys of death,
of Giver of the life within,
Save us from death, the death of sin;
cr That body, soul, and spirit be
For ever living unto Thee! Amen.



If there is no Accompaniment the small notes may be sung.

Burial of the Dead.

P NOW the labourer's task is o'er;
Now the battle-day is past;
Now upon the farther shore
Lands the voyager at last.
P Father, in Thy gracious keeping

p Father, in Thy gracious keeping Leave we now Thy servant sleeping.

mf There the tears of earth are dried;
There its hidden things are clear;

cr There the work of life is tried

By a juster Judge than here.

Plather in Thy gracious keeping

p Father, in Thy gracious keeping Leave we now Thy servant sleeping.

mf There the sinful souls that turn
To the Cross their dying eyes.

cr All the love of Christ shall learn

All the love of Christ shall learn At His feet in Paradise.

p Father, in Thy gracious keeping Leave we now Thy servant sleeping.

mf There no more the powers of hell
Can prevail to mar their peace;
cr Christ the Lord shall guard them well

cr Christ the Lord shall guard them well;
He Who died for their release.

p Father, in Thy gracious keeping Leave we now Thy servant sleeping.

mf ["Earth to earth, and dust to dust;" * Calmly now the words we say;

Left behind, we wait in trust For the Resurrection day.

P Father, in Thy gracious keeping Leave we now Thy servant sleeping. Amen.

Laid in ocean's quiet bed,
Calmly now the words we say;
Till the sea gives up its dead,
Till the Resurrection day,

^{*} In the case of a Burial at Sea these four lines may be substituted for those bracketed above:—





May also be sung to "Chelsea," No. 234.

mf THE righteous souls that take their flight Far from this world of pain;

p In God's eternal bosom blest For ever shall remain.

p To minds unwise they seem to die, All joyful hope to cease;

cr While they, secured by faith, repose

p In everlasting peace.

mf For at the great, the awful day,
When Christ descends from high;

cr With myriads of Angelic Saints, They'll meet Him in the sky.

mf Their God, their Judge, their mighty Lord, Shall pour redeeming grace;

cr And call them ever to behold

The brightness of His face. Amen.

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- * The small notes are to be sung in verses 2 and 3. † The small notes are to be sung in verses 2 and 4.

Burial of the Dead.

- THOU art gone to the grave; but we will not deplore thee, Though sorrows and darkness encompass the tomb;
- cr Thy Saviour has passed through its portal before thee,
- f And the lamp of His love is thy guide through the gloom.
- p Thou art gone to the grave: we no longer behold thee, Nor tread the rough path of the world by thy side;
- cr But the wide arms of mercy are spread to enfold thee,
- f And sinners may die, for the Sinless has died.
- p Thou art gone to the grave; and, its mansion forsaking, Perchance thy weak spirit in fear lingered long;
- cr But the mild rays of Paradise beamed on thy waking,
- f And the sound which thou heardst was the Seraphim's song.
- p Thou art gone to the grave; but we will not deplore thee,
- cr Whose God was thy ransom, thy guardian, and guide;
- f He gave thee, He took thee, and He will restore thee;
- f And death has no sting, for the Saviour has died. Amen.

Also the following

A few more years shall roll—353
Brief life is here our portion—561 [Part II.]
Day of wrath! Oh, day of mourning—74
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Days and moments quickly flying—103 [Part I.]
For ever with the Lord—402
Jesus lives! Thy terrors now—171
My God and Father, while I stray—475

O God, our Help in ages past—488
Oh! let him, whose sorrow—520
Oh, what the joy and the glory must be—524
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Palms of glory, raiment bright—523
Peace, perfect peace—529
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When our heads are bowed with woe—597

SAXONY.

L.M. Old German Chorale, 16th cent.





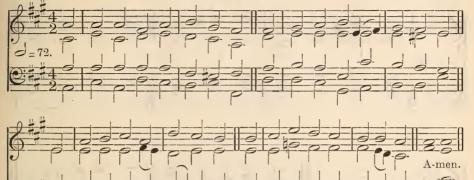
p OD of our life, to Thee we call;
Afflicted at Thy feet we fall;
When the great water-floods prevail,
Leave not our trembling hearts to fail.

- mf Amidst the roaring of the sea
 Our souls still hang their hopes on Thee:
 Thy constant love, Thy faithful care,
 Alone can save us from despair.
 - p Friend of the friendless and the faint, Where should we lodge our deep complaint?
 - cr Where, but with Thee, Whose open door Invites the helpless and the poor?
- mf Did ever mourner plead with Thee, And Thou refuse that mourner's plea? Does not the word still fixed remain That none shall seek Thy face in vain?
 - p Then hear, O Lord, our humble cry, And bend on us Thy pitying eye:
- cr To Thee their prayer Thy people make:
- p Hear us, for our Redeemer's sake.



BRESLAU.

L.M. CLAUDER'S Psalmodia nova, 1630.



mf O THOU, Whom heavenly Hosts obey,
How long shall Thy fierce anger burn?
How long Thy suffering people pray,
And to their prayers have no return?

Thou broughtst a vine from Egypt's land, And, casting out the heathen race, Didst plant it with Thine own right hand, And firmly fix it in their place.

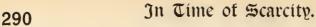
To Thee, O God of Hosts, we pray;
Thy wonted goodness, Lord, renew;
From heaven, Thy throne, this vine survey,
And her sad state with pity view.

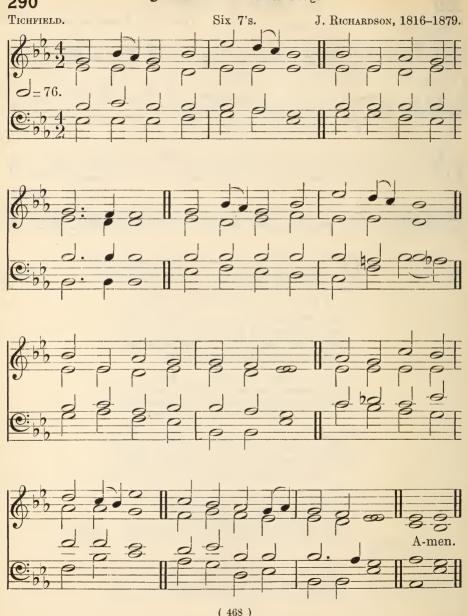
Behold the vineyard made by Thee,
Which Thy right hand did guard so long;
And keep that branch from danger free,
Which for Thyself Thou mad'st so strong.

p Do Thou convert us, Lord; do Thou
cr The lustre of Thy face display;
And all the ills we suffer now,
f Like scattered clouds, shall pass away. Amen.

Also the following:

From foes that would the land devour—408 God moves in a mysterious way—416 When the dark waves round us roll—598





In Time of Scarcity.

mf WHAT our Father does is well:

Blessèd truth His children tell!

Though He send, for plenty, want,

Though the harvest-store be scant,

Yet we rest upon His love,

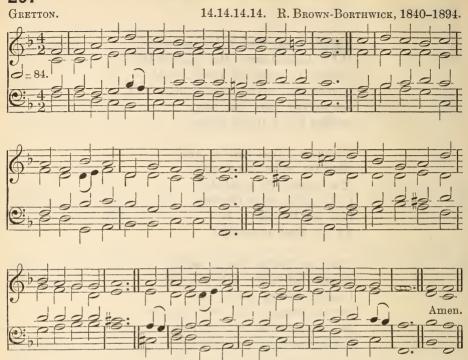
Seeking better things above.

What our Father does is well: Shall the wilful heart rebel? If a blessing He withhold In the field, or in the fold, Is it not Himself to be All our Store eternally?

What our Father does is well: Though He sadden hill and dell, Upward yet our praises rise For the strength His word supplies; He has called us sons of God, Can we murmur at His rod?

What our Father does is well:
May the thought within us dwell;
Though nor milk nor honey flow
In our barren Canaan now,
f God can save us in our need,
God can bless us, God can feed.

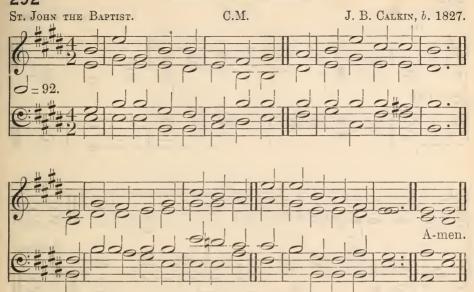
f Therefore unto Him we raise
Hymns of glory, songs of praise;
To the Father, and the Son,
And the Spirit, Three in One,
Honour, might, and glory be,
Now, and through eternity. Amen.



P CREAT King of nations, hear our prayer, while at Thy feet we fall, And humbly, with united cry, to Thee for mercy call; The guilt is ours, but grace is Thine; Oh turn us not away, But hear us from Thy lofty throne, and help us when we pray.

Our fathers' sins were manifold, and ours no less, we own; Yet wondrously from age to age Thy goodness hath been shown; When dangers, like a stormy sea, beset our country round, To Thee we looked, to Thee we cried, and help in Thee was found.

With one consent we meekly bow beneath Thy chastening hand, And, pouring forth confession meet, mourn with our mourning land; With pitying eye behold our need, as thus we lift our prayer, Correct us with Thy judgments, Lord, then let Thy mercy spare. Amen.



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f GREAT God of Hosts, our ears have heard,
Our fathers oft have told,
What wonders Thou hast done for them,
Thy glorious deeds of old.

mf Not by their might was safety wrought,Nor victory by their sword;f But Thou didst guard the chosen raceWho Thy great Name adored.

mf Great God of Hosts! their God, and ours;
Our only Lord and King;
Let Thy right arm which fought for them
To us salvation bring.

f To Thee the glory we'll ascribe, By Whom the conquest came, And, in triumphant songs of praise, Will celebrate Thy Name. Amen.



f TET God arise to lead forth

those

Who march to war! Let God arise, and all His foes Be scattered far!

p Grant strength to those, who mourn to-day

Their loved ones lost, Yea, those who give their best, nor stay To count the cost.

mf So Israel prayed, and Thou, O Lord, f Fight Thou for us, that we may fill Thy courts with praise; Wast with him then:

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Be with us now, who draw the sword mf Then teach us mercy, teach us still The fallen to raise. For war again.

f Grant Thou our soldiers courage high p Yet more and more, as ages run, When foes are near,

dim To strive, to suffer, or to die cr Untouched by fear.

Bid warfare cease.

And give to all beneath the sun Love, Freedom, Peace. Amen. ST. GREGORY.

L.M.

Darmstadt Gesangbuch, 1698.





- mf O GOD of love, O King of peace,
 Make wars throughout the world to cease;
 The wrath of sinful man restrain;
 p Give peace, O God, give peace again.
- mf Remember, Lord, Thy works of old,
 The wonders that our fathers told;
 Remember not our sin's dark stain,
 p Give peace, O God, give peace again.
- mf Whom shall we trust but Thee, O Lord?
 Where rest but on Thy faithful word?
 None ever called on Thee in vain;
 p Give peace, O God, give peace again.
- mf Where Saints and Angels dwell above,
 All hearts are knit in holy love;
 Oh, bind us in that heavenly chain;
 p Give peace, O God, give peace again. Amen.



May also be sung to "Innsbruck," No. 498.
(474)

In Time of War.

of O LORD our Banner, God of might,
Who wast with Joshua in the fight,
And Moses on the hill,
Be with Thy servants far away,
Their shield by night, their guide by day,
To succour them from ill.

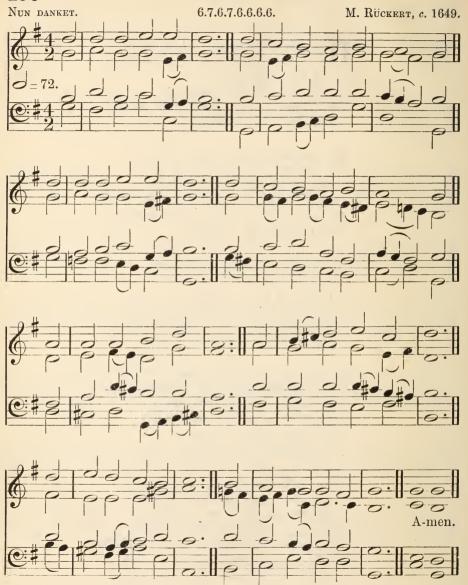
For husband, brother, son, and sire,
We raise up hands that never tire
On this our mount of prayer;

p Thou knowest, we but dimly guess,
The day's long toil, the night's distress,
And all they do and bear.

mf The battle's issue hangs on Thee;
In Thy firm hand the scales we see
Of mortal loss and gain:
And tidings carried swift as thought
'Twixt land and land to Thee are nought
But Thine own will made plain.

f Giver of strength, Oh! bless and aid
Thy servants 'gainst the foe arrayed;
Go forth with them to fight!
In battle's storm their shelter be;
Thy Spirit grant, of unity,
Of counsel, and of might.

p Watch o'er the wounded in the field,
And, where the sick and dying yield
Their souls, do Thou be nigh!
Give peace within the heart distressed,
And peace on earth, (cr) and, last and best,
mf Thy peace beyond the sky. Amen.



Thanksgiving.

Now thank we all our God,
With heart, and hands, and voices,
Who wondrous things hath done,
In Whom His world rejoices;
Who from our mother's arms
Hath blessed us on our way
With countless gifts of love,
And still is ours to-day

p Oh! may this bounteous God
 Through all our life be near us,
 With ever-joyful hearts
 And blessèd peace to cheer us;
 And keep us in His grace,
 And guide us when perplexed,
 And free us from all ills
 In this world and the next.

ff All praise and thanks to God
The Father now be given,
The Son, and Him Who reigns
With Them in highest heaven!
The One Eternal God,
Whom earth and heaven adore;
For thus it was, is now,
And shall be evermore! Amen.



Thanksgiving.

REJOICE to-day with one accord,
Sing out with exultation;
Rejoice and praise our mighty Lord,
Whose arm hath brought salvation;
His works of love proclaim
The greatness of His Name;
For He is God alone
Who hath His mercy shown;
Let all His Saints adore Him!

p When in distress to Him we cried,
He heard our sad complaining;
cr Oh trust in Him, whate'er betide,
His love is all-sustaining;
f Triumphant songs of praise
To Him our hearts shall raise;
Now every voice shall say,
"Oh praise our God alway!"
Let all His Saints adore Him!

f Rejoice to-day with one accord,
Sing out with exultation:
Rejoice and praise our mighty Lord,
Whose arm hath brought salvation;
His works of love proclaim
The greatness of His Name;
For He is God alone
Who hath His mercy shown;
Let all His Saints adore Him!



Also the following:

All people that on earth do dwell—357
Before Jehovah's awful throne—368
Before the Lord we bow—369
Let all the world in every corner sing—457
Oh come, loud anthems let us sing—516
Oh worship the King—525
Praise, my soul, the King of heaven—532

Praise the Lord! ye heavens, adore Him—533 Praise to God, immortal praise—306 Rejoice, the Lord is King!—537 Sing to the Lord a joyful song—545 The strain upraise of joy and praise—560 Through all the changing scenes of life—576 When all Thy mercies, O my God—592



In time of Victory.

f PRAISE the Lord: to-day we raise
Hymns of thankfulness and praise.
After sorrow's night forlorn
Brightly breaks a joyful morn.
For our soldiers' duty done,
For our triumph nobly won,

ff Lift your boosts with one accord

ff Lift your hearts with one accord, Lift your hearts, and praise the Lord!

mf For the souls with high intent From our world-wide Empire sent, Fearless, faithful, tender, true, Strong to suffer, strong to do,

cr All their powers with all their might Spending freely for the right,

f Lift your hearts with one accord, Lift your hearts, and praise the Lord!

mf God can give, and God alone, From the seed in conflict sown Harvest time of fair increase, Freedom, brotherhood, and peace.

cr For the joy that springs from tears, For the hope of coming years,

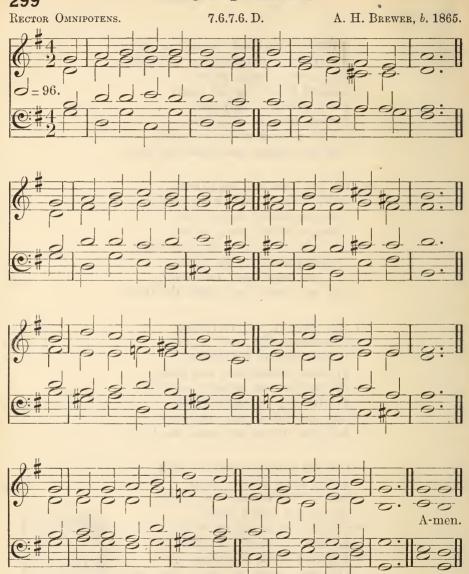
ff Lift your hearts with one accord, Lift your hearts, and praise the Lord!

f O'er the earth from pole to pole, Far as ocean's billows roll, One with us in heart and voice All our kin to-day rejoice.

cr For the love that links in one All our kin beneath the sun,

ff Lift your hearts with one accord, Lift your hearts, and praise the Lord!





May also be sung to "Kreuznach," No. 493.

for Peace.

Through stress, and storm, and strife;

Though not in fire and earthquake
And mighty tempests' roar,
Thou speak'st in still small accents
When thunders crash no more.

p When storms of war were rolling
We bowed our heads in dust,
With penitence and sorrow,
With humbleness and trust
cr We felt Thy judgments near us,
To Thee we made our prayer,
Ourselves and ours commending
In patience to Thy care.

mf And now the clouds are lifting,

The darkness rolls apart,

The tender light is dawning

Of peace within the heart;

p We see the homes around us

By many a sorrow torn,

cr But that soft voice of comfort

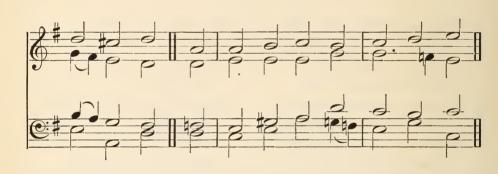
dim Cries "Blest are they that

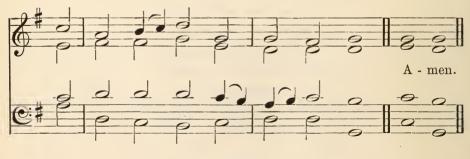
mourn."

P Yea, blest are the departed
Who in the Lord repose—
All brethren in Christ Jesus,
And friends who once were foes.
They rest from all their labours,
From famine, hardships, pain,
cr Till God's last trumpet, sounding,
f Shall bid them rise again.

mf Oh grant us, Lord, the blessing
Of those who make for peace;
Be wisdom ours and mercy
As days and years increase,
f Through Him that overcometh,
And sits enthroned above,
ff Crowned with the crown of triumph
For victories of love. Amen.







For Mational Blessings.

f PRAISE to our God, Whose bounteous hand Prepared of old our glorious land;
A garden fenced with silver sea;
A people prosperous, strong and free.

Praise to our God; through all our past His mighty arm hath held us fast; Till wars and perils, toils and tears, Have brought the rich and peaceful years.

Praise to our God; the Vine He set Within our coasts is fruitful yet; On many a shore her seedlings grow; 'Neath many a sun her clusters glow.

Praise to our God; His power alone Can keep unmoved our ancient throne; Sustained by counsels wise and just, And guarded by a people's trust.

Praise to our God; though chastenings stern Our evil dross should throughly burn; His rod and staff, from age to age, Shall rule and guide His heritage! Amen.

Also the following:
Before the Lord we how—369



Barvest.

f COME, ye thankful people, come,
Raise the song of Harvest-home!
All is safely gathered in,
Ere the winter-storms begin:

mf God, our Maker, doth provide For our wants to be supplied:—

f Come to God's own temple, come.
Raise the song of Harvest-home!

mf All the world is God's own field,
Fruit unto His praise to yield;
Wheat and tares together sown,
Unto joy or sorrow grown;
First the blade, and then the ear,
Then the full corn shall appear:
p Lord of harvest, grant that we
Wholesome grain and pure may be.

mf For the Lord our God shall come,
And shall take His harvest home;
From His field shall in that day
All offences purge away;

p Give His Angels charge at last In the fire the tares to cast;

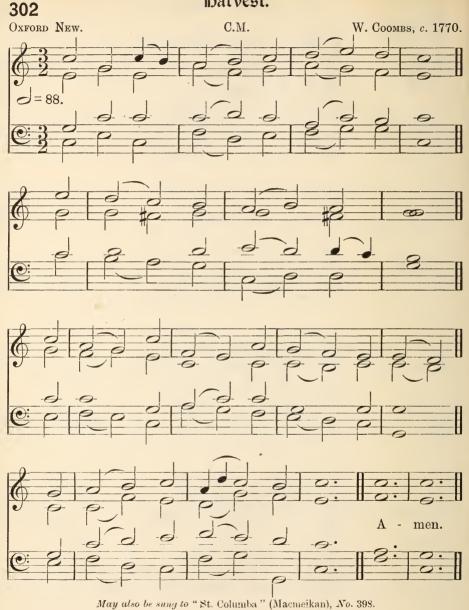
f But the fruitful ears to store In His garner evermore.

mf Even so, Lord, quickly come To Thy final Harvest-home!

cr Gather Thou Thy people in,
Free from sorrow, free from sin;
There, for ever purified,
In Thy Presence to abide:

f Come, with all Thine Angels, come, Raise the glorious Harvest-home! Amen.





Barvest.

The rolling seasons as they move

Proclaim Thy constant care.

When in the bosom of the earth
The sower hid the grain,
Thy goodness marked its secret birth,
And sent the early rain.

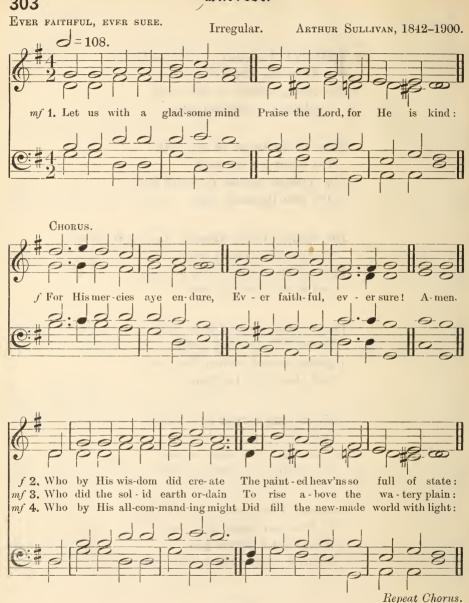
The Spring's sweet influence, Lord, was Thine,
The plants in beauty grew;
Thou gav'st refulgent suns to shine,
And mild, refreshing dew.

These various mercies from above
Matured the swelling grain;
A golden harvest crowns Thy love,
And plenty fills the plain.

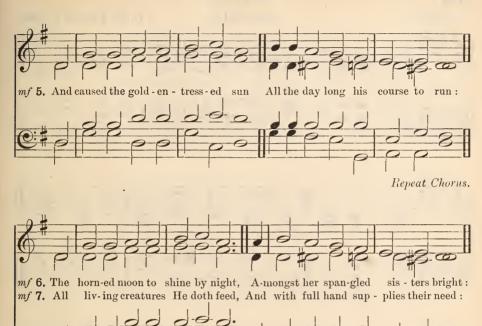
Seed-time and harvest Thou alone Dost, Lord, on man bestow; Let him not then forget to own From Whom his blessings flow.

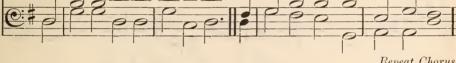
f Fountain of love! our praise is Thine,
To Thee our songs we'll raise;
And all created Nature join
In sweet harmonious praise. Amen.

Tharvest.



Tharvest.





Repeat Chorus.



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barvest.

mf L ORD of the harvest! Thee we hail;
Thine ancient promise doth not fail;
The varying seasons haste their round;
With goodness all our years are crowned;
f Our thanks we pay,
This holy day;
p Oh let our hearts in tune be found!

mf When Spring doth wake the song of mirth,
When Summer warms the fruitful earth,
When Winter sweeps the naked plain,
Or Autumn yields its ripened grain,—
Still do we sing
To Thee, our King;
Through all their changes Thou dost reign.

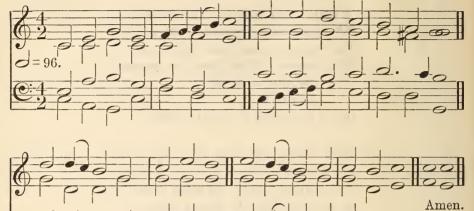
But chiefly when Thy liberal hand
Scatters new plenty o'er the land,
When sounds of music fill the air,
As homeward all their treasures bear;
We too will raise
Our hymn of praise,
For we Thy common bounties share.

f Lord of the harvest! all is Thine;
The rains that fall, the suns that shine,
The seed once hidden in the ground,
The skill that makes our fruits abound;
New, every year,
Thy gifts appear;
New praises from our lips shall sound. Amen.

marvest.

Monkland.

German Melody. 7.7.7.7. Arranged by J. Wilkes, c. 1860.



f PRAISE, Oh praise our God and Hymns of adoration sing; [King; For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.

mf Praise Him that He made the sun Day by day his course to run;

- f For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.
- p And the silver moon by night, Shining with her gentle light;
- f For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.

mf Praise Him that He gave the rain To mature the swelling grain;

f For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure;

- mf And hath bid the fruitful field Crops of precious increase yield;
 - f For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.

ff Praise Him for our harvest-store, He hath filled the garner-floor: For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.

p And for richer Food than this,

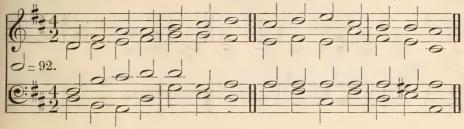
cr Pledge of everlasting bliss;

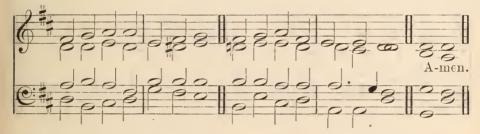
- f For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.
- ff Glory to our bounteous King; Glory let creation sing; Glory to the Father, Son, And Blest Spirit, Three in One.

Amen.

LÜBECK.

7.7.7. Freylinghausen's Gesangbuch, 1704.





f PRAISE to God, immortal praise,
For the love that crowns our days;
Bounteous source of every joy,
Let Thy praise our tongues employ:

For the blessings of the fields, For the stores the garden yields, Flocks that whiten all the plain, Yellow sheaves of ripened grain:

All the Spring with bounteous hand Scatters o'er the smiling land: All that liberal Autumn pours, From her rich o'erflowing stores: These to Thee, my God, we owe: Source whence all our blessings flow; And for these, my soul shall raise Grateful vows and solemn praise.

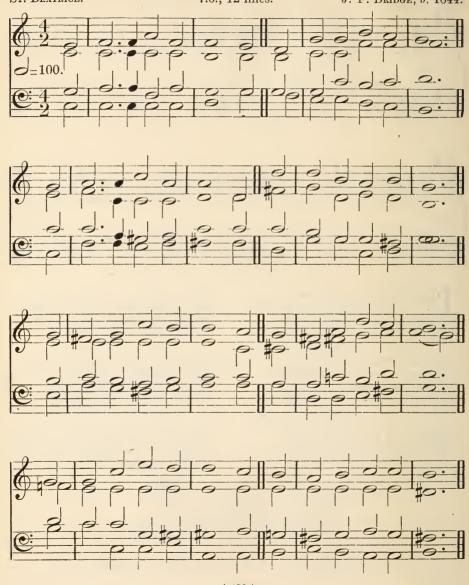
- mf*Yet should rising whirlwinds tear
 From its stem the ripening ear;
 Should the fig-tree's blasted shoot
 Drop her green untimely fruit;
 - * Should the vine put forth no more, Nor the olive yield her store; [fall, Though the sickening flocks should And the herds desert the stall;
- f * Yet, to Thee, my soul should raise
 Grateful vows and solemn praise;
 And when every blessing's flown,
 Love Thee for Thyself alone. Amen.

^{*} These verses to be sung in time of Dearth and Famine.

St. Beatrice.

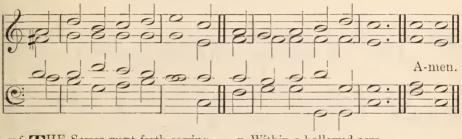
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J. F. BRIDGE, b. 1844.



barvest.





mf THE Sower went forth sowing,
The seed in secret slept
Through days of faith and patience,
Till out the green blade crept;
And warmed by golden sunshine
And fed by silver rain,
At left the fields green whitened

At last the fields were whitened To harvest once again.

f Oh praise the heavenly Sower, Who gave the fruitful seed, And watched and watered duly, And ripened for our need.

mf Behold! the heavenly Sower
Goes forth with better seed,
The word of sure Salvation,
With feet and hands that bleed;
Here in His Church 'tis scattered,
Our spirits are the soil;
Then let an ample fruitage
Repay His pain and toil.

f Oh, beautiful the harvest
 Wherein all goodness thrives,
 And this the true thanksgiving,
 The first-fruits of our lives.

Within a hallowed acre
 He sows yet other grain,
 When peaceful earth receiveth
 The dead He died to gain;

cr For though the growth be hidden, We know that they shall rise; Yea, even now they ripen

Yea, even now they ripen
In sunny Paradise.

f O summer land of harvest,

O fields for ever white With souls that wear Christ's raiment, With crowns of golden light!

mf One day the heavenly Sower
Shall reap where He hath sown,
And come again rejoicing,

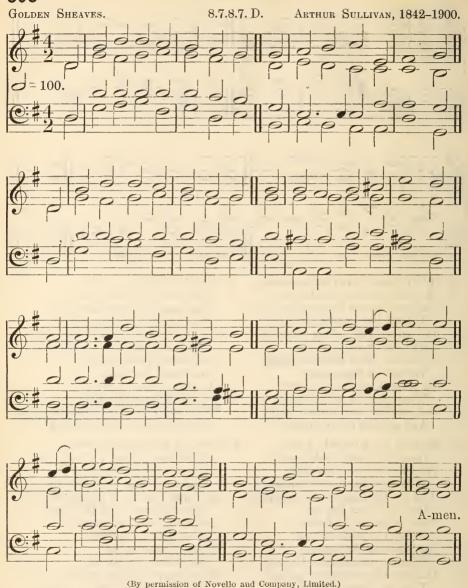
And with Him bring His own;

p And then the fan of judgment Shall winnow from His floor

The chaff into the furnace
That flameth evermore.

O holy, awful Reaper, Have mercy in the day Thou puttest in Thy sickle,

And cast us not away. Amen.



Tharvest.

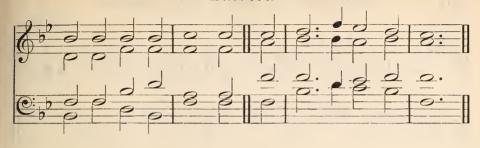
f TO Thee, O Lord, our hearts we raise,
In hymns of adoration;
To Thee bring sacrifice of praise,
With shouts of exultation.
Bright robes of gold the fields adorn,
The hills with joy are ringing;
The valleys stand so thick with corn,
That even they are singing.

mf And now, on this our festal day,
Thy bounteous hand confessing,
Upon Thine Altar, Lord, we lay
The first-fruits of Thy blessing:
By Thee the souls of men are fed
With gifts of grace supernal
Thou Who dost give us daily bread,
Give us the Bread Eternal.

p We bear the burden of the day,
And often toil seems dreary,
But labour ends with sunset ray,
And rest is for the weary:
May we, the Angel-reaping o'er,
Stand at the last accepted,
Christ's golden sheaves for evermore
To garners bright elected!

mf Oh! blessèd is that land of God,
Where Saints abide for ever;
Where golden fields spread fair and broad,
Where flows the crystal river.
cr The strains of all its holy throng
With ours to-day are blending;
f Thrice blessèd is that harvest-song
Which never hath an ending! Amen.

309 WIR PELÜGEN. 7.6.7.6. D, 6.6.8.4. J. A. P. Schulz, 1747-1800.





But it is fed and watered
By God's almighty hand;
He sends the snow in winter,
The warmth to swell the grain,
The breezes, and the sunshine,
And soft refreshing rain.

All good gifts around us

Are gent from become above

X7E plough the fields and scatter

Are sent from heaven above, Then thank the Lord, Oh! thank For all His love. [the Lord,

mf He only is the Maker
Of all things near and far;
He paints the wayside flower,
He lights the evening star;
The winds and waves obey Him,
By Him the birds are fed;

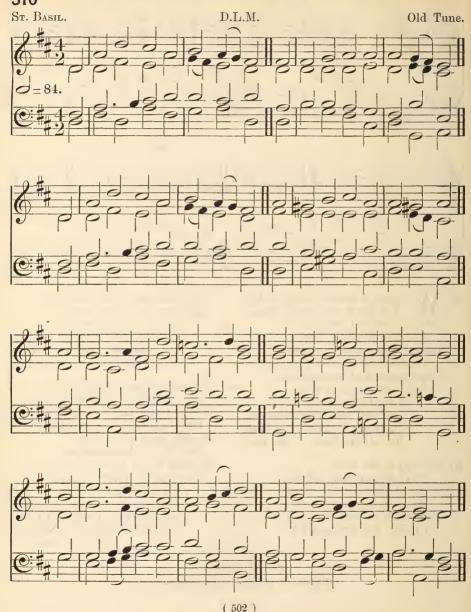
Much more to us, His children,
He gives our daily bread.
All good gifts around us
Are sent from heaven above,
Then thank the Lord, Oh! thank
For all His love. [the Lord,

mf We thank Thee, then, O Father,
For all things bright and good,
The seed-time and the harvest,
Our life, our health, our food.
No gifts have we to offer
For all Thy love imparts,
But that which Thou desirest,
Our humble, thankful hearts.

All good gifts around us
Are sent from heaven above,
Then thank the Lord, Oh! thank
For all His love. [the Lord,
Amen.

Also the following:
O Hand of bounty, largely spread—490





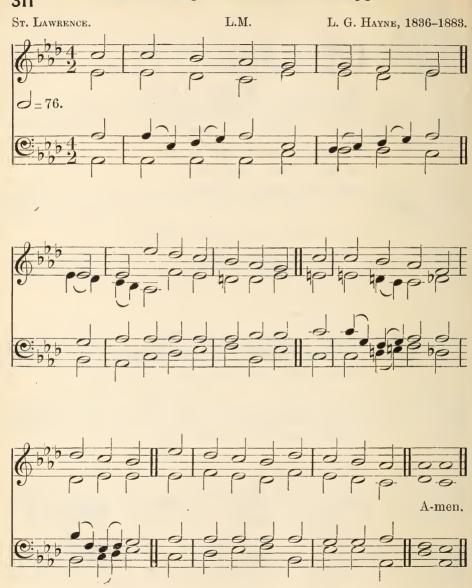
Ember Days, and for the Clergy.

Mf L ORD, cause Thy face on us to shine;
Give us Thy peace, and seal us Thine:
Teach us to prize the means of grace,
And love Thy earthly dwelling-place;
May we in truth our sins confess,
Worship the Lord in holiness,
And all Thy power and glory see,
Within Thy hallowed sanctuary.

Bless all whose voice salvation brings,
Who minister in holy things:
Our bishops, priests, and deacons bless:
Clothe them with zeal and righteousness.
Let many in the judgment day,
Turned from the error of their way,
Their hope, their joy, their crown appear;
Save those who preach and those who hear.

- p O King of Salem, Prince of Peace, Bid strife among Thy subjects cease:
- cr One is our faith, and One our Lord:One body, Spirit, hope, reward;One God and Father of us all,On Whom Thy Church and people call.
- f Oh may we one communion be, One with each other and with Thee.





Ember Days, and for the Clergy.

mf O THOU Who makest souls to shine
With light from brighter worlds above,
And droppest glistening dew divine
On all who seek a Saviour's love;

Do Thou Thy benediction give
On all who teach, on all who learn,
That all Thy Church may holier live,
And every lamp more brightly burn.

Give those that teach pure hearts and wise, Faith, hope, and love, all warmed by prayer: Themselves first training for the skies, They best will raise their people there.

Give those that learn the willing ear, The spirit meek, the guileless mind; Such gifts will make the lowliest here Far better than a kingdom find.

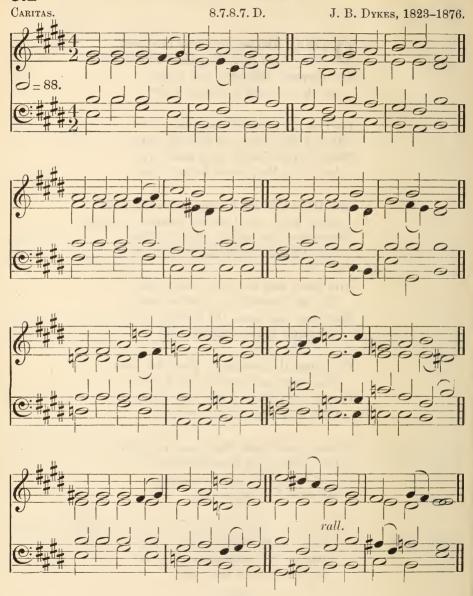
Oh! bless the shepherd; bless the sheep; That guide and guided both be one; One in the faithful watch they keep Until this hurrying life be done.

If thus, good Lord, Thy grace be given, Our glory meets us ere we die; Before we upward pass to heaven We taste our immortality. Amen.

Also the following:

Pour out Thy Spirit from on high—531 Ye servants of the Lord—608





Almsgiving.

mf LORD of Glory, Who hast bought us
With Thy Life-blood as the price,
Never grudging for the lost ones
That tremendous Sacrifice,
And with that hast freely given
Blessings, countless as the sand,
To the unthankful and the evil
With Thine own unsparing hand;

P Grant us hearts, dear Lord, to yield Thee Gladly, freely of Thine own; With the sunshine of Thy goodness Melt our thankless hearts of stone;
Cr Till our cold and selfish natures, Warmed by Thee, at length believe f That more happy and more blessèd 'Tis to give than to receive.

mf Wondrous honour hast Thou given
To our humblest charity
In Thine own mysterious sentence,
"Ye have done it unto Me."
Can it be, O gracious Master,
Thou dost deign for alms to sue,
Saying by Thy poor and needy,
"Give as I have given to you?"

mf Yes: the sorrow and the suffering,
Which on every hand we see,
Channels are for tithes and offerings
Due by solemn right to Thee;
Right of which we may not rob Thee,
Debt we may not choose but pay,
Lest that face of love and pity
Turn from us another day.

mf Lord of Glory, Who hast bought us
With Thy Life-blood as the price,
Never grudging for the lost ones
That tremendous Sacrifice,
cr Give us faith, to trust Thee boldly,
Hope, to stay our souls on Thee;
f But, Oh best of all Thy graces,
dim Give us Thine own charity.



ALMSGIVING.

8.8.8.4.

J. B. DYKES, 1823-1876.





How shall we show our love to Thee, Giver of all?

Lord of heaven and earth and sea, mf Thou giv'st the Holy Spirit's dower, To Thee all praise and glory be; Spirit of life, and love, and power. And dost His sevenfold graces shower Upon us all.

mf The golden sunshine, vernal air, Sweet flowers and fruits, Thy love declare:

Where harvests ripen, Thou art there, Giver of all!

For souls redeemed, for sins forgiven, For means of grace, and hopes of heaven,

cr Father, what can to Thee be given, Who givest all?

For peaceful homes and healthful days, For all the blessings earth displays,

cr We owe Thee thankfulness and praise, Giver of all!

- p We lose what on ourselves we spend:
- f We have as treasure without end Whatever, Lord, to Thee we lend, Who givest all!
- p Thou didst not spare Thine only Son, But gav'st Him for a world undone,
- cr And freely with that Blessèd One Thou givest all!

f To Thee, from Whom we all derive Our life, our gifts, our power to give, Oh, may we ever with Thee live, Giver of all! Amen.

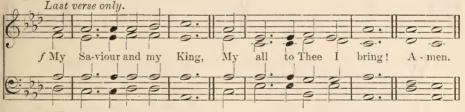




J. W. Elliott, b. 1833







Thy Life was given for me!
Thy Blood, O Lord, was shed

cr That I might ransomed be,

And quickened from the dead.

inf Thy Life was given for me:-

P What have I given for Thee?

P Long years were spent for me In weariness and woe,

cr That through eternity

Thy glory I might know.

p Long years were spent for me:— Have I spent one for Thee?

mf Thy Father's home of light
Thy rainbow-circled Throne,

dim Were left for earthly night,
For wanderings sad and lone.
Yea, all was left for me:—

p Have I left aught for Thee?

p Thou, Lord, hast borne for me More than my tongue can tell Of bitterest agony,

To rescue me from hell.

Thou sufferedst all for me:—

P What have I borne for Thee?

f And Thou hast brought to me Down from Thy home above

Salvation full and free,

Thy pardon and Thy love.

Great gifts Thou broughtest me:—
What have I brought to Thee?

p What have I brought to Thee?

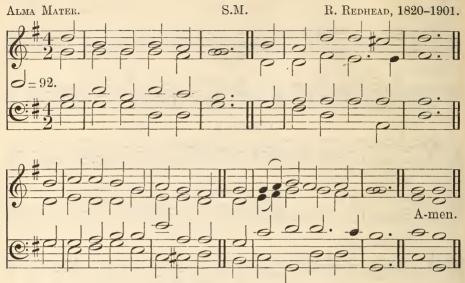
mf Oh, let my life be given,

My years for Thee be spent World-fetters all be riven,

And joy with suffering blent; f My Saviour and my King,

My all to Thee I bring! Amen.

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omf WE give Thee but Thine own,
Whate'er the gift may be:
All that we have is Thine alone,
A trust, O Lord, from Thee.

May we Thy bounties thus
As stewards true receive,
And gladly, as Thou blessest us,
To Thee our first-fruits give.

Oh! hearts are bruised and dead;
 And homes are bare and cold;
 And lambs for whom the Shepherd bled
 Are straying from the fold!

cr To comfort and to bless,
To find a balm for woe,
To tend the lone and fatherless,
Is Angels' work below.

mf The captive to release,
To God the lost to bring,
To teach the way of life and peace,—
It is a Christ-like thing.

f And we believe Thy word,

p Though dim our faith may be, cr Whate'er for Thine we do. O Lord.

cr Whate'er for Thine we do, O Lord f We do it unto Thee. Amen.

Also the following:

Jesu, our Lord, how rich Thy grace!—444 O God of mercy, God of might—486 O King of kings, before Whose throne—496 CAIRNBROOK.

8.5.8.3.

Е. Ркоит, в. 1835.





TOLY Father, in Thy mercy Hear our anxious prayer, Keep our loved ones, now far absent, 'Neath Thy care.

mf May the joy of Thy salvation Be their strength and stay; May they love and may they praise Thee Day by day.

Jesus, Saviour, let Thy Presence Be their light and guide;

p Holy Spirit, let Thy teaching · Sanctify their life; Keep, Oh keep them, in their weakness, cr Send Thy grace, that they may conquer

In the strife.

At Thy side.

p When in sorrow, when in danger,

When in loneliness,

mf Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, God the One in Three, [keep them

In Thy love look down and comfort Their distress.

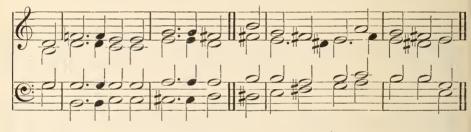
Near to Thee. Amen.

Bless them, guide them, save them,



8.8.8.8. 8.8. J. B. Dykes, 1823-1876.







ETERNAL Father! strong to save, mf O Sacred Spirit! Who didst brood Whose arm doth bind the rest- Upon the chaos dark and rude, less wave.

Who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep Its own appointed limits keep:

Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee For those in peril on the sea!

mf O Saviour! Whose almighty word The winds and waves submissive heard.

cr Who walkedst on the foaming deep, dim And calm amid its rage didst sleep:

Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee For those in peril on the sea!

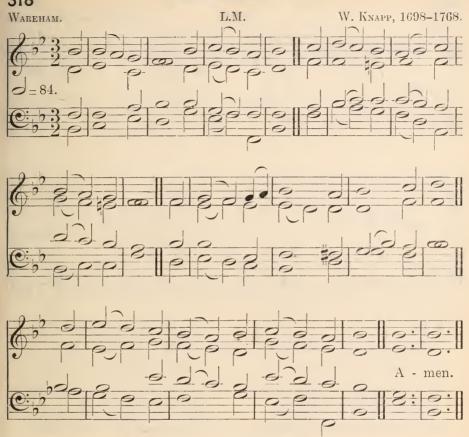
Who bad'st its angry tumult cease, And gavest light and life and peace:

Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee For those in peril on the sea!

mf O Trinity of love and power! Our brethren shield in danger's hour; From rock and tempest, fire and foe, Protect them wheresoe'er they go;

And ever let there rise to Thee crGlad hymns of praise from land and sea. Amen.

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May also be sung to "Rockingham," No. 256.

mf ALMIGHTY Father, hear our cry, As o'er the trackless deep we roam;

Be Thou our haven always nigh, On homeless waters Thou our home.

p O Jesus, Saviour, at Whose voice The tempest sank to perfect rest,

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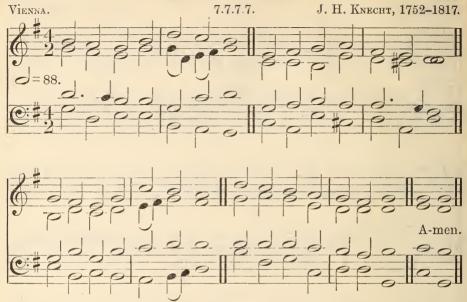
cr Bid Thou the fearful heart rejoice,
And cleanse and calm the troubled
breast.

p O Holy Ghost, beneath Whose power cr The ocean woke to life and light, Command Thy blessing in this hour,

Thy fostering warmth, Thy quickening might!

f Great God, Triune Jehovah, Thee
We love, we worship, we adore;
Our Refuge on time's changeful sea,
Our Joy on heaven's eternal shore.

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 mf O^{N} the waters dark and drear, Jesus, Saviour, Thou art near; With our ship where'er it roam, As with loving friends at home.

Only by Thy power and love Fit us for the port above; dim Still the deadly storm within, Gusts of passion, waves of sin.

Thou hast walked the heaving wave; Thou art mighty still to save;

- p With one gentle word of peace Thou canst bid the tempest cease.
- mf Safely from the boisterous main Bring us back to port again; In our haven we shall be, Jesu, if we have but Thee.
- f So when breaks the glorious dawn Of the Resurrection morn, When the night of toil is o'er, We shall see Thee on the shore.
- f Holy Father, Holy Son, Holy Spirit, Three in One; Praise unending unto Thee Now and evermore shall be.

Also the following:

Fierce raged the tempest o'er the deep-399 Fierce was the wild billow-400

And in the case of a Burial at Sea: Now the labourer's task is o'er-284





LMIGHTY God, Whose Only Son O'er sin and death the triumph won.

And ever lives to intercede For souls who Thy sweet mercy need;

In His dear Name to Thee we pray For all who err and go astray, For sinners, wheresoe'er they be, Who do not serve and honour Thee. And some within Thy sacred fold To holy things are dead and cold, And waste the precious hours of life

In selfish ease, or toil, or strife:

And many a quickened soul within There lurks the secret love of sin, A wayward will, or anxious fears, Or lingering taint of bygone years.

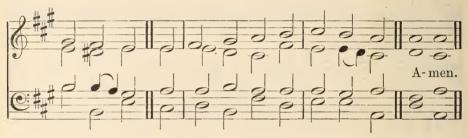
p There are who never yet have heard mf Oh give repentance true and deep The tidings of Thy blessed word, But still in heathen darkness dwell, Without one thought of heaven or hell;

To all Thy lost and wandering sheep, And kindle in their hearts the fire Of holy love and pure desire.

f That so from Angel-hosts above May rise a sweeter song of love, And we, with all the Blest, adore Thy Name, O God, for evermore.







JESU, Lord, Thy Cross I see, In love endured, and all for me, cr That I might saved and rescued be.

cr Yea, Thou wilt show me, for I flee From all my past, to hide in Thee. Take Thou my life and set it free.

mf Yea, all for me; that sin should cease, p Glad peace in Thee exceeding sweet, And life be filled, and love increase, p Unto Thine own eternal peace.

To rest one moment at Thy feet,

mf What can I give, or what desire?

cr To know the joy of hope complete,

Thy words alone my thoughts incr And lift both hope and purpose

mf New life to find, in powers that blend.

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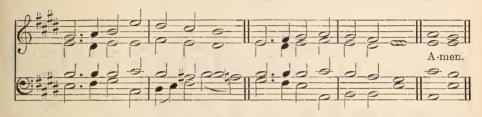
To work one work, to gain one end, Through days of love, which Thou shalt send.

p 'Tis Thine own call that bids me come, p With all my griefs, though great their sum, And learn what life may yet become.

Oh, grant me, Jesu, so to go, And in Thy life for ever grow, And joy fulfilled in Thine to know.

cr That so, my Saviour, life may be One offering holy; let me see, In all I give, Thy gift for me. Amen.





COLDIERS of the Cross, arise! Gird you with your armour bright; mf Carry truth's unsullied ray; Mighty are your enemies, Hard the battle ye must fight.

p Where the shadows deepest lie, v Where are crimes of blackest dve. mf There the saving sign display.

mf O'er a faithless fallen world Raise your banner in the sky: Let it float there wide unfurled; Bear it onward; lift it high.

p To the weary and the worn mf Tell of realms where sorrows cease; p To the outcast and forlorn mf Speak of mercy and of peace.

p 'Mid the homes of want and woe, Strangers to the living word, cr Let the Saviour's herald go. Let the voice of hope be heard.

p Guard the helpless; seek the strayed; Comfort troubles; banish grief; mf In the might of God arrayed. Scatter sin and unbelief.

cr Be the banner still unfurled, Still unsheathed the Spirit's sword, f Till the kingdoms of the world Are the kingdom of the Lord. Amen.

Also the following: Approach, my soul, the Mercy-seat-362 Jesu, my Lord, my God, my All-442 Lord, I hear of showers of blessing-464

My God, my Father, dost Thou call-476 O for a closer walk with God-481 Take up thy cross, the Saviour said—551 Thy kingdom come, O God-578



May also be sung to "Aurelia" No. 553.

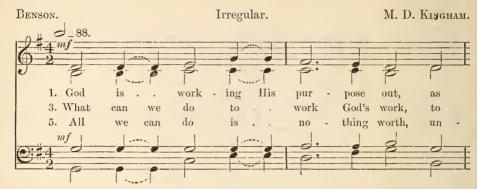
mf ROM Greenland's icy mountains,
From India's coral strand,
Where Afric's sunny fountains
Roll down their golden sand;
From many an ancient river,
From many a palmy plain,
They call us to deliver
Their land from error's chain.

What though the spicy breezes
Blow soft o'er Java's isle,
Though every prospect pleases,
And only man is vile;
In vain with lavish kindness
The gifts of God are strown;

p The heathen, in his blindness,
Bows down to wood and stone!

mf Can we, whose souls are lighted
With wisdom from on high,
Can we to men benighted
The lamp of life deny?
f Salvation! Oh, salvation!
The joyful sound proclaim,
Till each remotest nation
Has learned Messiah's Name.

f Waft, waft, ye winds, His story,
And you, ye waters, roll,
cr Till, like a sea of glory,
It spreads from pole to pole;
Till o'er our ransomed nature
The Lamb for sinners slain,
ff Redeemer, King, Creator,
In bliss returns to reign! Amen.

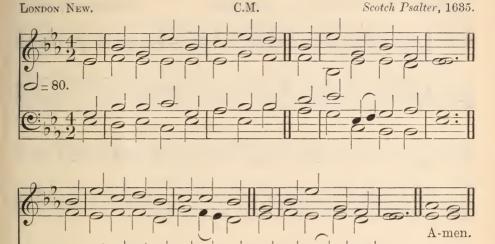












f L IFT up your heads, ye gates of Ye bars of iron, yield! [brass! And let the King of Glory pass;
The Cross is in the field!

mf That Banner, brighter than the star
That leads the train of night,
Shines on the march, and guides from
far
His servants to the fight.

A holy war those servants wage;
Mysteriously at strife
The powers of heaven and hell engage
For more than death or life.

Ye armies of the living God,
His sacramental host!
Where hallowed footstep never trod,
Take your appointed post.

Though few and small and weak your bands,
Strong in your Captain's strength,
Go to the conquest of all lands;
All must be His at length.

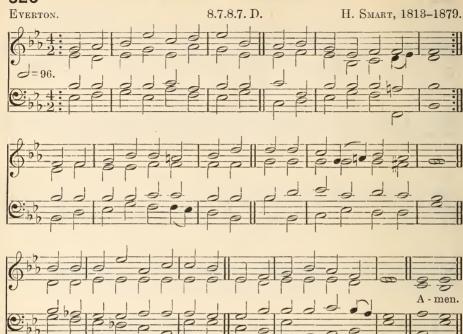
f Uplifted are the gates of brass,

The bars of iron yield;

Behold the King of Glory pass!

The Cross hath won the field!

Amen.



mf LORD, her watch Thy Church is keeping:

When shall earth Thy rule obey?
When shall end the night of weeping?
When shall break the promised day?

p See the whitening harvest languish, Waiting still the labourers' toil;

cr Was it vain—Thy Son's deep anguish? Shall the strong retain the spoil? p Tidings, sent to every creature,
Millions yet have never heard:
Can they hear without a preacher?
cr Lord Almighty, give the word!
f Give the word!—in every nation

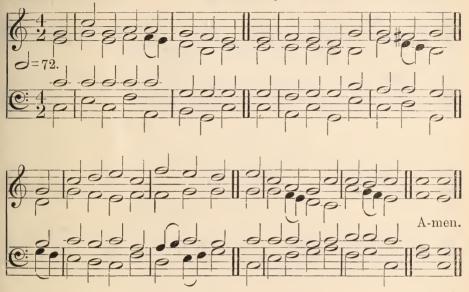
Let the gospel trumpet sound, Witnessing a world's salvation,

To the earth's remotest bound.

f Then the end! Thy Church completed,
All Thy chosen gathered in,
With their King in glory seated,
Satan bound, and banished sin;
p Gone for ever parting, weeping,
Hunger, sorrow, death, and pain:—
cr Lo! her watch Thy Church is keeping;
Come, Lord Jesus, come to reign! Amen.

WINCHESTER NEW.

L.M. Hamburger Musikalisches Handbuch, 1690.



SPIRIT of the living God, In all Thy plenitude of grace, Where'er the foot of man hath trod, Descend on our apostate race.

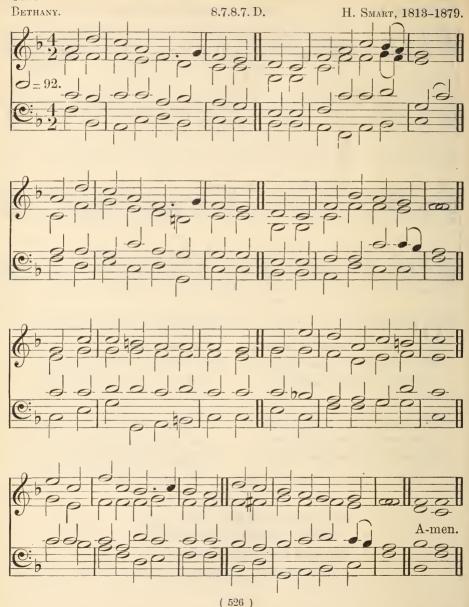
Be darkness, at Thy coming, light; Confusion, order in Thy path; [might; Souls without strength inspire with Bid mercy triumph over wrath.

Give tongues of fire and hearts of love, f Baptize the nations far and nigh, To preach the reconciling word; Give power and unction from above, Whene'er the joyful sound is heard.

The triumphs of the Cross record; The Name of Jesus glorify,

Till every kindred call Him Lord.

God from eternity hath willed All flesh shall His salvation see; So be the Father's love fulfilled, The Saviour's sufferings crowned through Thee. Amen.



mf SAVIOUR, sprinkle many nations, Fruitful let Thy sorrows be;
By Thy pains and consolations,
Draw the Gentiles unto Thee.
cr Of Thy Cross the wondrous story,
Be it to the nations told;
f Let them see Thee in Thy glory
And Thy mercy manifold.

mf Far and wide, though all unknowing,
Pants for Thee each mortal breast;
Human tears for Thee are flowing,
Human hearts in Thee would rest.
Thirsting as for dews of even,
As the new-mown grass for rain,
Thee they seek, as God of heaven,
Thee, as Man for sinners slain.

mf Saviour, lo! the isles are waiting,
Stretched the hand, and strained the sight,
For Thy Spirit new creating,
Love's pure flame and wisdom's light.
cr Give the word! and of the preacher
Speed the foot and touch the tongue,
f Till on earth by every creature
Glory to the Lamb be sung! Amen.



f TELL it out among the heathen that the Lord is King,
Tell it out, tell it out!

Tell it out among the national hid them shout and sing:

Tell it out among the nations, bid them shout and sing:

Tell it out, tell it out!

- mf Tell it out with adoration that He shall increase,
- cr That the mighty King of Glory is the King of Peace:
- f Tell it out with jubilation, though the waves may roar, That He sitteth on the waterfloods, our King for evermore.
- f Tell it out among the nations that the Saviour reigns,
 Tell it out, tell it out!

Tell it out among the heathen, bid them burst their chains,
Tell it out, tell it out!

- mf Tell it out among the weeping ones that Jesus lives;
 - cr Tell it out among the weary ones what rest He gives;
 - f Tell it out among the sinners that He came to save;
 Tell it out among the dying that He triumphed o'er the grave.
 - f Tell it out among the heathen Jesus reigns above,
 Tell it out, tell it out!

Tell it out among the nations that His reign is love:

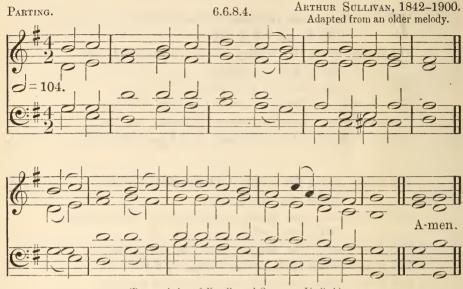
Tell it out, tell it out!

- mf Tell it out among the highways and the lanes at home;
- cr Let it ring across the mountains and the ocean foam;
- f Like the sound of many waters let our glad shout be, Till it echo and re-echo from the islands of the sea.



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For a Service of Farewell.



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WITH the sweet word of Peace
We bid our brethren go;
Peace as a river to increase,
And ceaseless flow.

With the calm word of Prayer
We earnestly commend
Our brethren to Thy watchful care,
Eternal Friend!

With the dear word of Love We give our brief farewell; Our love below, and Thine above, With them shall dwell.

With the strong word of Faith
 We stay ourselves on Thee,
 That Thou, O Lord, in life and death
 Their help shall be;

Then the bright word of Hope Shall on our parting gleam, And tell of joys beyond the scope Of earth-born dream.

Farewell! in hope and love,In faith and peace and prayer;Till He Whose home is ours aboveUnite us there! Amen.

Also the following:

God of mercy, God of grace—417 Hail to the Lord's Anointed—424 Jesus shall reign where'er the sun—452 Not by Thy mighty hand—113 The day Thou gavest, Lord, is ended—30 Thou, Whose Almighty word—574 Thy kingdom come, O God—578

Laying a Foundation Stone.

The following may be used:
Christ is made the sure Foundation—331 [Part II.]
Christ is our Corner-stone—375
The Church's One Foundation—553

Feast of the Dedication of a Church. 331 Mode II. Sarum. URBS BEATA (First Tune). To be sung in Unison.

Feast of the Dedication of a Church.

PART I.

BLESSED city, heavenly Salem,
Vision dear of peace and love,
Who of living stones art builded
In the height of heaven above,
And, with Angel-hosts encircled,
As a bride doth earthward move;

From celestial realms descending,
Bridal glory round thee shed, [thee,
Meet for Him Whose love espoused
To thy Lord shalt thou be led;
All thy streets, and all thy bulwarks
Of pure gold are fashioned.

Bright thy gates of pearl are shining,
They are open evermore;
And by virtue of His merits
Thither faithful souls do soar,
Who for Christ's dear Name in this
Pain and tribulation bore. [world

Many a blow and biting sculpture
Polished well those stones elect,
In their places now compacted
By the heavenly Architect,
Who therewith hath willed for ever
That His palace should be decked.

PART II.

CHRIST is made the sure Foundation,
Christ the Head and Corner-stone,
Chosen of the Lord, and precious,
Binding all the Church in one,
Holy Sion's help for ever,
And her confidence alone.

All that dedicated City,
Dearly loved of God on high,
In exultant jubilation
Pours perpetual melody,
God the One in Three adoring
In glad hymns eternally.

To this Temple, where we call Thee, Come, O Lord of Hosts, to-day; With Thy wonted loving-kindness Hear Thy servants, as they pray; And Thy fullest benediction Shed within its walls alway.

Here vouchsafe to all Thy servants
What they ask of Thee to gain,
What they gain from Thee for ever
With the Blessèd to retain,
And hereafter in Thy glory
Evermore with Thee to reign.

The following may be sung at the end of each Part:

Laud and honour to the Father,
Laud and honour to the Son,
Laud and honour to the Spirit,
Ever Three, and ever One,
Consubstantial, Co-eternal,
While unending ages run. Amen.



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Bridal glory round thee shed, [thee,
Meet for Him Whose love espoused
To thy Lord shalt thou be led;
All thy streets, and all thy bulwarks
Of pure gold are fashioned.

Feast of the Dedication of a Church.

Bright thy gates of pearl are shining, They are open evermore; And by virtue of His merits Thither faithful souls do soar, w Who for Christ's dear Name in this Pain and tribulation bore. [world

mf Many a blow and biting sculpture Polished well those stones elect. In their places now compacted By the heavenly Architect. Who therewith hath willed for ever That His palace should be decked.

PART II.

f CHRIST is made the sure Foundation, mf To this Temple, where we call Thee, Christ the Head and Corner-stone, Come, O Lord of Hosts, to-day; Chosen of the Lord, and precious, Binding all the Church in one, Holy Sion's help for ever, And her confidence alone.

All that dedicated City, Dearly loved of God on high, In exultant jubilation Pours perpetual melody, God the One in Three adoring In glad hymns eternally.

With Thy wonted loving-kindness Hear Thy servants, as they pray: And Thy fullest benediction Shed within its walls alway.

Here vouchsafe to all Thy servants What they ask of Thee to gain, What they gain from Thee for ever With the Blessèd to retain, And hereafter in Thy glory Evermore with Thee to reign.

The following may be sung at the end of each Part:

f Laud and honour to the Father, Laud and honour to the Son, Laud and honour to the Spirit, Ever Three, and ever One, Consubstantial, Co-eternal, While unending ages run. Amen.

Also the following:

All people that on earth do dwell-357 Christ is our Corner-stone-375 Hosanna to the living Lord !-428 Jerusalem the golden !- 561 [Part IV.] Lo, God is here! Let us adore-460

Lord of the worlds above—470 O God of Hosts, the mighty Lord-485 O Lord, how joyful 'tis to see-499 Pleasant are Thy courts above -530 We love the place, O God-584

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Restoration of a Church.

f IFT the strain of high thanksgiving!
Tread with songs the hallowed way!
Praise our fathers' God for mercies
New to us their sons to-day:

mf Here they built for Him a dwelling,
cr Served Him here in ages past,
f Fixed it for His sure possession,
Holy ground, while time shall last.

mf When the years had wrought their changes,
He, our own unchanging God,
Thought on this His habitation,
Looked on His decayed abode;
Heard our prayers, and helped our counsels,
cr Blessed the silver and the gold,
f Till once more His house is standing
Firm and stately as of old.

mf Fill this latter house with glory
Greater than the former knew;
Clothe with righteousness its Priesthood,
Guide its Choir to reverence true;
Let Thy Holy One's anointing
Here its sevenfold blessing shed;
Spread for us the heavenly Banquet,
Satisfy Thy poor with Bread.

f Praise to Thee, Almighty Father!
Praise to Thee, Eternal Son!
Praise to Thee, all-quickening Spirit!
Ever-blessed Three in One!

p Threefold Power and Grace and Wisdom;

cr Moulding out of sinful clay

f Living stones for that true Temple

f Living stones for that true Temple Which shall never know decay.





May also be sung to "Franconia," No. 233. VORD of God above, Who fillest all in all, Hallow this house with Thy sure love, mf The Judge acquits, and grace divine And bless our Festival.

Here from the Font is poured Grace on each sinful child; The blest anointing of the Lord Brightens the once defiled.

Here Christ to faithful hearts His Body gives for food; The Lamb of God Himself imparts The Chalice of His Blood.

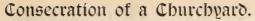
Here guilty souls that pine May health and pardon win; Restores the dead in sin.

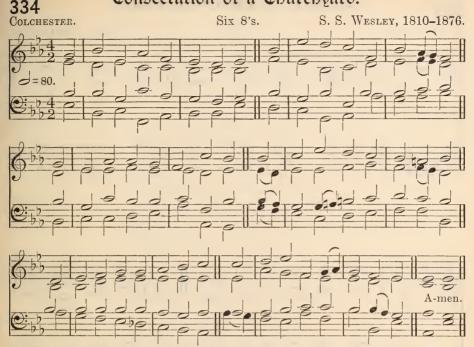
Yea, God enthroned on high Here also dwells to bless; Here trains adoring souls that sigh His mansions to possess.

All might, all praise be Thine, Father, Co-equal Son, And Spirit, Bond of love Divine, While endless ages run. Amen.

Also the following:

Before Jehovah's awful throne-368 Jesus, where'er Thy people meet-453





P O THOU in Whom Thy Saints repose, When life's brief conflict finds its close;

Behold us met before Thy face To hallow this their resting-place: Safe are the souls whom Thou dost keep; And safely here their dust shall sleep.

Thou knowest, Lord, for Thou hast wept Beside the tomb where Lazarus slept, What tears must flow, what hearts must bleed,

When here we sow the precious seed: Thou still rememberest on Thy throne Thy garden grave and sealed stone. Bid then Thy Hosts encamp around This chosen spot of holy ground: Here let calm Hope with Memory dwell.

And Faith of heavenly comfort tell: No thought of ill, no footstep rude Profane the sacred solitude.

Here when Thy mourners shall repair In lonely grief and trembling prayer, Lift Thou sad hearts and streaming eyes

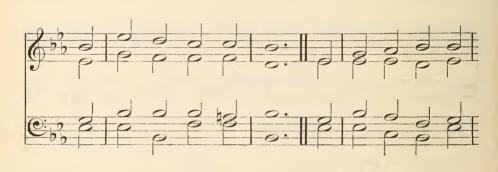
To those fair glades of Paradise, Where safe within the guarded gate Thy ransomed souls in patience wait.

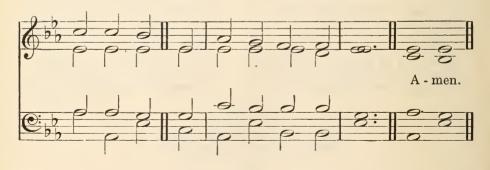
Amen.

Also the following:

Brief life is here our portion—561 [Part II.] Come, let us join our friends above—379 God of the living, in Whose eyes—283 See also Hymns for Burial.







Opening of a Mission Room.

Thy Presence now display:

As Thou hast given a place for prayer,

So give us hearts to pray.

Within these walls let holy peace
And love and concord dwell:
Here give the troubled conscience ease,
The wounded spirit heal.

May we in faith receive Thy word,
In faith present our prayers;
And in the Presence of our Lord
Unbosom all our cares.

The hearing ear, the seeing eye,

The contrite heart bestow;

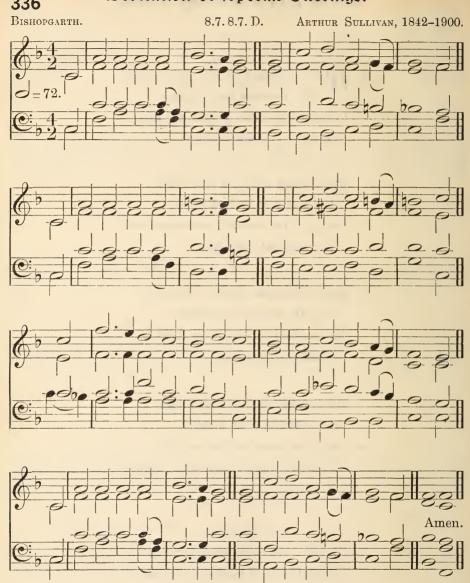
cr And shine upon us from on high,

That we in grace may grow. Amen

Also the following:

Jesus, where'er Thy people meet—453

See also Hymns for Dedication of a Church.



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Dedication of Special Offerings.

mf GREAT God, to Thee our hearts we raise In joyful adoration;

cr With Saints above we hymn Thy praise
In notes of exultation:

f They, round Thy throne, a shining throng, Stand, Thy dread might confessing:

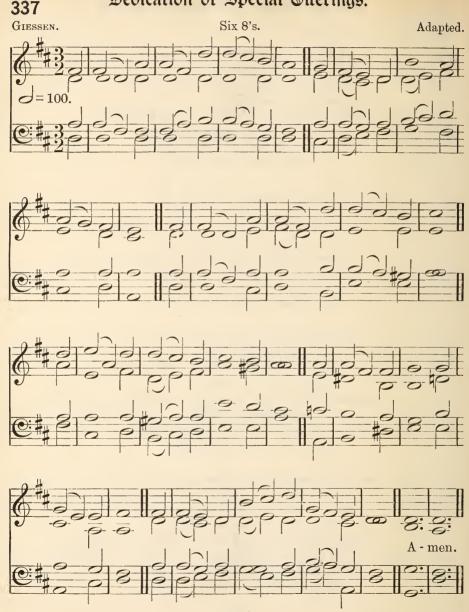
mf We at Thy feet pour forth our song, And humbly seek Thy blessing.

mf To Thy great glory, Lord, we place
Within Thy shrine most holy,
These hallowed gifts, Thy courts to grace,
With thankful hearts and lowly.
Accept, we pray, these works of love,
And seal them Thine for ever:
Thy gracious unction from above
Pour Thou on gifts and giver.

P Fountain of good, and God of love,
Giver of light supernal;
Of all Thy gifts from heaven above,
Grant us the life eternal.
And when within this shrine we kneel,
Our sacred Master meeting,
Oh may our hearts His Presence feel,
And joy in heavenly greeting.

mf God of our Fathers, Thee we hail,
One God, from everlasting,
While Saints their crowns, within the veil,
Before Thy throne are casting.
On us and ours, O Lord, we pray,
In joy and in affliction,
Shed forth Thy Spirit, day by day,
In hallowing benediction. Amen.

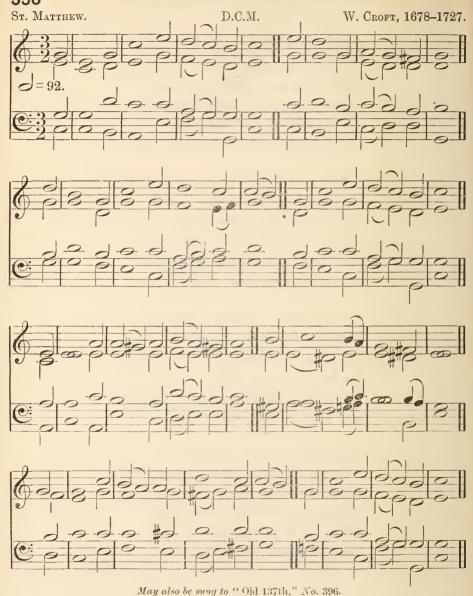
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Dedication of Special Offerings.

- Of Saints, O Lord of might,
 Of souls redeemed the Life and Light,
 Thine is the power when souls excel
 In grace because they love Thee well.
 O Jesu blest, in all Thine own
 We praise Thee for Thyself made known.
- mf And so we come; Lord, guide each thought,
 By grateful love and memory taught,
 That rises to Thy throne to-day,
 The prayer that hearts in secret pray—
 That these Thy children's gifts may be
 In blessings made more worthy Thee.
 - p Let each abide, as made to stand
 And hallowed by Thy loving hand;
 Hear Thou in heaven each tender prayer,
 The burden of each heart of care;
 Keep Thou their feet, and make them blest
 Who in the Holiest would rest,
- mf Lord, bless the gifts we offer here
 With grateful love of hearts sincere;
 - cr Henceforth Thine own; Oh let them be So used by those who worship Thee
 - f That every heart shall learn to raise

 Some better note of love and praise. Amen.



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f THINE arm, O Lord, in days of old
Was strong to heal and save;
It triumphed o'er disease and death,
O'er darkness and the grave.

p To Thee they went, the blind, the dumb,
The palsied and the lame,
The leper with his tainted life,
The sick with fevered frame.

mf And lo! Thy touch brought life and health,
Gave speech and strength and sight;
f And youth renewed and frenzy calmed
Owned Thee, the Lord of Light.
p And now, O Lord, be near to bless,
Almighty as of yore,
In crowded street, by restless couch,
As by Gennesareth's shore.

mf Though love and might no longer heal
By touch, or word, or look,
Though they who do Thy work must read
Thy laws in Nature's book;
p Yet come to heal the sick man's soul,
Come, cleanse the sinful taint;
mf Give joy and peace where all is strife,
And strength where all is faint.

mf Be Thou our great Deliverer still,

Thou Lord of life and death;
Restore and quicken, soothe and bless,

With Thine almighty breath.

To hands that work and eyes that see
Give wisdom's heavenly lore,

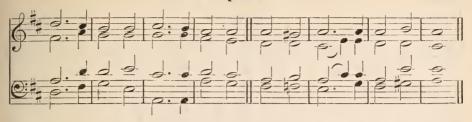
That whole and sick, and weak and strong,

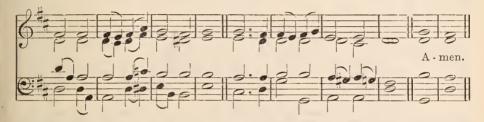
May praise Thee evermore.





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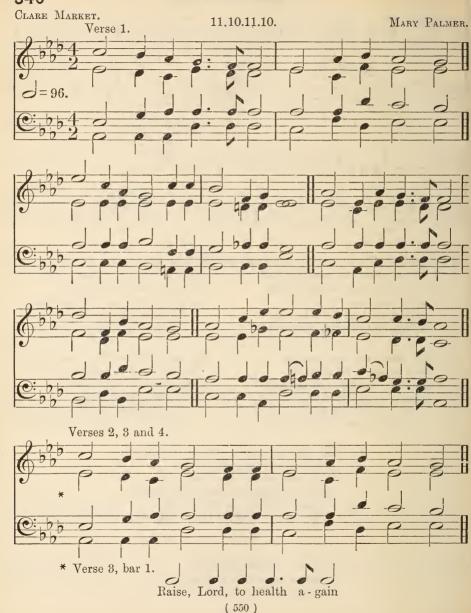
THOU to Whom the sick and dying mf Still the weary, sick, and dying Need a brother's, sister's care, On Thy higher help relying May we now their burden share, Bringing all our offerings meet, Suppliants at Thy Mercy-seat.

mf Every care, and every sorrow,
Be it great, or be it small,
Yesterday,—to-day,—to-morrow,—
When,—where'er it may befall,
Lay we humbly at Thy feet,
Suppliants at Thy Mercy-seat.

mf May each child of Thine be willing,
Willing both in hand and heart,
All the law of love fulfilling,
Ever comfort to impart,
Ever bringing offerings meet,
Suppliant to Thy Mercy-seat.

mf Then shall sickness, sin, and sadness,
To Thy healing power yield,
cr Till the sick and sad, in gladness,
Rescued, ransomed, cleansèd, healed,
f One in Thee together meet,
Pardoned at Thy Judgment-seat. Amen.

Also the following:
when the sun did set—1



flower Services.



mf HERE, Lord, we offer Thee all that is fairest,
Bloom from the garden, and flowers from the field,
Gifts for the stricken ones, knowing Thou carest
More for the love than the wealth that we yield.

P Send, Lord, by these to the sick and the dying;
 Speak to their hearts with a message of peace;
 Comfort the sad, who in weakness are lying;
 Grant the departing a gentle release.

cr Raise, Lord, to health again those who have sickened,
Fair be their lives as the roses in bloom;
Give of Thy grace to the souls Thou hast quickened,
Gladness for sorrow and brightness for gloom.

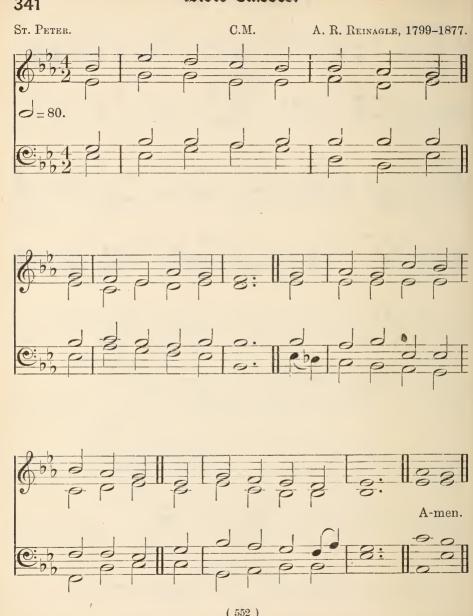
p We, Lord, like flowers, must bloom and must wither; We, like these blossoms, must fade and must die;

cr Gather us, Lord, to Thy bosom for ever,
Grant us a place in Thy house in the sky. Amen.

Also the following:

All things bright and beautiful—609 For the beauty of the earth—403

I praised the earth—433' We thank Thee, Lord—589



Bible Classes.

mf FATHER of all, in Whom alone
We live and move and breathe,
One bright, celestial ray dart down
And cheer Thy sons beneath.

While in Thy word we search for Thee,
(We search with trembling awe!)

Open our eyes, and let us see
The wonders of Thy law.

Now let our darkness comprehend The light that shines so clear; Now the revealing Spirit send, And give us ears to hear.

Before us make Thy goodness pass,
Which here by faith we know;
Let us in esus see Thy face,
And die to all below. Amen.

Also the following:

Father of mercies, in Thy word—397

Lord, Thy word abideth—472





The Mational Church.

f BULWARK of a mighty nation, mf See her, as a loving mother, See the Church of England Guard them with a mother Guard them with a mother's love, stand. cr Ever pointing with her finger Founded on the Rock of ages, To their Father's home above. Hope, and glory of our land. mf Hers the voice that cheers them for-See her stand, a holy temple, ward. Bonded with the bond of love, Fainting o'er the world-worn track, Living bond that ever bindeth Hers when from the path they wander, Human souls to God above. First to call the wanderers back.

mf See her plead for all her children Kneeling at their Saviour's throne, Sign the Cross upon their foreheads. Mark, and seal them for His own. See her,—witness of the Spirit,— mf Shield her, Lord, from every evil, Bid them search the Book that sheds

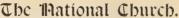
cr Rays of light upon the living, Hope upon their dying beds. dim

f Nursing-mother of our freedom, Sowing truth from door to door, Watching o'er the young and aged, Church alike of rich and poor, Strife within, and foes without, Give her strength to wage the warfare Faith must ever wage with doubt.

p May Thy heavenly grace be with her, Guide, support her by the way. cr As she leads her children homeward Through the mists that cloud the day;

cr Till the living sea of crystal Bursts upon their wondering sight, f And the songs of thronging Angels

Greet them in the realms of light.



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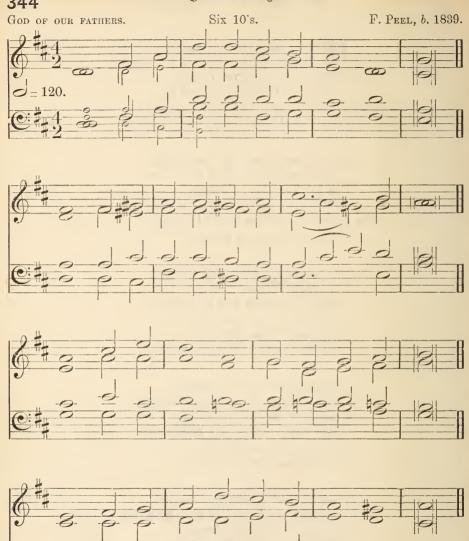
f HIS the glory, His the honour,
High and low, recount His praise,
Tell it out among the nations
How the Christ in ancient days
dim Left His home, His Father's side,
cr Sought, and found, and won His Bride.

mf In the far-off land He found her,
And she gave to Him her heart,
For His love is everlasting,
That nor life nor death can part;
dim There, to win her troth, He died,
p There, for her, was crucified.

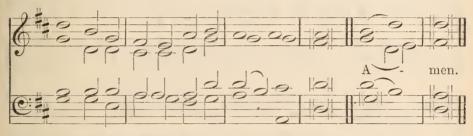
mf Oh, our King! fulfil Thy promise,
Bring her where no taint of sin,
Where no sadness and no blemish,
Where no stain can enter in;
Keep her ever at Thy side,
Bring her home, Thy faithful Bride.

Perfect then Thy new creation
With the grace that shall endure,
E'en amid temptation growing
Still more stately and more pure,
Till by sorrow sanctified
She becomes Thy holy Bride.

p Peace be hers within her temples;
cr Strength be hers, her walls to guard;
p May her holiness and beauty
By no evil thing be marred;
cr Through all peril, Saviour, guide
To Thy heaven Thy crownèd Bride. Amen







TERNAL Ruler of the ceaseless round
Of circling planets singing on their way;
Guide of the nations from the night profound
Into the glory of the perfect day;
Rule in our hearts, that we may ever be
Guided, and strengthened, and upheld by Thee.

We are of Thee, the children of Thy love,
The brothers of Thy well-beloved Son;

Descend, O Holy Spirit! like a dove

Into our hearts, that we may be as one; As one with Thee to Whom we ever tend, As one with Him, our Brother and our Friend.

Oh make us one in hatred of all wrong,

One in our love of all things sweet and fair, One with the joy that breaketh into song,

One with the grief that trembles into prayer, One in the power that makes Thy children free, To follow Truth, and thus to follow Thee.

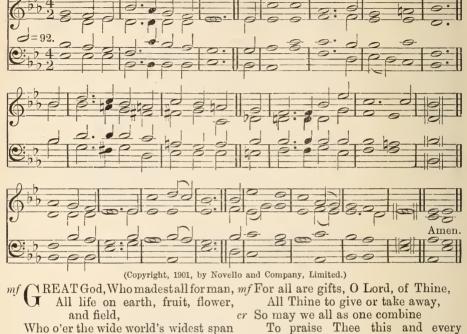
Oh clothe us with Thy heavenly armour, Lord, Thy trusty shield, Thy sword of love divine;

Our inspiration be Thy constant word;

We ask no victories that are not Thine. Give or withhold, let pain or pleasure be Enough to know that we are serving Thee. Amen. DONA DEL

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Dost make them all their blessings vield:—

Oh help us, Lord, as in Thy sight, pAll these Thy gifts to use aright.

mf No living thing beneath the heaven, From sea to sea, or shore to shore,

That is not by Thy bounty given

To fill our ever-needed store;—

Then help us, Lord, as in Thy n sight.

All these Thy gifts to use aright.

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Then help us, Lord, as in Thy sight.

All these Thy gifts to use aright.

p The weak, the wavering, young or old, 'Mid great temptations sorely tried,

cr May Thine all-pitying eye behold, And draw them to Thy wounded

side:-

Then help us, Lord, as in Thy sight, All these Thy gifts to use aright.

p And may we all as brothers strive

Examples through our lives to be, cr Restrain our wayward wills, and live

Lives dedicated, Lord, to Thee;—

Then help us, Lord, as in Thy sight, p

All these Thy gifts to use aright. Amen.





May also be sung to "Delhi," No. 321.

FATHER of men, in Whom are one All humankind henceth All humankind beneath Thy sun, Stablish our work in Thee begun.

Except the house be built of Thee, In vain the builder's toil must be:-Oh strengthen our infirmity!

Man lives not for himself alone, In others' good he finds his own, Life's worth in fellowship is known.

[We, friends and comrades on life's way, mf Then may we know, earth's lesson o'er, Gather within these walls to pray, Bless Thou our fellowship to-day!]

p O Christ, our Elder Brother, Who By serving man God's will didst do, Help us to serve our brethren too.

Guide us to seek the things above, The base to shun, the pure approve, To live by Thy free law of love.

cr In all our work, in all our play, Be with us, Lord, our friend, our stay; Lead onward to the perfect day:

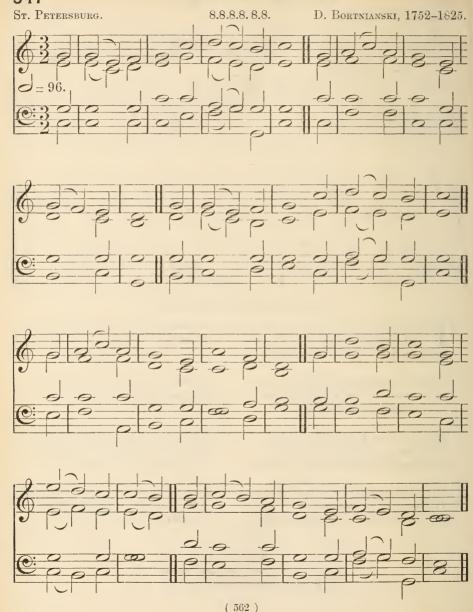
With comrades missed or gone before, Heaven's fellowship for evermore.

Amen.

Also the following:

How blessed, from the bonds of sin-348 O Lord, how joyful 'tis to see-499

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At a Retreat.

mf THOU hidden Love of God, Whose height,
Whose depth unfathomed, no man knows;
I see from far Thy beauteous light,
Inly I sigh for Thy repose;
p My heart is pained, nor can it be
At rest, till it finds rest in Thee.

mf 'Tis mercy all, that Thou hast brought My mind to seek her peace in Thee; Yet, while I seek but find Thee not, No peace my wandering soul shall see; Oh when shall all my wanderings end, And all my steps to Thee-ward tend?

Is there a thing beneath the sun
That strives with Thee my heart to share?
Ah, tear it thence, and reign alone,
The Lord of every motion there!
Then shall my heart from earth be free,
When it hath found repose in Thee.

Oh hide this self from me, that I
No more, but Christ in me, may live;
My vile affections crucify,
Nor let one darling lust survive!
In all things nothing may I see,
Nothing desire or seek but Thee.

Each moment draw from earth away
My heart, that lowly waits Thy call;
Speak to my inmost soul, and say,
"I am thy Love, thy God, thy All!"
To feel Thy power, to hear Thy voice,
To taste Thy love, be all my choice.



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With willing heart and longing eyes
To watch before Thy gate,
Ready to run the weary race,
To bear the heavy weight:
No voice of thunder to expect,
But follow calm and still,
For love can easily divine
The One Belovèd's will.

Thus may we serve Thee, gracious Lord?
Thus ever Thine alone,
Our souls and bodies given to Thee,
The purchase Thou hast won.

cr Through evil or through good report
Still keeping by Thy side,
f By life or death, in this poor flesh
Let Christ be magnified!

mf How happily the working days
 In this dear service fly!
p How rapidly the closing hour,
 The time of rest, draws nigh;
 When all the faithful gather home,
cr A joyful company!
f And ever where the Master is
 Shall His blest servants be! Amen.





ORD, speak to me, that I may ✓ speak

In living echoes of Thy tone;

As Thou hast sought, so let me seek Thy erring children lost and lone.

Oh teach me, Lord, that I may teach The precious things Thou dost im-And wing my words, that they may

The hidden depths of many a heart.

Oh lead me, Lord, that I may lead The wandering and the wavering feet:

Oh feed me, Lord, that I may feed Thy hungering ones with manna sweet.

p Oh give Thine own sweet rest to

That I may speak with soothing power

A word in season, as from Thee, To weary ones in needful hour.

Oh strengthen me, that while I stand cr Oh fill me with Thy fulness, Lord, Firm on the Rock, and strong in Thee.

I may stretch out a loving hand To wrestlers with the troubled sea.

Until my very heart o'erflow In kindling thought and glowing

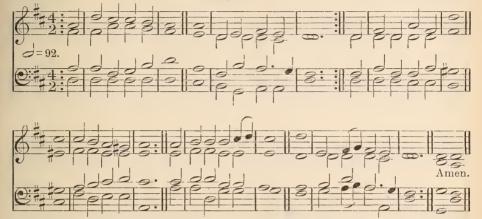
Thy love to tell, Thy praise to show.

mf Oh use me, Lord, use even me, Just as Thou wilt, and when, and where; cr Until Thy blessèd face I see, Thy rest, Thy joy, Thy glory share. Amen. 350

HAWARDEN.

Eight 6's.

S. S. Wesley, 1810-1876.



mf S HINE Thou upon us, Lord,
True Light of men, to-day;
And through the written word
Thy very self display;
That so from hearts which burn
With gazing on Thy face,
Thy little ones may learn
The wonders of Thy grace.

Breathe Thou upon us, Lord,
Thy Spirit's living flame,
That so with one accord
Our lips may tell Thy Name;
Give Thou the hearing ear,
Fix Thou the wandering thought,
That those we teach may hear
The great things Thou hast wrought.

Speak Thou for us, O Lord,
In all we say of Thee;
According to Thy word
Let all our teaching be;
That so Thy lambs may know
Their own true Shepherd's voice,
Where'er He leads them go,
And in His love rejoice.

Live Thou within us, Lord;
Thy mind and will be ours;
Be Thou beloved, adored,
And served, with all our powers;
That so our lives may teach
Thy children what Thou art,
And plead, by more than speech,
For Thee with every heart. Amen

Also the following:

Soldiers of Christ! arise—546 Soldiers of the Cross, arise—322

Schools. See Children's Hymns.



f COD save our gracious King,
Long live our noble King,
God save the King:
Send him victorious,
Happy and glorious,
Long to reign over us:

God save the King.

mf O Lord our God, arise, Scatter his enemies, And make them fall:

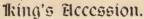
cr Confound their politics; Frustrate their knavish tricks;

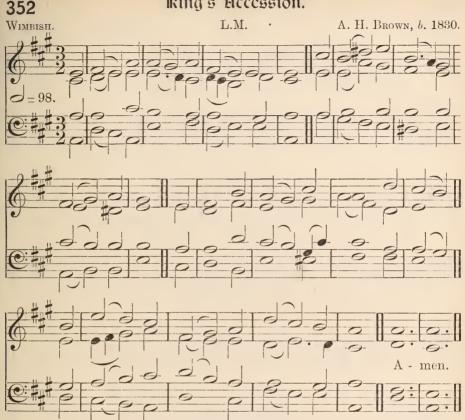
f On Thee our hopes we fix:
God save us all.

mf Thy choicest gifts in storeOn him be pleased to pour;Long may he reign:cr May he defend our laws,

And ever give us cause f To sing with heart and voice,

ff God save the King.





KING of kings! Thy blessing shed On our anointed Sovereign's

head:

And, looking from Thy holy heaven, Protect the crown Thyself hast given.

Him with Thy choicest mercies bless; To all his counsels give success;

In war, in peace, Thy succour bring; Thy strength command - God save

the King.

Him may we honour and obey; Uphold his right and lawful sway; Remembering that the powers that

Are ministers ordained by Thee.

And when all earthly thrones decay, And earthly kingdoms fade away, Grant him a throne in worlds on

high,

A crown of immortality. Amen.

May also be sung to "Erfurt," No. 476.

LEOMINSTER.

D.S.M.

G. W. MARTIN, 1828-1881.



General Hymns.

mf A FEW more years shall roll,
A few more seasons come,
dim And we shall be with those that rest
p Asleep within the tomb:
cr Then, O my Lord, prepare
My soul for that great day;
Oh! wash me in Thy precious Blood,
dim And take my sins away.

mf A few more suns shall set O'er these dark hills of time,

dim And we shall be where suns are not,
A far serener clime:

Then, O my Lord, prepare My soul for that blest day;

Oh! wash me in Thy precious Blood.

dim And take my sins away.

mf A few more storms shall beat On this wild, rocky shore,

dim And we shall be where tempests cease,
And surges swell no more:

Then, O my Lord, prepare My soul for that calm day;

Oh! wash me in Thy precious Blood, dim And take my sins away.

A few more struggles here,
 A few more partings o'er,
 A few more toils, a few more tears,

mf And we shall weep no more:
p Then, O my Lord, prepare

or My soul for that bright day;

Oh! wash me in Thy precious Blood, dim And take my sins away.

mf 'Tis but a little while And He shall come again,

cr Who died that we might live, Who lives That we with Him may reign:

p Then, O my Lord, prepare cr My soul for that glad day;

Oh! wash me in Thy precious Blood, dim And take my sins away. Amen.



f A FORTRESS sure is God our King,
A Shield that ne'er shall fail us,
His sword alone shall succour bring,
When evil doth assail us;

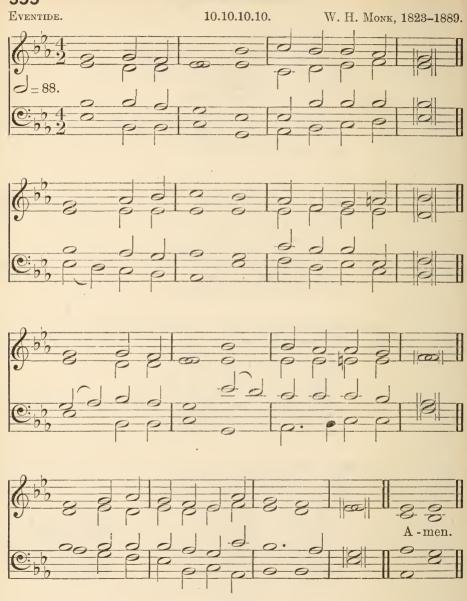
With craft and cruel hate
Doth Satan lie in wait,
And armed with deadly power,
Seeks whom he may devour,
Our crafty foe unyielding.

mf Oh! who shall then our champion be,
Lest we be lost for ever?
f One sent by God,—from sin 'tis He
The sinner shall deliver;
mf And dost thou ask His name?
ff 'Tis Jesus Christ,—the Same
Of Sabaoth the Lord,
The Everlasting Word,—
O'er sin and death victorious.

mf Though filled this earth with fiends may be,
All eager to devour us,
Yet are our minds from terror free,
They ne'er shall overpower us:
The prince of this world still
May rage as e'er he will,
His wrath we do not heed,
For why? his doom's decreed:
One word shall overwhelm him.

f God's word remaineth ever sure,
To us His goodness showing;
The Spirit's gifts—of sin the cure—
Each day He is bestowing;
Though nought we love be left,
Of all, e'en life, bereft;
cr Yet what shall Satan gain?
God's kingdom doth remain,
f And shall be ours for ever.





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- M BIDE with me! fast falls the eventide;
 The darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide!

 When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
 Help of the helpless, (p) Oh, abide with me!
- p Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;
 Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;
 Change and decay in all around I see;
 mf O Thou, who changest not, (p) abide with me!
- mf Thou on my head in early youth didst smile;
 And, though rebellious and perverse meanwhile,
 Thou hast not left me, oft as I left Thee;
 On to the close, O Lord, abide with me!
- mf I need Thy Presence every passing hour;
 cr What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power?
 Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be?
 Through cloud and sunshine, (p) Oh, abide with me!
 - f I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless:Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?I triumph still, if Thou abide with me!
 - p Hold Thou Thy Cross before my closing eyes; cr Speak through the gloom, and point me to the skies. f Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee! p In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me! Amen.





May also be sung to "St. Leonard," No. 85.

A LL hail the power of Jesus' Name! mf Hail Him, ye heirs of David's line,

Let Angels prostrate fall; Whom David Lord did call;

Bring forth the royal diadem The God Incarnate, Man Divine,

To crown Him Lord of all!

mf Crown Him, ye martyrs of your God mf Sinners! whose love can ne'er forget
Who from His Altar call; The wormwood and the gall;
Praise Him Whose blood-stained path cr Go! spread your trophies at His
ye trod, feet,
cr And crown Him Lord of all! And crown Him Lord of all!

mf Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,
Ye ransomed of the fall,
Hail Him Who saves you by His grace,
cr And crown Him Lord of all!

f Let every tribe and every tongue Before Him prostrate fall, Join in the universal song And crown Him Lord of all!

Amen.

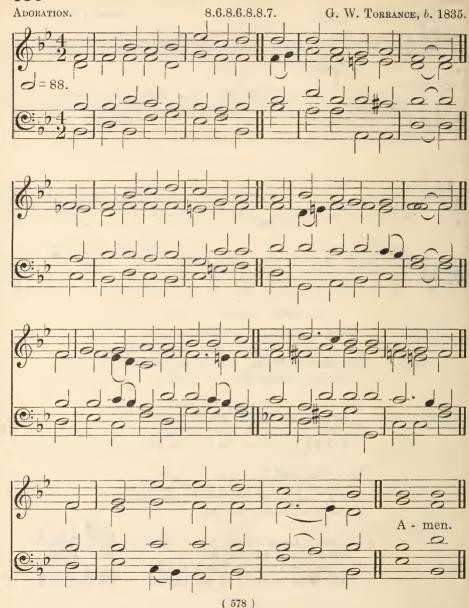




For another Version see No. 368.

- f A LL people that on earth do dwell,
 Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice:
 Him serve with fear, His praise forth tell,
 Come ye before Him, and rejoice,
- mf The Lord, ye know, is God indeed;
 Without our aid He did us make:
 We are His folk, He doth us feed;
 And for His sheep He doth us take.
 - f Oh! enter then His gates with praise,
 Approach with joy His courts unto;
 Praise, laud, and bless His Name always,
 For it is seemly so to do.
 - f For why? the Lord our God is good;
 His mercy is for ever sure;
 His truth at all times firmly stood,
 And shall from age to age endure.





f A LL praise and thanks to God Most High,
The Father of all love!
The God Who doeth wondrously,
The God Who from above
My soul with richest solace fills,
The God Who every sorrow stills;
ff Give to our God the glory!

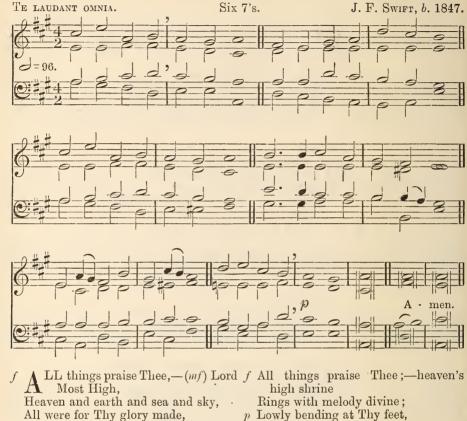
f The Hosts of heaven Thy praises tell,
All thrones bow down to Thee,
And all who in Thy shadow dwell,
In earth and air and sea,
Declare and laud their Maker's might,
Whose wisdom orders all things right;
ff Give to our God the glory!

mf And for the creatures He hath made
Our God shall well provide,
His grace shall be their constant aid,
Their guard on every side.
f His kingdom ye may surely trust,
There all is equal, all is just;
ff Give to our God the glory!

f Ah! then, till life hath reached its bound,
My God, I'll worship Thee;
The chorus of Thy praise shall sound
Far over land and sea.
O soul and body, now rejoice,
My heart, send forth a gladsome voice,
ff Give to our God the glory!

f All ye who name Christ's Holy Name,
Give to our God the glory!
Ye who the Father's power proclaim,
Give to our God the glory!
All idols under foot be trod,
The Lord is God! the Lord is God!

Give to our God the glory! Amen.



That Thy greatness thus displayed Should all worship bring to Thee;

f All things praise Thee: (p) Lord, may

f All things praise Thee;—(mf) night to f All things praise Thee,—(mf) Gracious Sings in silent hymns of light; All things praise Thee; -- day to day Chants Thy power in burning ray; Time and space are praising Thee,

f All things praise Thee: (p) Lord, f All things praise Thee: (p) Lord,

may we!

Seraph and Archangel meet;

f This their highest bliss, to be Ever praising:—(p) Lord, may we!

Lord. Great Creator, Mighty Word, Omnipresent Spirit, now At Thy feet we humbly bow; cr Lift our hearts in praise to Thee;

may we! Amen.



f A LLELUIA! Sing to Jesus!
His the sceptre, His the throne;
Alleluia! His the triumph,
His the victory alone.
Hark, the songs of peaceful Zion
Thunder like a mighty flood:
"Jesus, out of every nation,
Hath redeemed us by His Blood!"

mf Alleluia! Not as orphans
Are we left in sorrow now;
Alleluia! He is near us,
Faith believes, nor questions how.
p Though the cloud from sight received
Him
When the forty days were o'er,
cr Shall our hearts forget His promise—
f "I am with you evermore"?

f Alleluia! Bread of Angels,
Thou on earth our food, our stay
Alleluia! Here the sinful
Flee to Thee from day to day.
Intercessor, Friend of sinners,
Earth's Redeemer, plead for me,
Where the songs of all the sinless
Sweep across the crystal sea.

f Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!
His the sceptre, His the throne;
Alleluia! His the triumph,
His the victory alone.
Hark, the songs of peaceful Zion
Thunder like a mighty flood:
"Jesus, out of every nation,

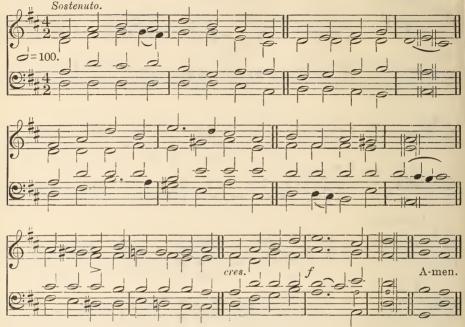
Hath redeemed us by His Blood!" Amen.

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ANGEL-VOICES.

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E. G. Monk, 1819-1900.



A NGEL-voices ever singing
Round Thy throne of light,
Angel-harps, for ever ringing,
Rest not day nor night;
Thousands only live to bless Thee,
cr And confess Thee,
f Lord of might!

mf Thou, Who art beyond the farthest Mortal eye can scan,

Can it be that Thou regardest Songs of sinful man?

Can we feel that Thou art near us, And wilt hear us?

Yea, we can.

cr

mf Yea, we know Thy love rejoices
O'er each work of Thine;
Thou didst ears and hands and voices
For Thy praise combine;

Craftsman's art and music's measure
For Thy pleasure
Didst design.

Here, great God, to-day we offer Of Thine own to Thee;

And for Thine acceptance proffer, All unworthily,

Hearts and minds, and hands and voices,

In our choicest Melody.

f Honour, glory, might, and merit, Thine shall ever be,

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Blessèd Trinity!

Of the best that Thou hast given, Earth and heaven

Render Thee! Amen.

ST. PETER.

C.M.

A. R. REINAGLE, 1799-1877.





mf A PPROACH, my soul, the Mercy-seat, p Bowed down beneath a load of sin, Where Jesus answers prayer: There humbly fall before His feet, For none can perish there.

By Satan sorely pressed, By war without, and fears within, I come to Thee for rest.

Thy promise is my only plea, With this I venture nigh: Thou callest burdened souls to Thee, And such, O Lord, am I.

mf Be Thou my Shield and Hiding-place That, sheltered near Thy side, I may my fierce accuser face, And tell him Thou hast died.

O wondrous love, to bleed and die, To bear the Cross and shame, That guilty sinners, such as I, Might plead Thy gracious Name. Amen.





p ART thou weary, art thou languid,
Art thou sore distrest?

mf "Come to Me"—saith One—"and coming,
p Be at rest!"

mf Hath He marks to lead me to Him,
If He be my Guide?
p "In His feet and hands are wound-prints,
And His side."

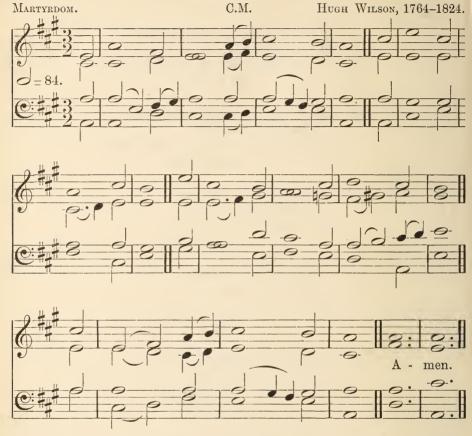
mf_ Is there diadem, as Monarch, That His brow adorns? "Yea, a crown, in very surety, p But of thorns!"

mf If I find Him, if I follow,
What His guerdon here?
p "Many a sorrow, many a labour,
Many a tear."

mf If I still hold closely to Him,
What hath He at last?
f "Sorrow vanquished, labour ended,
Jordan past."

mf If I ask Him to receive me,
Will He say me nay?
f"Not till earth, and not till heaven
Pass away!"

mf Finding, following, keeping, struggling,Is He sure to bless?cr "Angels, Martyrs, Prophets, Virgins,f Answer, Yes!" Amen.



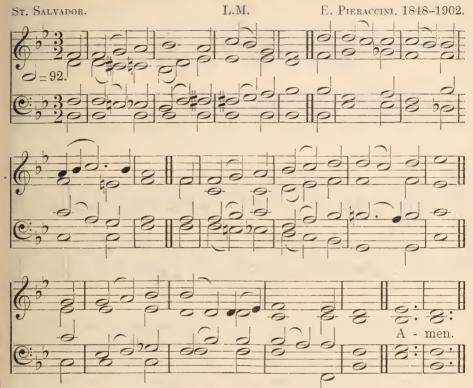
mf A S pants the hart for cooling streams,
When heated in the chase,
So longs my soul, O God, for Thee,
And Thy refreshing grace.

For Thee, my God, the living God, My thirsty soul doth pine: Oh! when shall I behold Thy face, Thou Majesty Divine?

p Why restless, why cast down, my soul?

cr Hope still, and thou shalt sing

f The praise of Him Who is thy God, Thy health's eternal spring. Amen.



May also be sung to "Eisenach." No. 73.

SHAMED of Thee! O dearest Lord, mf Ashamed of Thee! - of that blest Name I marvel how such wrong can be: And yet how oft in deed and word Have I been found ashamed of Thee!

mf Ashamed of Thee! my King, my God, mf Ashamed of Thee! Whose love Divine Who soughtest me with wondrous love.

dim Whose feet the way of sorrows trod To bring me to Thy home above:-

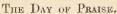
Which speaks of mercy full and free! p Nay, Lord, I would my only shame

Might be to be ashamed of Thee.

Was not ashamed of our lost race, But even this cold heart of mine Dost make Thy home and dwelling-

place:—

mf Ashamed of Thee! O Lord, I pray This cruel wrong no more may be: cr And in Thy last great Advent-day Oh be not Thou ashamed of me! Amen.







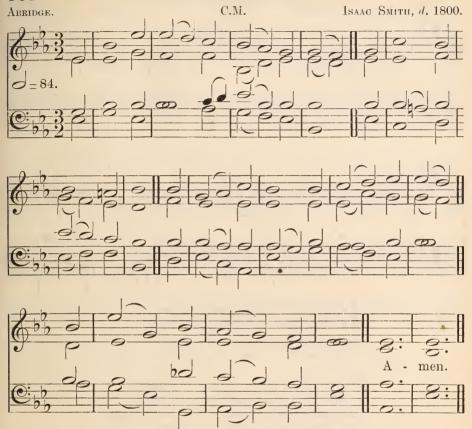
WAKE, and sing the song Of Moses and the Lamb; Tune every heart and every tongue To praise the Saviour's Name.

Sing of His dying love; Sing of His rising power; Sing how He intercedes above For all whose sins He bore.

Sing on your heavenly way; Ye ransomed singers, sing; Sing on, rejoicing every day In Christ, the eternal King.

Soon shall ye hear Him say, mf"Ye blessèd children, come:" Soon will He call you hence away, And take His wanderers home.

There shall our raptured tongue His endless praise proclaim, And sing in sweetest notes the song Of Moses and the Lamb. Amen.



 $^{\it mf}\, B^{\rm E}$ Thou our Guardian and our Guide,

And hear us when we call; Let not our slippery footsteps slide, And hold us lest we fall. p And if we tempted are to sin,And outward things are strong,cr Do Thou, O Lord, keep watch within,

And save our souls from wrong.

The world, the flesh, and Satan dwell Around the path we tread;

p Oh save us from the snares of hell, cr Thou Quickener of the dead. mf Still let us ever watch and pray,
And feel that we are frail;
That if the tempter cross our way,
Yet he may not prevail. Amen.



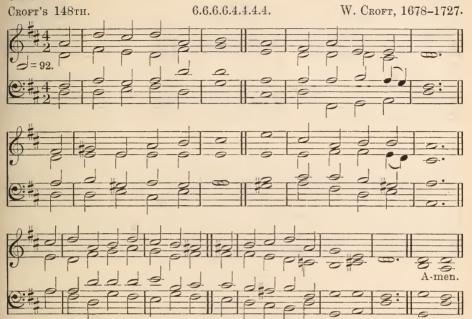
mf BEFORE Jehovah's awful throne,
Ye nations, bow with sacred joy;
Know that the Lord is God alone;
He can create, and He destroy.

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.

f We'll crowd Thy gates with thankful songs;
High as the heavens our voices raise;
And earth, with her ten thousand tongues,
Shall fill Thy courts with sounding praise.

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.





mf BEFORE the Lord we bow,
The God Who reigns above,
cr And rules the world below,
Boundless in power and love;
f Our thanks we bring
In joy and praise,
Our hearts we raise
To heaven's high King.

mf The nation Thou hast blest
May well Thy love declare,
From foes and fears at rest,
Protected by Thy care.
For this fair land,
For this bright day
Our thanks we pay—
Gifts of Thy hand.

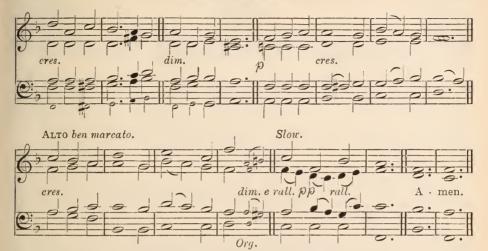
May every mountain height, Each vale and pasture green Shine in Thy word's pure light, And its rich fruits be seen! f May every tongue
Be tuned to praise,
And join to raise
A grateful song.

mf Earth! hear thy Maker's voice,
Thy great Redeemer own,
cr Believe, obey, rejoice,
And worship Him alone;
dim Cast down thy pride,
Thy sin deplore,
p And bow before
The Crucified.

mf Before the Lord we bow,
The God Who reigns above,
cr And rules the world below,
Boundless in power and love;
f Our thanks we bring
In joy and praise,
Our hearts we raise
To heaven's high King. Amen.

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f
p
BEHOLD the Lamb of God!

O Thou for sinners slain,
Let it not be in vain
That Thou hast died.

Cr Thee for my Saviour let me take,
My only refuge let me make

Thy piercèd side.

f Behold the Lamb of God!
All hail, Incarnate Word!
Thou everlasting Lord,
Saviour most Blest;

mf Fill us with love that never faints,
Grant us with all Thy blessèd Saints
p Eternal rest.

f Behold the Lamb of God!
Worthy is He alone
To sit upon the throne
Of God above;
One with the Ancient of all days,
One with the Comforter in praise,
All Light and Love! Amen.



The LESSED be Thy Name,
Jesus Christ, the same
Yesterday, to-day, for ever!
What from Thee my soul shall sever,
While I hear Thy voice,
And in Thee rejoice?

mf Hold me with Thine hand,
For by faith I stand!
On Thy strength my sole reliance,
In Thy truth my whole affiance:
Then, where'er I roam,
I am travelling home.

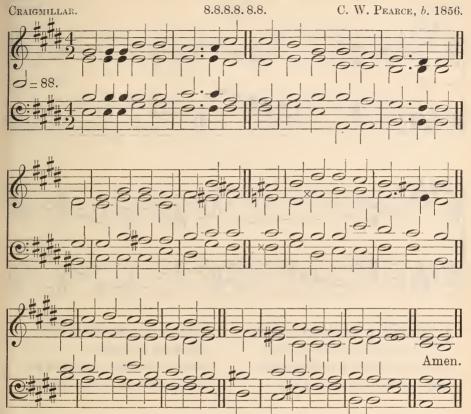
Lord! Thy word is light;
Led by it aright,
dim When, a pilgrim like my fathers,
p Life's last shadow round me gathers,

cr May its brightening ray Shine to perfect day!

mf With my latest breath,
Overcoming death,
From the body disencumbered,
With Thy Saints in glory numbered,
p Jesu, may I be
Found in peace with Thee.

f Praise the Lord Most High,
All below the sky;
Praise to Thine eternal merit,
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit;
Earth and heaven raise
Songs of loudest praise! Amen.

Brief life is here our portion-see 561 [Part II.]



mf CAPTAIN of Israel's host, and Guide Of all who seek that land above, Beneath Thy shadow we abide,

The cloud of Thy protecting love; f Our strength, Thy grace; our rule, Thy Our end, the glory of the Lord. [word;

mf By Thine unerring Spirit led,

We shall not in the desert stray;

By Thy paternal bounty fed,

We shall not lack in all our way; As far from danger as from fear, While love, almighty love, is near. Take not the sacred sign away,

The token of Thy guardian power; Preserved by night, refreshed by day,

Baptized in many a gracious shower; Protect us with Thy cloudy shrine, And in Thy fiery column shine.

To all believers Visible,

Who in Thy pardoning love confide,

cr With us Thou promisest to dwell,
And to that pleasant country guide,

Where Israel finds, of Thee possest, dim The land of everlasting rest. Amen.

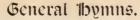


f CHILDREN of the heavenly King!
As ye journey, sweetly sing:
Sing your Saviour's worthy praise,
Glorious in His works and ways!

We are travelling home to God, In the way the fathers trod: They are happy now, and we Soon their happiness shall see. Lift your eyes, ye sons of light, Sion's city is in sight! There our endless home shall be, There our Lord we soon shall see.

Fear not, brethren! Joyful stand On the borders of your land; Jesus Christ, your Father's Son, Bids you undismayed go on.

mf Lord, obediently we go,Gladly leaving all below;cr Only Thou our Leader be,f And we still will follow Thee. Amen.









HRIST, above all glory seated! mf We, O Lord, with hearts adoring,
King triumphant, strong to save! Follow Thee beyond the sky:

Dying, Thou hast Death defeated, p Hear our prayers Thygrace imploring,
Buried, Thou hast spoiled the grave. cr Lift our souls to Thee on high!

Thou art gone, where now is given,
What no mortal might could gain,
On the eternal throne of heaven
In Thy Father's power to reign.

There Thy kingdoms all adore Thee,
Heaven above and earth below;
While the depths of hell before Thee
Trembling and defeated bow.

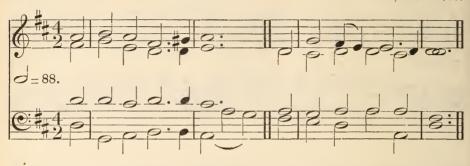
mf So when Thou again in gloryOn the clouds of heaven shalt shine,We Thy flock may stand before Thee,Owned for evermore as Thine.

f Hail! all hail! In Thee confiding,Jesu, Thee shall all adore,In Thy Father's might abidingWith one Spirit evermore! Amen.

GOPSAL.

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G. F. HANDEL, 1685-1759.







May also be sung to "Harewood," No. 537.

f CHRIST is our Corner-stone,
On Him alone we build;
With His true Saints alone
The courts of heaven are filled;
On His great love
Our hopes we place
Of present grace
And joys above.

f Oh! then with hymns of praise
These hallowed courts shall ring;

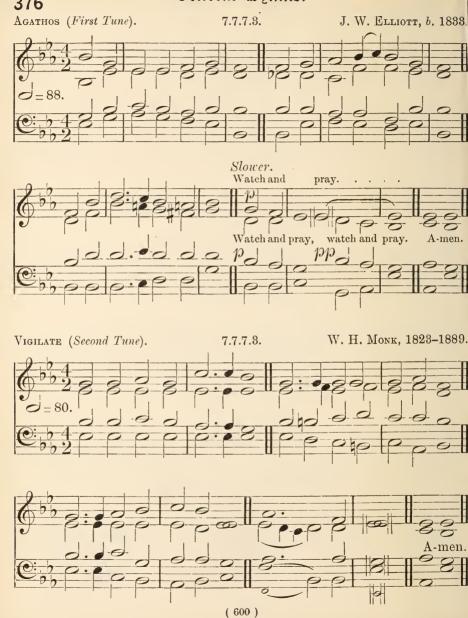
r Our voices we will raise
The Three in One to sing;

ff And thus proclaim
In joyful song.
Both loud and long,
That glorious Name.

p Here, gracious God, do Thou
For evermore draw nigh;
Accept each faithful vow,
And mark each suppliant sigh;
In copious shower
On all who pray
Each holy day
Thy blessings pour.

mf Here may we gain from heaven
The grace which we implore;
cr And may that grace, once given,
f Be with us evermore;
dim Until that day
When all the blest
p To endless rest
Are called away.





General Ibymns.

mf CHRISTIAN, seek not yet repose,
Hear thy guardian Angel say;
Thou art in the midst of foes;

p Watch and pray.

mf Principalities and powers,
 Mustering their unseen array,
 Wait for thy unguarded hours;
 p Watch and pray.

mf Gird thy heavenly armour on,Wear it ever, night and day;Ambushed lurks the evil one;p Watch and pray.

mf Hear the victors who o'ercame,
Still they mark each warrior's way,
All with one clear voice exclaim—

p Watch and pray.

p Hear above all, hear thy Lord,
Him thou lovest to obey;
cr Hide within thy heart His word—
p Watch and pray.

mf Watch, as if on that alone
Hung the issue of the day;
Pray that help may be sent down; p Watch and pray. Amen.







mf COME, Holy Spirit, come; Let Thy bright beams arise; Dispel the sorrow from our minds, The darkness from our eyes.

Cheer our desponding hearts, Thou heavenly Paraclete; Give us to lie with humble hope At our Redeemer's feet.

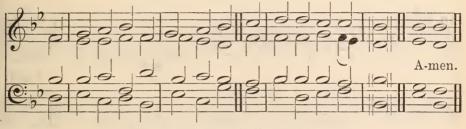
Revive our drooping faith, Our doubts and fears remove: And kindle in our breasts the flame Of never-dying love.

Convince us all of sin, Then guide to Jesus' Blood; And to our wondering view reveal The secret love of God.

'Tis Thine to cleanse the heart, To sanctify the soul, To pour fresh life in every part, And new create the whole.

cr Dwell therefore in our hearts. Our minds from bondage free; [love f Then shall we know, and praise, and The Father, Son, and Thee. Amen.





May also be sung to "St. Fulbert," No. 178.

f COME, let us join our cheerful songs
With Angels round the throne;
Ten thousand thousand are their tongues,
But all their joys are one.

"Worthy the Lamb that died," they cry, "To be exalted thus!"

"Worthy the Lamb," our lips reply; "For He was slain for us!"

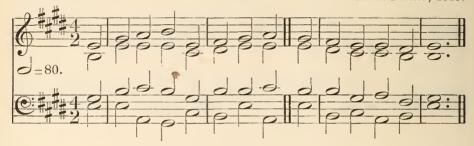
Jesus is worthy to receive
Honour and power divine;
And blessings, more than we can give,
Be, Lord, for ever Thine.

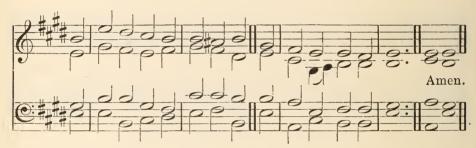
The whole creation join in one
To bless the sacred Name
Of Him that sits upon the throne,
And to adore the Lamb. Amen.

DUNDEE.

C.M.

Scotch Psalter, 1615.





That have obtained the prize,

And on the eagle-wings of love

To joy celestial rise.

One army of the living God

To His command we bow;

Part of His host have crossed the

And part are crossing now. [flood,

One family we dwell in Him,
One Church, above, beneath,
dim Though now divided by the stream,
p The narrow stream of death.

Lo, thousands to their endless home Are swiftly borne away; And we are to the margin come, And soon must launch as they.

mf Lord Jesu, be our constant Guide:
cr Then, when the word is given,
f Bid death's cold flood its waves divide,
And bring us safe to heaven. Amen.

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ST. DAVID.

C.M.

RAVENSCROFT'S Psalter, 1621.





of COME, let us to the Lord our God
With contrite hearts return;
Our God is gracious, nor will leave
The desolate to mourn.

f Our hearts, if God we seek to know,Shall know Him and rejoice:His coming like the morn shall be,Like morning songs His voice.

f His voice commands the tempest forth,
And stills the stormy wave;
And though His arm be strong to smite,
'Tis also strong to save.

p As dew upon the tender herb,Diffusing fragrance round;cr As showers that usher in the spring,

And cheer the thirsty ground,-

p Long hath the night of sorrow reigned,cr The dawn shall bring us light;

cr So shall His Presence bless our souls
And shed a joyful light;

f God shall appear, and we shall rise With gladness in His sight.

f That hallowed morn shall chase away

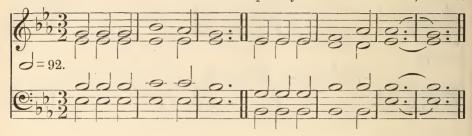
The sorrows of the night. Amen.

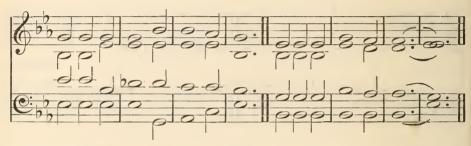
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LANGTON.

S.M.

Adapted by Mrs. C. STREATFIELD, b. 1829.





of OME, Lord, and tarry not;
Bring the long-looked-for day!
Oh! why these years of waiting here,
These ages of delay?

Come in Thy glorious might, Come with the iron rod, Scattering Thy foes before Thy face, Most mighty Son of God!

Come, for Thy Saints still wait; no Daily ascends their sigh:
The Spirit and the Bride say, "Come!"
Dost Thou not hear the cry?

mf Come, and make all things new,
Build up this ruined earth;
Restore our faded Paradise,
Creation's second birth.

Come, for the corn is ripe;
Put in Thy sickle now,
Reap the great harvest of the earth,
Sower and Reaper Thou.

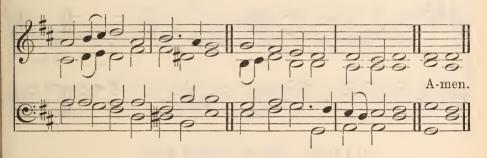
Come, and begin Thy reign
Of everlasting peace;
f Come, take the kingdom to Thyself,
Great King of righteousness!



General Ibymns.







- mf COME, my soul, thy suit prepare, Jesus loves to answer prayer;
- cr He Himself has bid thee pray,
 Therefore will not say thee nay.
- mf Thou art coming to a King,

 Large petitions with Thee bring;

 For His grace and power are such,

 None can ever ask too much.
- With my burden I begin;
 Lord, remove this load of sin;
 Let Thy Blood for sinners spilt,
 Set my conscience free from guilt.

Lord, I come to Thee for rest;

- cr Take possession of my breast;
 There Thy blood-bought right mainAnd without a rival reign. [tain,
- p While I am a pilgrim here, Let Thy love my spirit cheer;
- cr As my Guide, my Guard, my Friend, Lead me to my journey's end. Amen.

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mf COME, Thou long-expected Jesus, cr Born to set Thy people free; From our fears and sins release us; dim Let us find our rest in Thee.

mf Israel's strength and consolation,

Hope of all the earth Thou art;

Dear Desire of every nation,

Joy of every longing heart.

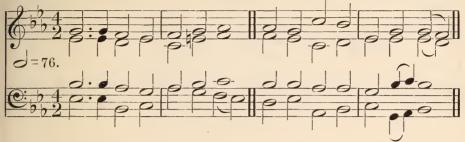
Born Thy people to deliver;
cr Born a Child, and yet a King;
f Born to reign in us for ever;
Now Thy gracious kingdom bring.

p By Thy own Eternal Spirit,
cr Rule in all our hearts alone:
f By Thy all-sufficient merit,
Raise us to Thy glorious throne. Amen.





P. T. Lucas, b. 1869.





May also be sung to "Capetown," No. 575.

of COME to our poor nature's night With Thy blessed inward light, Holy Ghost, the Infinite,

p Comforter Divine!

mf We are sinful; cleanse us, Lord:
Sick and faint; Thy strength afford:
Lost, until by Thee restored,

Comforter Divine!

mf Orphan are our souls and poor;
Give us, from Thy heavenly store,
Faith, love, joy, for evermore,
Comforter Divine!

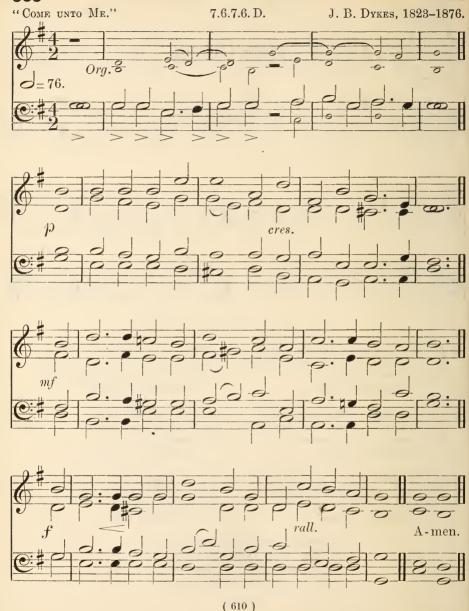
mf Like the dew, Thy peace distil;
Guide, subdue our wayward will,
Things of Christ unfolding still,
Comforter Divine!

mf In us, for us intercede,
And with voiceless groanings plead
Our unutterable need,
p Comforter Divine!

mf In us "Abba, Father" cry,
Earnest of our bliss on high,
Seal of immortality,
Comforter Divine!

mf Search for us the depths of God,
cr Bear us up the starry road
To the height of Thine abode,
p Comforter Divine! Amen.

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And I will give you rest."

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J. NEANDER, 1610-1680.







f COME, ye faithful, raise the anthem,
Cleave the skies with shouts of praise;
Sing to Him Who found the ransom,
Ancient of eternal days;
God Eternal, Word Incarnate,
Whom the Heaven of Heaven obeys.

mf Ere He raised the lofty mountains,
Formed the sea, or built the sky,
Love eternal, free, and boundless,
dim Moved the Lord of life to die;
mf Lifted up the Prince of princes
dim On the Throne of Calvary.

f Now on those eternal mountains
Stands the sapphire throne all bright:
With the ceaseless Alleluias
Which they raise, the sons of light,
Sion's people tell His praises,
Victor after hard-won fight.

f Bring your harp, and bring your incense;
Sweep the string, and pour the lay;
Let the earth proclaim His wonders,
King of that celestial day.
He, the Lamb once slain, is worthy,
Who was dead, and lives for aye.

p If His people walk in darkness,
Through the thickest clouds of night,
mf He, according to His promise,
Sends the pillar-beam of light;
Then they pass along His highway,
Turning not to left or right.

p When the thirsty pant for water,
 And no cooling streams are found,
 mf He descends like showers in spring-time,
 Softening all the parchèd ground;
 While the smitten rock its torrents
 Pours in ample streams around.

mf Hungry souls that faint and languish,
By His bounteous hand are fed;
Yea, He gives them Food immortal!

dim Gives Himself the living Bread:
p Gives the Chalice of His Passion,
Rich with Blood on Calvary shed.

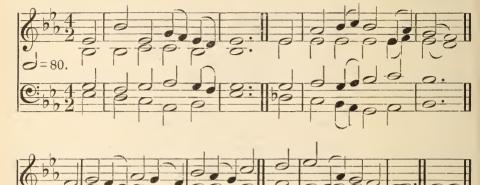
f Trust Him, then, ye fearful pilgrims;
Who shall pluck you from His hand?
Pledged He stands for their salvation,
Who are fighting for His land.
Oh, that we, amidst His true ones,
Round His throne may one day stand! Amen.

CARLISLE.

S.M.

C. Lockhart, 1745-1816.

Amen.



of COMMIT thou all thy ways

And griefs into His hands,

To His sure truth and tender care,

Who earth and heaven commands,

Who points the clouds their course Whom winds and seas obey; He shall direct thy wandering feet, He shall prepare thy way.

Thou on the Lord rely,
So safe shalt thou go on;
Fix on His work thy steadfast eye,
So shall thy work be done.

Give to the winds thy fears; Hope, and be undismayed; [tears; God hears thy sighs, and counts thy God shall lift up thy head.

Leave to His sovereign sway
To choose and to command;
So shalt thou wondering own His way
How wise, how strong His hand.

Thou seest our weakness, Lord,
Our hearts are known to Thee;
Oh, lift Thou up the sinking hand,
Confirm the feeble knee!

cr Let us in life, in death,
Thy steadfast truth declare,
f And publish with our latest breath
Thy love and guardian care. Amen.



of Conquering kings their titles take From the foes they captive make:

f Jesus, by a nobler deed,

From the thousands He hath freed.

Yes: none other name is given Unto mortals under heaven, Which can make the dead arise, And exalt them to the skies.

mf That which Christ so hardly wrought,

That which He so dearly bought,

That salvation, brethren, say,

Shall we madly cast away?

- f Rather gladly for that Name
 Bear the cross, endure the shame;
 Joyfully for Him to die
 Is not death but victory.
- p Jesu, Who dost condescend
 To be called the sinner's Friend,
 Hear us, as to Thee we pray,
 Glorying in Thy Name to-day.
- f Glory to the Father be,Glory, Holy Son, to Thee,Glory to the Holy Ghost,From the Saints and Angel-host.

Amen.



f CROWN Him with many crowns,
The Lamb upon His throne!
Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns
All music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing
Of Him Who died for thee;
And hail Him as thy chosen King
Through all eternity.

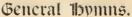
f Crown Him the Son of God
Before the worlds began,
And ye, who tread where He hath trod,
Crown Him the Son of Man,
mf Who every grief hath known
That wrings the human breast,
And takes and bears them for His own,
That all in Him may rest.

ff Crown Him the Lord of life,
Who triumphed o'er the grave,
And rose victorious in the strife
For those He came to save;
His glories now we sing
Who died, and rose on high,
Who died,—eternal life to bring,
And lives, that death may die.

f Crown Him of lords the Lord,
Who over all doth reign,
Who once on earth the Incarnate Word
For ransomed sinners slain,
ff Now lives in realms of light,
Where Saints with Angels sing
Their songs before Him day and night,

Their God, Redeemer, King.

ff Crown Him the Lord of heaven,
Enthroned in worlds above,
Crown Him the King to Whom is given
The wondrous name of Love.
Crown Him with many crowns
As thrones before Him fall;
Crown Him, ye kings, with many crowns,
For He is King of all. Amen.





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General Ibymns.

f CROWN Him with many crowns,
The Lamb upon His throne!
Hark! how the heavenly anthem
drowns

All music but its own.

Awake, my soul, and sing

Of Him Who died for thee;

And hail Him as thy matchless King Through all eternity.

f Crown Him the Virgin's Son!

p The God Incarnate born, [won

cr Whose arm those crimson trophies Which now His brow adorn.

p Fruit of the Mystic Rose,

cr As of that Rose the Stem,

mf The Root whence mercy ever flows,-

p The Babe of Bethlehem!

mf Crown Him the Lord of love!

p Behold His hands and side,Those wounds, yet visible above,In beauty glorified:

No Angel in the sky

Can fully bear that sight,

But downward bends his burning

eye

At mysteries so bright.

mf Crown Him the Lord of peace!

cr Whose power a sceptre sways

From pole to pole, that wars may cease,

Absorbed in prayer and praise.

f His reign shall know no end;

p And round His piercèd feet

cr Fair flowers of Paradise extend Their fragrance ever sweet.

f Crown Him the Lord of years!

Sole Potentate of Time!

Creator of the rolling spheres,

Ineffably sublime!

Glassed in a sea of light

Where everlasting waves

Reflect His throne—the Infinite!

Who lives and loves and saves.

f Crown Him the Lord of heaven.

One with the Father known,

And the Blest Spirit through Him

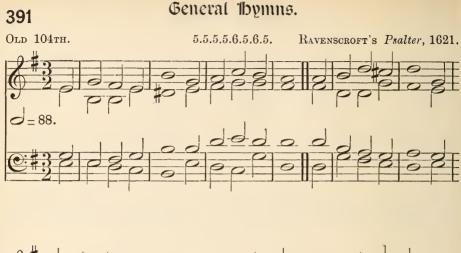
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From yonder Triune throne.

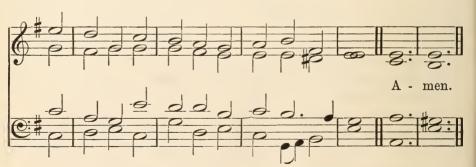
All hail, Redeemer, hail!

p For Thou hast died for me:

ff Thy praise shall never, never fail Throughout eternity! Amen.







May also be sung to "Hanover," No. 607.

mf DISPOSER supreme,
And Judge of the earth,
Thou choosest for Thine
The weak and the poor;
To frail earthen vessels
And things of no worth
Entrusting Thy riches
Which aye shall endure.

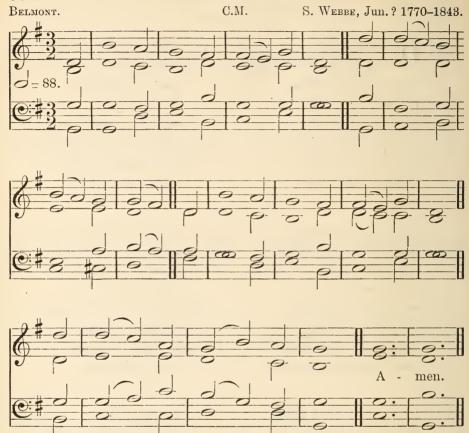
Though full of Thy light,
And at Thy decree
Are broken and gone;
cr Thence brightly appeareth
Thy truth in its might,
As through the clouds riven
The lightnings have shone.

Those vessels soon fail,

mf Like clouds are they borne
To do Thy great will,
cr And swift as the winds
About the world go;
The fire of Thy Presence
Their spirits doth fill,
f They thunder, they lighten,
The waters o'erflow.

- f Their sound goeth forth,
 "Christ Jesus is Lord!"
 Then Satan doth fear,
 His citadels fall:
 As when the dread trumpets
 Went forth at Thy word,
 And one long blast shattered
 The Canaanite's wall.
- f Oh, loud be their trump,
 And stirring their sound,
 To rouse us, O Lord,
 From slumber of sin!

 mf The lights Thou hast kindled
 In darkness around,
 Oh, may they illumine
 Our spirits within.
 - f All glory to Thee,
 Who, hid from our sight,
 Yet fillest with love
 The vast infinite!
 And for us revealed
 As One and yet Three,
 Dost call us from darkness
 Thy glory to see! Amen.



mf TTERNAL God! we look to Thee, To Thee for help we fly; Thine eye alone our wants can see, Thy hand alone supply.

Lord! let Thy fear within us dwell, f All praise to God the Father, Son, Thy love our footsteps guide: That love will all vain love expel: That fear all fear beside.

Not what we wish, but what we want, Oh, let Thy grace supply: The good unasked in mercy grant; The ill, though asked, deny.

And Holy Spirit be, The everlasting Three in One, The ever One in Three. Amen.

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Far from my heavenly home,
Far from my Father's breast,
Fainting I cry, "Blest Spirit, come
And speed me to my rest."

mf My spirit homeward turns,
And fain would thither flee;
dim My heart, O Sion, droops and yearns,
When I remember thee.

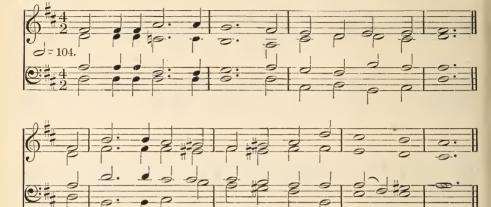
mf To thee, to thee I press,
A dark and toilsome road;
When shall I pass the wilderness,
And reach the Saints' abode?

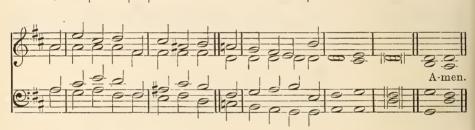
mf God of my life, be near,
On Thee my hopes I cast,
Oh, guide me through the desert here,
2r And bring me home at last. Amen.

VIA PACIS.

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J. Barnby, 1838-1896.





FATHER of all, to Thee
With loving hearts we pray,
Through Him, in mercy given,
The Life, the Truth, the Way:
From heaven, Thy throne, in mercy
shed

Thy blessings on each bended head.

Father of all, to Thee
Our contrite hearts we raise,
Unstrung by sin and pain,
Long voiceless in Thy praise;

cr Breathe Thou the silent chords along, mf In storm and calm give us to see Until they tremble into song.

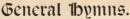
The path of peace which leads to T

We breathe unuttered fears,
Deep-hidden in our souls,
That have no voice but tears:
Take Thou our hand, and through the
wild
Lead gently on each trustful child.

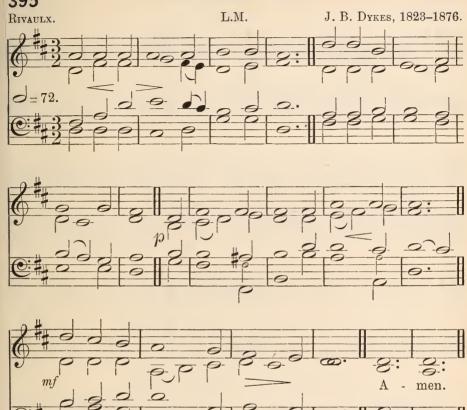
Father of all, to Thee

Father of all, may we
In praise our tongues employ,
When gladness fills the soul
With deep and hallowed joy;
In storm and calm give us to see
The path of peace which leads to Thee.

Amen.







RATHER of heaven, Whose love mf Eternal Spirit, by Whose breath profound

A ransom for our souls hath found, . p Before Thy throne we sinners bend;

mf To us Thy pardoning love extend.

mf Almighty Son, Incarnate Word, Our Prophet, Priest, Redeemer, Lord, p Before Thy throne we sinners bend;

mf To us Thy saving grace extend.

The soul is raised from sin and death.

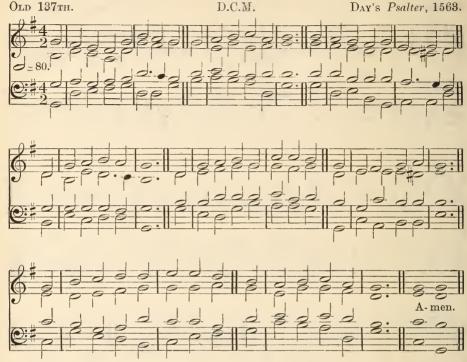
p Before Thy throne we sinners bend; mf To us Thy quickening power extend.

mf Jehovah, Father, Spirit, Son,

Mysterious Godhead! Three in One!

p Before Thy throne we sinners bend; mf Grace, pardon, life to us extend.

Amen.



May also be sung to "St. Matthew," No. 338.

mf RATHER of love, our Guide and Friend,

Oh, lead us gently on, Until life's trial-time shall end, And heavenly peace be won!

We know not what the path may be As yet by us untrod;

cr But we can trust our all to Thee,

f Our Father and our God!

mf If called, like Abraham's child, to climb

The hill of sacrifice,

cr Some Angel may be there in time; Deliverance shall arise: p Or, if some darker lot be good,
 Oh, teach us to endure
 The sorrow, pain, or solitude,
 That make the spirit pure!

mf Christ by no flowery pathway came;
And we, His followers here,
Must do Thy will and praise Thy

Name,

In hope, and love, and fear.

cr And, till in heaven we sinless bow, And faultless anthems raise,

O Father, Son, and Spirit, now Accept our feeble praise! Amen.

CHILDHOOD.

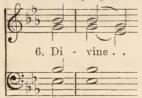
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C. J. Dickinson, 1822-1883.





The last verse may begin thus:



mf FATHER of mercies, in Thy word
What endless glory shines!
For ever be Thy Name adored
For these celestial lines.

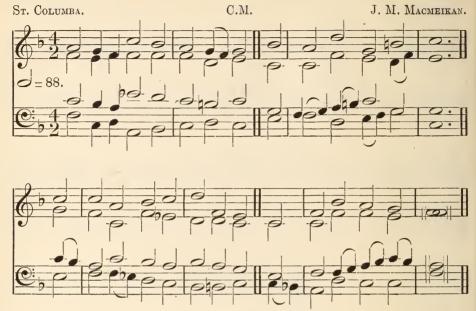
Here may the blind and hungry come, And light and food receive; Here shall the meanest guest have And taste and see and live. [room,

Here springs of consolation rise
To cheer the fainting mind,
And thirsting souls receive supplies,
And sweet refreshment find.

Here the Redeemer's welcome voice Spreads heavenly peace around, And life and everlasting joys Attend the blissful sound.

Oh, may these heavenly pages be My ever dear delight, And still new beauties may I see, And still increasing light.

Divine Instructor, gracious Lord,
Be Thou for ever near;
Teach me to love Thy sacred word,
And view my Saviour here. Amen.



p RATHER, whate'er of earthly bliss
Thy sovereign will denies,
Accepted at Thy throne of grace
Let this petition rise:—

Give me a calm and thankful heart,
From every murmur free;
The blessings of Thy grace impart,
And let me live to Thee.

cr Let the sweet hope that Thou art mine
My path of life attend;
Thy presence through my journey shine,
mf And crown my journey's end.







f F^{IERCE} raged the tempest o'er the deep,
Watch did Thine anxious servants keep,

dim But Thou wast wrapped in guileless sleep,

p Calm and still.

mf" Save, Lord, we perish," was their cry,
"Oh save us in our agony!"

or Thy word above the storm rose high,

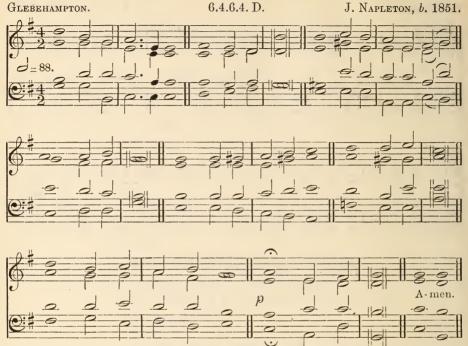
Thy word above the storm rose high,

p " Peace, be still."

The wild winds hushed; the angry deep Sank, like a little child, to sleep;
 The sullen billows ceased to leap At Thy Will.

mf So, when our life is clouded o'er,
And storm-winds drift us from the shore,
Say, lest we sink to rise no more,

p "Peace, be still." Amen.



FIERCE was the wild billow,
Dark was the night;
Oars laboured heavily;
Foam glimmered white;
Trembled the mariners;
Peril was high;

mf Then said the God of God,
p "Peace: it is I."

mf Ridge of the mountain wave,
Lower thy crest:
Wail of Euroclydon,
dim Be Thou at rest.
cr Sorrow can never be,
Darkness must fly,

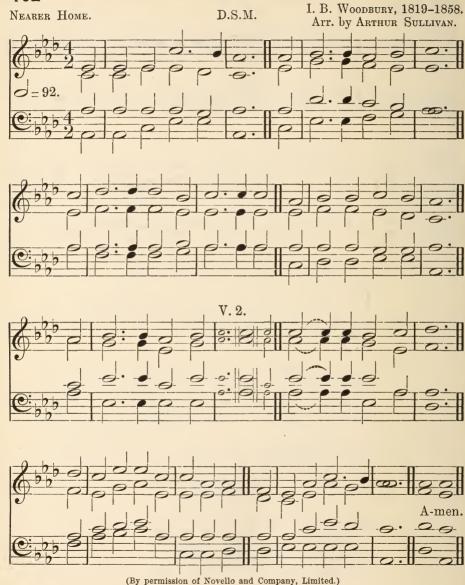
mf Where saith the Light of Light, p "Peace: it is I."

p Jesu, Deliverer,
Come Thou to me;
Soothe Thou my voyaging
Over life's sea;
cr Thou, when the storm of death
Roars sweeping by,
dim Whisper, O Truth of Truth,
p "Peace: it is I." Amen.



May also be sung to "Pentecost," No. 196.

- f FIGHT the good fight with all thy might,
 Christ is thy strength, and Christ thy right;
 Lay hold on life, and it shall be
 Thy joy and crown eternally.
- mf Run the straight race through God's good grace, Lift up thine eyes, and seek His face; Life with its way before us lies, f Christ is the path, and Christ the prize.
- mf Cast care aside upon thy Guide; Lean, and His mercy will provide; Lean, and the trusting soul shall prove f Christ is its life, and Christ its love.
- mf Faint not, nor fear, His arms are near,He changeth not, and thou art dear;f Only believe, and thou shalt seeThat Christ is all in all to thee. Amen.



General Ibomns.

f "FOR ever with the Lord!"
Amen, so let it be;

cr Life from the dead is in that word. 'Tis immortality.

Here in the body pent, Absent from Him I roam.

cr Yet nightly pitch my moving tent A day's march nearer home.

mf My Father's house on high, Home of my soul, how near At times to faith's foreseeing eye The golden gates appear! Ah! then my spirit faints

To reach the land I love.

f The bright inheritance of Saints, Jerusalem above.

f "For ever with the Lord!" mf Father, if 'tis Thy will, The promise of that faithful word Even here to me fulfil: Be Thou at my right hand, Then can I never fail; cr Uphold Thou me, and I shall stand; Fight, and I must prevail!

So when my latest breath Shall rend the veil in twain, cr By death I shall escape from death,

And life eternal gain.

mf Knowing as I am known, How shall I love that word,

cr And oft repeat before the throne, "For ever with the Lord!" Amen.





For the glory of the earth,

For the glory of the skies,

For the love which from our birth

Over and around us lies,

Lord of all, to Thee we raise

This our grateful psalm of praise!

mf For the wonder of each hour
Of the day and of the night,
Hill and vale, and tree and flower,
Sun and moon, and stars of light,
f Lord of all, to Thee we raise
This our grateful psalm of praise!

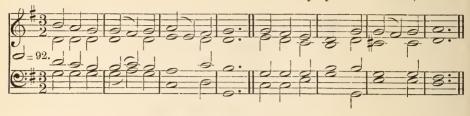
mf For the joy of human love,
Brother, sister, parent, child,
Friends on earth, and friends above,
Pleasures pure and undefiled,
f Lord of all, to Thee we raise
This our grateful psalm of praise!

f For Thy Church that evermore
Lifteth holy hands above,
Offering up on every shore
Her pure sacrifice of love,
Lord of all, to Thee we raise
This our grateful psalm of praise! Amen.

For thee, O dear, dear country—561 [Part III.]

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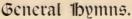
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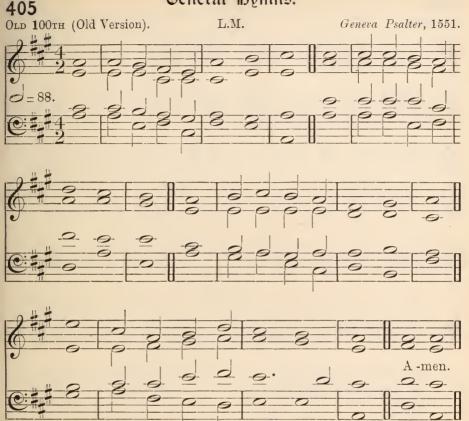






- TORTH from the dark and stormy sky,
 Lord! to Thine Altar's shade we fly:
 Forth from the world, its hope and fear,
 Saviour! we seek Thy shelter here:
- p Weary and weak, Thy grace we pray: Turn not, O Lord, Thy guests away!
- mf Long have we roamed in want and pain; Long have we sought Thy rest in vain; Wildered in doubt, in darkness lost, Long have our souls been tempest-tost:
 - p Low at Thy feet our sins we lay; Turn not, O Lord, Thy guests away! Amen.





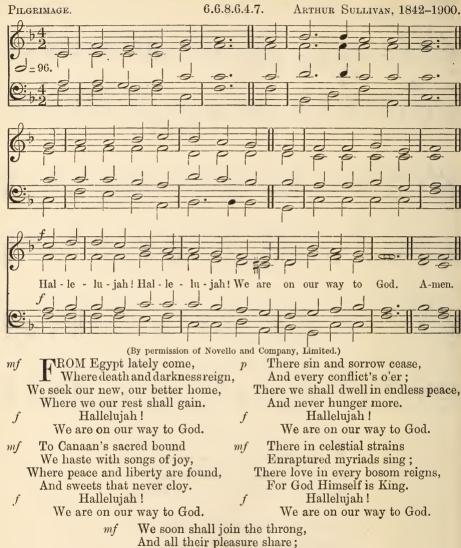
f ROM all that dwell below the skies

Let the Creator's praise arise:

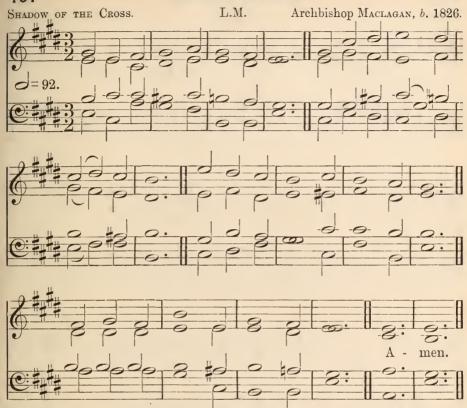
Let the Redeemer's Name be sung

Through every land, by every tongue.

Eternal are Thy mercies, Lord:
Eternal truth attends Thy word.
Thy praise shall sound from shore to shore,
Till suns shall rise and set no more. Amen.



We soon shall join the throng,
And all their pleasure share;
We'll sing the everlasting song,
With all the ransomed there.
Hallelujah!
We are on our way to God. Amen.
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blows, From every swelling tide of woes,

dim There is a calm, a sure retreat; 'Tis found beneath the Mercy-seat.

p There is a place where Jesus sheds

cr The oil of gladness on our heads; A place than all beside more sweet;

p It is the blood-stained Mercy-seat.

mf FROM every stormy wind that mf There is a spot where spirits blend, And friend holds fellowship with friend; Though sundered far, by faith they meet

Around one common Mercy-seat.

p Ah, whither could we flee for aid, When tempted, desolate, dismayed? Or how the hosts of hell defeat, Had suffering saints no Mercy-seat?

f There, there on eagle-wing we soar, And time and sense seem all no more, And heaven comes down our souls to greet, And glory crowns the Mercy-seat. Amen-



From guilty pride, and lust of power;
From wild sedition's lawless hour;
From yoke of slavery:
From blinded zeal by faction led;
From giddy change by fancy bred;
From poisonous error's serpent head,
Good Lord, preserve us free!

Defend, O God! with guardian hand,

The laws and ruler of our land,

And grant our Church Thy grace to stand

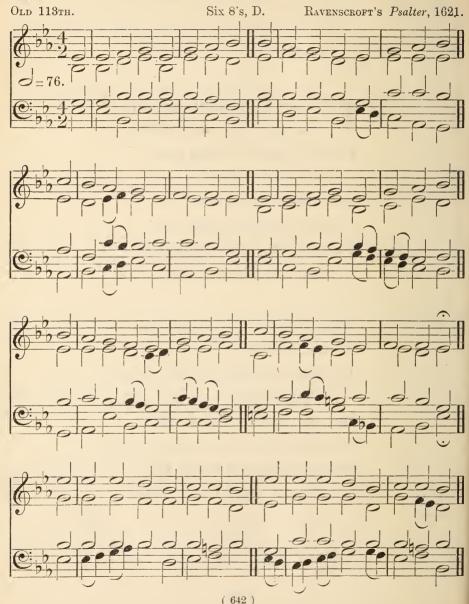
In faith and unity!

The Spirit's help of Thee we crave,

cr That Thou, Whose Blood was shed to save,

Mayest at Thy second coming, have

f A flock to welcome Thee! Amen.





FROM highest heaven the Eternal Son, With God the Father ever One, Came down to suffer and to die; For love of sinful man He bore Our human griefs and troubles sore, Our load of guilt and misery.

f Rejoice, ye Saints of God, and praise
The Lamb Who died, His flock to raise
From sin and everlasting woe;
With Angels round the throne above
Oh tell the wonders of His love,
The joys that from His mercy flow.

p In darkest shades of night we lay, Without a beam to guide our way,

Or hope of aught beyond the grave; mf But He has brought us life and light,

cr And opened heaven to our sight,

f And lives for ever strong to save.

ff Rejoice, ye Saints of God, rejoice;
Sing out, and praise with cheerful voice
The Lamb Whom heaven and earth adore;
To Him Who gave His Only Son,
To God the Spirit, with Them One,
Be praise and glory evermore.





f C LORIOUS things of thee are spoken,
Zion, city of our God;
He, Whose word cannot be broken,
Formed thee for His own abode:
On the Rock of ages founded,
What can shake thy sure repose?
With salvation's walls surrounded,
Thou mayest smile at all thy foes.

mf See, the streams of living waters
Springing from eternal love,
Well supply thy sons and daughters,
And all fear of want remove.
Who can faint, when such a river
Ever flows their thirst to assuage?
Grace which, like the Lord the Giver,
Never fails from age to age!

Round each habitation hovering,
See the cloud and fire appear,
For a glory and a covering,
Showing that the Lord is near.
Thus they march, the pillar leading,
Light by night and shade by day,
Daily on the manna feeding,
Which He gives them when they pray.

mf Saviour, if of Zion's city
I through grace a member am;
Let the world deride or pity,
f I will glory in Thy Name:
p Fading is the worldling's pleasure,
All its boasted pomp and show;
f Solid joys and lasting treasure
None but Zion's children know.



CASWALL.

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F. FILITZ, 1804-1876.





mf CLORY be to Jesus,
Who in bitter pains,
Poured for me the Life-blood
From His sacred veins.

Grace and life eternal
In that Blood I find;
Blest be His compassion,
Infinitely kind.

Blest through endless ages
Be the precious stream,
dim Which from endless torment
cr Did the world redeem.

mf Abel's blood for vengeance
Pleaded to the skies;
But the Blood of Jesus
For our pardon cries.

Oft as it is sprinkled On our guilty hearts, Satan in confusion, Terror-struck, departs.

f Oft as earth exulting
Wafts its praise on high,
Angel-hosts, rejoicing,
Make their glad reply.

f Lift ye then your voices;
Swell the mighty flood;
Louder still and louder
Praise the precious Blood. Amen.



P G O to dark Gethsemane, Ye that feel the tempter's power; Your Redeemer's conflict see;

Watch with Him one bitter hour. Turn not from His griefs away; Learn of Jesus Christ to pray.

Follow to the judgment-hall,

View the Lord of Life arraigned; Oh the wormwood and the gall!

Oh the pangs His soul sustained! Shun not suffering, shame, or loss; Learn of Him to bear the cross.

Calvary's mournful mountain climb,

There, adoring at His feet, Mark that miracle of time.

God's own sacrifice complete:

"It is finished,"—hear the cry;
Learn of Jesus Christ to die.

Early hasten to the tomb,

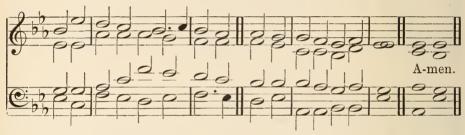
Where they laid His breathless All is solitude and gloom; [clay;

cr Who hath taken Him away?

f Christ is risen! He meets our eyes.

p Saviour, teach us so to rise! Amen.



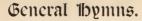


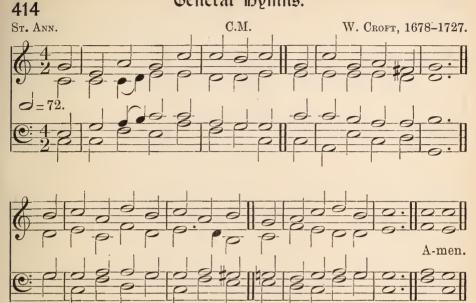
of OD is Love: His mercy brightens
All the path in which we rove;
Bliss He wakes and woe He lightens:
God is Wisdom, God is Love.

p Death and change are busy ever;Man decays, and ages move;cr But His mercy waneth never;God is Wisdom, God is Love.

p Even the hour that darkest seemeth
 cr Will His changeless goodness prove;
 f From the mist His brightness streameth;
 God is Wisdom, God is Love.

mf He with earthly cares entwinethHope and comfort from above;f Everywhere His glory shineth;God is Wisdom, God is Love. Amen.





f G OD is our Refuge, tried and proved Amid a stormy world; We will not fear, though earth be moved, And hills in ocean hurled.

The waves may roar, the mountains shake, The kingdoms fail and cease; The Lord His Saints will not forsake. The Lord will give us peace.

p A gentle stream of hope and love To us shall ever flow: It issues from His throne above, It cheers His Church below.

mf When earth and hell against us came, He spoke, and quelled their powers; f The Lord of Hosts is still the same, The God of grace is ours. Amen.



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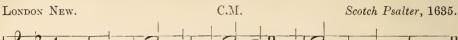
f OD is our stronghold and our stay,
Our hope in tribulation;
What though the mountains rock and sway
To earth's long-hid foundation;
What though the ocean roar,
Fast gaining on the shore,
The hurtling storm rage loud
Beneath the thunder-cloud?
Our hearts are all untroubled.

p The might of water sinks to rest;—
How calm you river glideth,—
God's city mirrored on its breast,—
The house where He abideth!
Hushed be all strife and din!
His Presence dwells within,
cr She standeth unremoved,
mf By God Himself beloved,
f Who helpeth her right early.

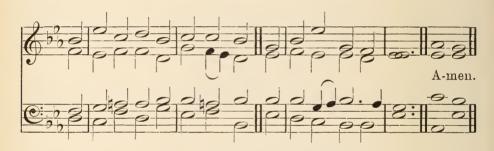
mf In vain the heathen shout for war,
 In vain our foes assemble;
 The voice of God is heard from far,
 And earth itself shall tremble.
 He breaks the spear and bow,
 He lays the warrior low,
 The chariot burns with flame;
 Our trust is in His Name,
 And Jacob's God our Refuge!

p Be still, the Lord is God alone,
Let all the world adore Him,
And bending low before His throne
For pitying grace implore Him.
His kingdom is within,
O'er hearts made pure from sin,
Where love that casts out fear
Exults to feel Him near,—
f The Lord of Hosts our Refuge.









mf OD moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform; He plants His footsteps in the sea, And rides upon the storm.

Deep in unfathomable mines Of never-failing skill He treasures up His bright designs And works His sovereign will.

Ye fearful Saints, fresh courage take; The clouds ye so much dread Are big with mercy, and shall break cr God is His own interpreter, In blessings on your head.

Judge not the Lord by feeble sense, But trust Him for His grace; p Behind a frowning providence He hides a smiling face.

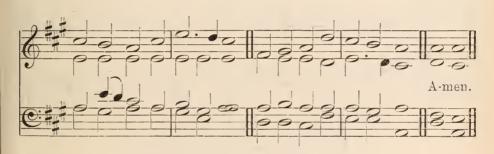
mf His purposes will ripen fast, Unfolding every hour; The bud may have a bitter taste, But sweet will be the flower.

Blind unbelief is sure to err, And scan His work in vain; And He will make it plain. Amen. Dix.

Six 7's.

C. Kocher, 1786-1872.





mf GOD of mercy, God of grace,
Show the brightness of Thy face;
Shine upon us, Saviour, shine,
Fill Thy Church with light divine;
cr And Thy saving health extend
Unto earth's remotest end.

- f Let the people praise Thee, Lord;Be by all that live adored;
- ff Let the nations shout and sing Glory to their Saviour King;
- p At Thy feet their tribute pay, And Thy holy will obey.

f Let the people praise Thee, Lord;
Earth shall then her fruits afford;
God to man His blessing give,
Man to God devoted live;
All below, and all above,
One in joy, and light, and love. Amen.



p GRACIOUS Spirit, Life Divine,
Breathe on us Thy Life benign:
Life, to join ourselves to Thee;
Life, our life in Thee to see.

- mf Holy Spirit, Fire Divine,
 With Thy fire our souls refine:
 Fire, to purge our sins away;
 Fire, to cleanse us for Thy day.
- mf Bounteous Spirit, Light Divine, Cause on us Thy Light to shine: Light, our path in life to see; Light, to lead our feet to Thee.
 - p Gentle Spirit, Love Divine,
 With Thy Love all love entwine:
 Love, in trial peace to give;
 Love, for all through life to live.

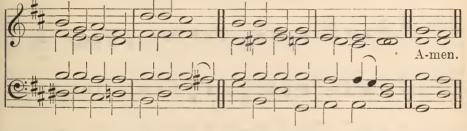


KIEL.

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A. J. Romberg, 1767-1821.





mf C RACIOUS Spirit, Love Divine!

Let Thy light around us shine;

All our guilty fears remove,

p Fill us with Thy peace and love.

mf Pardon to the contrite give;
Bid the wounded sinner live;
Lead us to the Lamb of God;
p Wash us through His precious Blood.

mf Earnest Thou of heavenly rest, Comfort every troubled breast; Life and joy and peace impart, Sanctifying every heart.

p Guardian Spirit, lest we stray, Keep us in the heavenly way;

cr Bring us to the courts above,

f Realms of light and endless love. Amen.



P GREAT God, Who, hid from mortal sight,
Dost dwell in unapproachèd light,
Before Whose throne with veilèd brow
Thy sinless Angels trembling bow.

Awhile in darkness here below

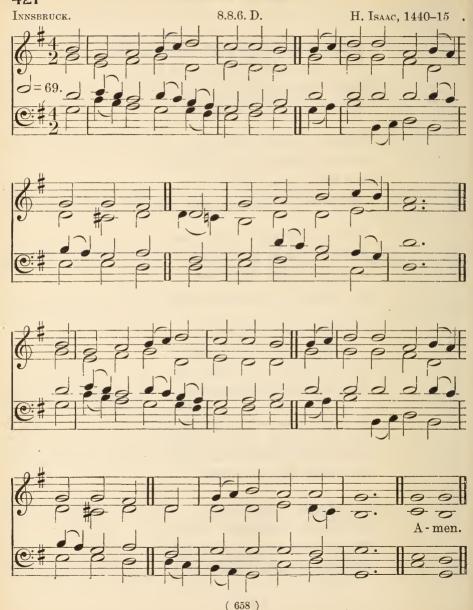
We lie oppressed with sin and woe;

mf But soon the everlasting day

Shall chase the night of gloom away;—

The day prepared for us by Thee; The day reserved for us to see; A day but faintly imaged here By brightest sun at noontide clear.

- p Too long, alas! it still delays,It lingers yet, that day of days;The flesh, with all its load of sin,Must perish, ere its joy we win.
- f Then from these earthly bonds set free The soul shall fly, O God, to Thee; To see Thee, love Thee, and adore, Her blissful task for evermore.
- p All-bounteous Trinity! prepareOur souls Thy hidden joy to share,cr That our brief daytime, used aright,May issue in eternal light. Amen.



mf GREAT Mover of all hearts, Whose hand

Doth all the secret springs command

Of human thought and will,

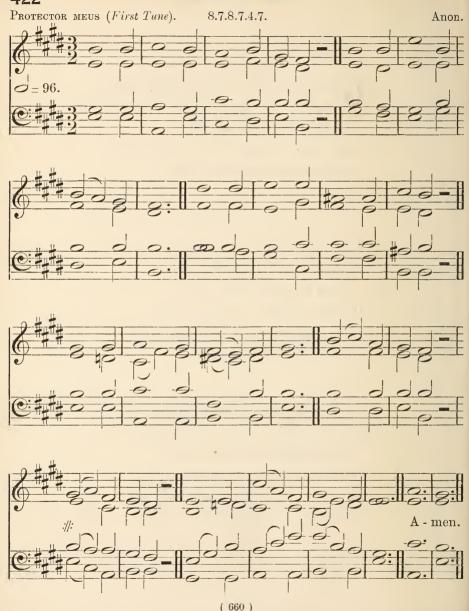
Thou, since the world was made, dost bless

Thy Saints with fruits of holiness,

Their order to fulfil.

mf Faith, hope, and love here weave one chain;
f But love alone shall then remain
dim When this short day is gone:
cr O Love, O Truth, O endless Light,
f When shall we see Thy Sabbath bright
With all our labours done?

p We sow 'mid perils here and tears;
mf There the glad hand the harvest bears,
Which here in grief hath sown:
f Great God Triune, the increase give;
And these Thy gifts, by which we live,
With heavenly glory crown. Amen.



General Ibymns.



When I tread the verge of Jordan,
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death, and hell's destruction,
Land me safe on Canaan's side:
Songs of praises
I will ever give to Thee. Amen.

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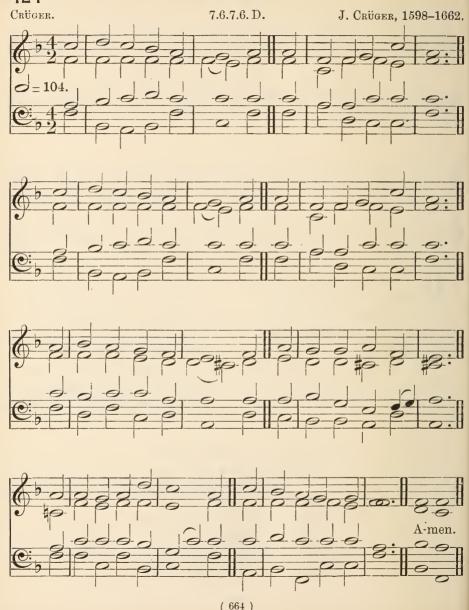


Hail, Thou once despised Jesus,
Hail, Thou Galilean King!
Who didst suffer to release us,
Who didst free salvation bring!
Hail, Thou universal Saviour
Who hast borne our sin and shame;
By Whose merits we find favour,
Life is given through Thy Name.

p Paschal Lamb, by God appointed,
All our sins were on Thee laid;
mf By Almighty love anointed,
Thou hast full atonement made:
Every sin may be forgiven
Through the virtue of Thy Blood;
f Opened is the gate of heaven;

Peace is made 'twixt man and God.

f Jesu, hail! Enthroned in glory,
There for ever to abide,
All the heavenly Hosts adore Thee,
Seated at Thy Father's side!
Worship, honour, power, and blessing,
Thou art worthy to receive;
Loudest praises, without ceasing,



General Ibymns.

- f HAIL to the Lord's Anointed, Great David's greater Son! Hail, in the time appointed, His reign on earth begun! He comes to break oppression To set the captive free; To take away transgression, And rule in equity.
- All nations shall adore Him. His praise all people sing; For He shall have dominion O'er river, sea, and shore, Far as the eagle's pinion Or dove's light wing can soar.
- mf He comes with succour speedy To those who suffer wrong: To help the poor and needy, And bid the weak be strong: To give them songs for sighing, Their darkness turn to light, Whose souls, condemned and dying, Were precious in His sight.
- And daily vows ascend; f His Kingdom still increasing, A Kingdom without end: mf The mountain-dews shall nourish A seed in weakness sown, f Whose fruit shall spread and flourish, And shake like Lebanon.

mf For Him shall prayer unceasing

f Kings shall fall down before Him,

And gold and incense bring;

- mf He shall come down like showers Upon the fruitful earth: And love, joy, hope, like flowers, Spring in His path to birth: Before Him, on the mountains, Shall Peace, the herald, go; And Righteousness, in fountains, From hill to valley flow.
- f O'er every foe victorious, He on His throne shall rest, From age to age more glorious, All-blessing and all-blest; The tide of time shall never His covenant remove: His Name shall stand for ever, That Name to us is—Love.

Amen.

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J. B. Dykes, 1823-1876.



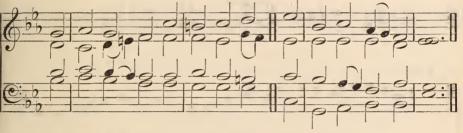


- ARK, my soul! it is the Lord; 'Tis thy Saviour, hear His word; Jesus speaks, and speaks to thee, p "Say, poor sinner, lovest thou Me?
- mf" Mine is an unchanging love, Higher than the heights above, Deeper than the depths beneath, Free and faithful, strong as death.
- mf" I delivered thee when bound, [wound; And, when wounded, healed thy Sought thee wandering, set thee right, Turned thy darkness into light.
- f" Thou shalt see My glory soon, When the work of grace is done; Partner of My throne shalt be; Say, poor sinner, lovest thou Me?"
- "Can a woman's tender care Cease towards the child she bare?
- mf Yet I love Thee, and adore;
- Yes, she may forgetful be,
- Oh for grace to love Thee more.
- Yet will I remember thee.

Amen.

Lord, it is my chief complaint That my love is weak and faint;





TEAL us, Emmanuel; hear our prayer; We wait to feel Thy touch:
Deep-wounded souls to Thee repair;
And, Saviour, we are such.

Our faith is feeble, we confess; We faintly trust Thy word: But wilt Thou pity us the less? Be that far from Thee, Lord!

Remember him who once applied
With trembling for relief;
"Lord, I believe," with tears he cried,
"Help Thou mine unbelief!"

She too, who touched Thee in the press, And healing virtue stole, Was answered, "Daughter, go in peace, Thy faith hath made thee whole."

Like her, with hopes and fears we come To touch Thee if we may; Oh, send us not despairing home; Send none unhealed away!



VENI SANCTE SPIRITUS (First Tune). VERSE 1, Mode I. Ancient Plain Song. To be sung in Unison. Verse 2. VERSE 3. (668)





VERSE 5.

VERSE 4.



HOLY Spirit! Lord of Light!
From the clear celestial height
Thy pure beaming radiance give:
Come, Thou Father of the poor!
Come, with treasures which endure!
Come, Thou Light of all that live!

2.

Thou of all consolers best,
Thou the soul's delightsome Guest,
Dost refreshing peace bestow;
Thou in toil art comfort sweet;
Pleasant coolness in the heat;
Solace in the midst of woe.

Light immortal, Light Divine!
Visit Thou these hearts of Thine,
And our inmost being fill:
If Thou take Thy grace away,
Nothing pure in man will stay;
All his good is turned to ill.

4. Heal our wounds; our strength renew;

On our dryness pour Thy dew;
Wash the stains of guilt away:
Bend the stubborn heart and will;
Melt the frozen, warm the chill;
Guide the steps that go astray.

5

Thou on those who evermore
Thee confess and Thee adore,
In Thy sevenfold gifts descend:
Give them comfort when they die;
Give them life with Thee on high,
Give them joys that never end. Amen.

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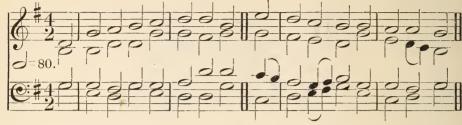
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J. PACHELBEL, 1653-1706. Adapted by J. Goss.







TOSANNA to the living Lord! Hosanna to the Incarnate Word! To Christ, Creator, Saviour, King, Let earth, let heaven, Hosanna sing. Hosanna in the Highest!

mf O Saviour, with protecting care Return to this Thy house of prayer, Assembled in Thy sacred Name, Where we Thy parting promise claim. Hosanna in the Highest!

p But, chiefest, in our cleansèd breast, Eternal! bid Thy Spirit rest; cr And make our secret soul to be

A temple pure, and worthy Thee! f Hosanna in the Highest!

p So, in the last and dreadful day, [way, When earth and heaven shall melt acr Thy flock, redeemed from sinful stain, Shall swell the sound of praise again.

Hosanna in the Highest! Amen.

General Ibymns.

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St. Peter.

C.M.

A. R. Reinagle, 1799-1877.





mf HOW sweet the Name of Jesus sounds

In a believer's ear! [wounds,
It soothes his sorrows, heals his
And drives away his fear.

It makes the wounded spirit whole,
And calms the troubled breast;
'Tis manna to the hungry soul,
And to the weary rest.

mf Dear Name! the rock on which I build!

My shield and hiding-place!

My never-failing treasury, filled

With boundless stores of grace!

f Jesus! my Shepherd, Brother, Friend,

My Prophet, Priest, and King,
My Lord, my Life, my Way, my End,
Accept the praise I bring.

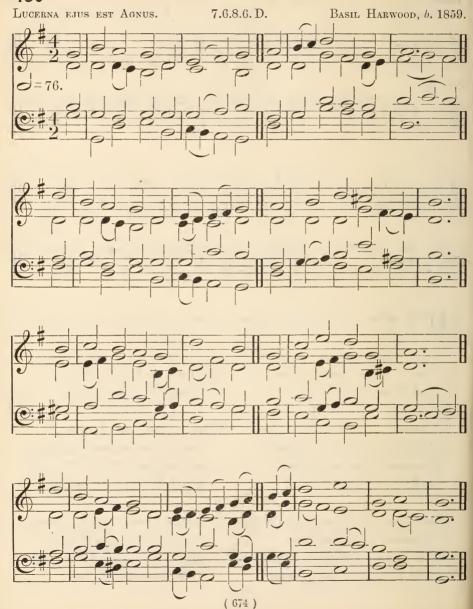
p Weak is the effort of my heart,
And cold my warmest thought;

cr But when I see Thee as Thou art, I'll praise Thee as I ought.

f Till then I would Thy love proclaim With every fleeting breath;

p And may the music of Thy Name Refresh my soul in death! Amen.

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HEARD a sound of voices

Around the great white throne, With harpers harping on their harps To Him Who sat thereon:

ff "Salvation, glory, honour," I heard the song arise, As through the courts of heaven it rolled In wondrous harmonies.

mf And there nor sun was needed, Nor moon to shine by night,

f God's glory did enlighten all, The Lamb Himself the Light:

mf And there His servants serve Him, And, life's long battle o'er,

f Enthroned with Him, their Saviour, King,

They reign for evermore.

f From every clime and kindred, And nations from afar,-As serried ranks returning home In triumph from a war: I heard the Saints upraising, The myriad hosts among, In praise of Him Who died, and lives, Their one glad triumph-song.

f O great and glorious vision!— The Lamb upon His throne-O wondrous sight for man to see! The Saviour with His own: To drink the living waters,

And stand upon the shore, Where neither sorrow, sin; nor death Shall ever enter more.

I saw the Holy City, The New Jerusalem. Come down from heaven a Bride adorned With jewelled diadem:

The flood of crystal waters Flowed down the golden street:

And nations brought their honours f Then open wide the gates of there,

And laid them at her feet.

ff O Lamb of God Who reignest! Thou Bright and Morning Star, Whose glory lightens that new earth

dim Which now we see from far;

cr O worthy Judge eternal! When Thou dost bid us come,

pearl,

And call Thy servants home. dim.





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T HEARD the voice of Jesus say, "Come unto Me and rest: Lay down, thou weary one, lay down Thy head upon My breast." I came to Jesus as I was, Weary, and worn, and sad; I found in Him a resting-place,

And He has made me glad.

p I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Behold, I freely give The living water; thirsty one, Stoop down, and drink, and live." mf * 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.

mf 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."

cr * I looked to Jesus, and I found In Him my Star, my Sun;

f And in that Light of life I'll walk Till travelling days are done.



* In verses 2 and 3, for music of lines 5 and 6, substitute the following:— Of Je - sus. and I drank that life - giv - ing stream; In and I found Him my Sun:

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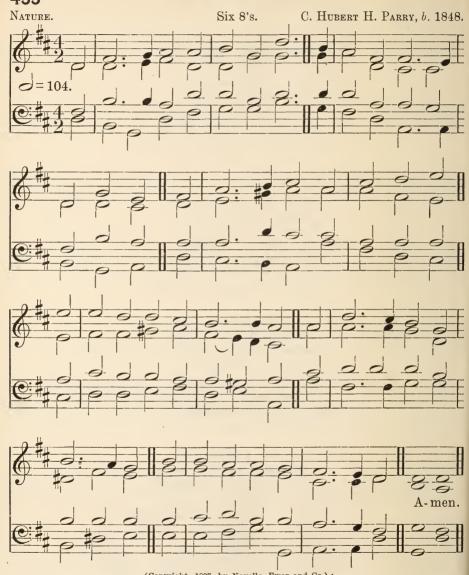
General Ibymns.

P NEED Thee, precious Jesu, For I am full of sin; My soul is dark and guilty, My heart is dead within.
mf I need the cleansing fountain Where I can always flee, The Blood of Christ most precious, The sinner's perfect plea.

p I need Thee, precious Jesu,
For I am very poor;
A stranger and a pilgrim,
I have no earthly store.
mf I need the love of Jesus
To cheer me on my way,
To guide my doubting footsteps,
To be my strength and stay.

p I need Thee, precious Jesu,
 I need a friend like Thee,
 A friend to soothe and pity,
 A friend to care for me.
I need the heart of Jesus
 To feel each anxious care,
 To tell my every trouble,
 And all my sorrow share.

mf I need Thee, precious Jesu,
And hope to see Thee soon,
Encircled with the rainbow,
And seated on Thy throne;
cr There, with Thy blood-bought children,
My joy shall ever be
f To sing Thy praises, Jesu,
To gaze, my Lord, on Thee. Amen.



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General Ibymns.

- Mf PRAISED the earth, in beauty seen With garlands gay of various green; I praised the sea, whose ample field Shone glorious as a silver shield; And earth and ocean seemed to say,
 p "Our beauties are but for a day."
- I praised the sun, whose chariot rolled
 On wheels of amber and of gold;
 I praised the moon, whose softer eye
 Gleamed sweetly through the summer sky;
 And moon and sun in answer said,
 p "Our days of light are numbered."
- mf O God, O Good beyond compare,
 If thus Thy meaner works are fair,
 If thus Thy bounties gild the span
 Of ruined earth and sinful man,
 How glorious must the mansion be
 Where Thy redeemed shall dwell with Thee. Amen.

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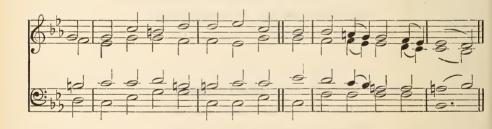
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M. HAYDN, 1737-1806.









IN exile here we wander,
In heaven is our abode,—
The city of the Angels,
The city of our God.

p And here we toil, and strive, and fight, With sin and woe opprest;

f There God will give the sons of light Eternal joy and rest.

Through many sore temptations,
By many sorrows torn,
We strive to win the glory;
Our many falls we mourn.
cr But faith holds out the vision bright
Of our eternal home;

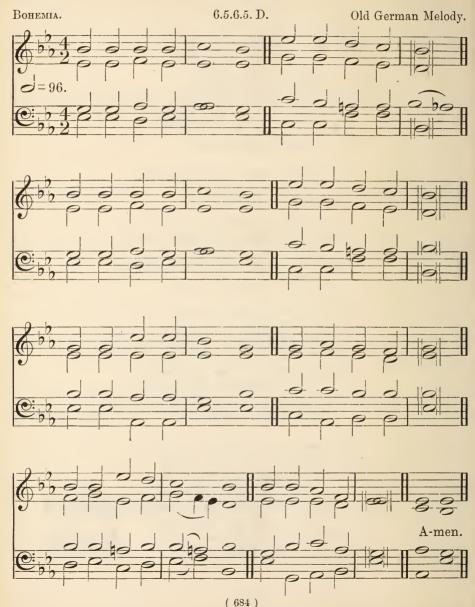
f And hope assures that realm of light, When we have overcome.

mf Jesu, our Joy and Gladness,
To Thee for aid we flee;
Give tears of true contrition;
Our souls from guilt set free:—
cr And we shall see that gladsome day,
f Where, bathed in joy divine,
Among Thy Saints, and bright as they,
We shall for ever shine.

f There we, as children dwelling,

mf Who here as exiles groan,
f God's praises shall be telling
Before His glorious throne;
There in our endless home shall rest
From strife and sorrow free,
And join the anthem of the blest
For ever, Lord, to Thee.





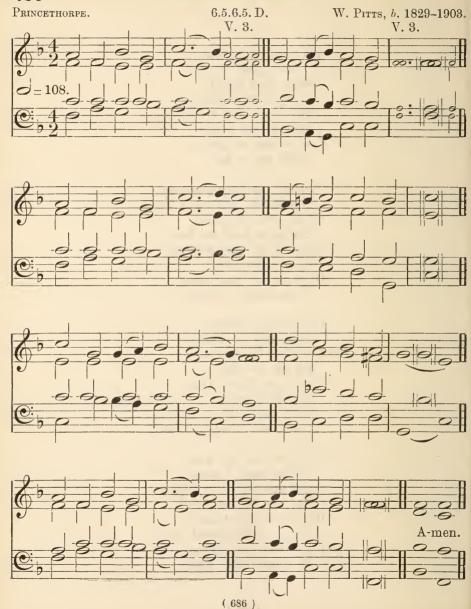
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p IN the hour of trial,
Jesu, plead for me;
Lest by base denial
I depart from Thee;
When Thou seest me waver,
With a look recall,
Nor for fear or favour
Suffer me to fall.

mf With its 'witching pleasures
 Would this vain world charm,
 Or its sordid treasures
 Spread to work me harm;
 P Bring to my remembrance
 Sad Gethsemane,
 Or, in darker semblance,
 Cross-crowned Calvary.

p If with sore affliction,
Thou in love chastise,
mf Pour Thy benediction
On the sacrifice.
Then upon Thine Altar
Freely offered up,
Though the flesh may falter,
Faith shall drink the Cup.

When in dust and ashes
 To the grave I sink,
While heaven's glory flashes
 O'er the shelving brink;
On Thy truth relying,
 Through that mortal strife,
cr Lord, receive me dying
 mf To eternal life. Amen.



mf IN the Name of Jesus
Every knee shall bow,
cr Every tongue confess Him
f King of Glory now;
mf 'Tis the Father's pleasure
We should call Him Lord,
cr Who from the beginning
Was the mighty Word.

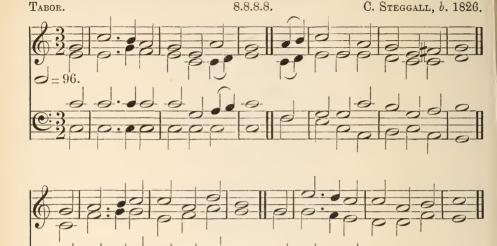
f At His voice creation
Sprang at once to sight,
All the Angel faces,
All the hosts of light,
Thrones and Dominations,
Stars upon their way,
All the heavenly Orders,
In their great array.

f Name Him, brothers, name Him
With love as strong as death,
p But humbly and with wonder,
And with bated breath
f He is God the Saviour,
He is Christ the Lord,
Ever to be worshipped,
Trusted and adored.

mf In your hearts enthrone Him;

There let Him subdue
All that is not holy,
All that is not true:
cr Crown Him as your Captain
In temptation's hour;
Let His Will enfold you
In its light and power.

f Brothers, this Lord Jesus
Shall return again,
With His Father's glory,
With His Angel train;
For all wreaths of empire
Meet upon His brow,
And our hearts confess Him
King of Glory now. Amen.



mf INSPIRER and Hearer of prayer,
Thou Shepherd and Guardian of
Thine,

My all to Thy covenant care
I sleeping and waking resign.

If Thou art my Shield and my Sun,
The night is no darkness to me,
And, fast as my moments roll on,
They bring me but nearer to Thee.

Thy ministering spirits descend

To watch while Thy Saints are asleep;

By day and by night they attend The heirs of salvation to keep.

Thy worship no interval knows,

Their fervour is still on the wing;

And, while they protect my repose,

They chant to the praise of my King.

f I too, at the season ordained,
 Their chorus for ever shall join;
 And love, and adore, without end,
 Their gracious Creator, and mine.





mf JERUSALEM, my happy home,
Name ever dear to me,
When shall my labours have an end
In joy, and peace, and thee?

When shall these eyes thy heaven-built walls
And pearly gates behold,
Thy hylmories with calcution strong

Thy bulwarks with salvation strong, And streets of shining gold?

There happier bowers than Eden's bloom, Nor sin nor sorrow know; Blest seats! through rude and stormy scenes

Blest seats! through rude and stormy scenes
I onward press to you.

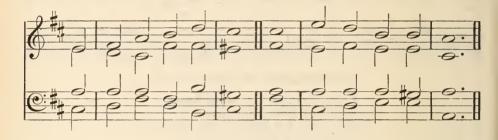
Why should I shrink at pain and woe, Or feel, at death, dismay? I've Canaan's goodly land in view, And realms of endless day.

Apostles, Martyrs, Prophets there Around my Saviour stand; And soon my friends in Christ below Will join the glorious band.

Jerusalem, my happy home,
My soul still pants for thee;
f Then shall my labours have an end
When I thy joys shall see.









mf JERUSALEM on high
My song and city is,
My home whene'er I die,
The centre of my bliss:
f O happy place!
When shall I be,
My God, with Thee,
To see Thy face?

mf There dwells my Lord, my King,
Judged here unfit to live;
There Angels to Him sing,
And lowly homage give:
f O happy place!
When shall I be,
My God, with Thee,
To see Thy face?

mf The Patriarchs of old

There from their travels cease;
The Prophets there behold
Their longed-for Prince of Peace:

f O happy place!
When shall I be,
My God, with Thee,
To see Thy face?

mf The Lamb's Apostles there
I might with joy behold;
The harpers I might hear
Harping on harps of gold;
f O happy place!
When shall I be,
My God, with Thee,
To see Thy face?

p The bleeding Martyrs, they
Within those courts are found,
cr Clothèd in pure array,
Their scars with glory crowned:
f O happy place!
When shall I be,
My God, with Thee,
To see Thy face?

mf Ah me! Ah me! that I
In Kedar's tents here stay;
No place like that on high;
Lord, thither guide my way:
f O happy place!
When shall I be,
My God, with Thee,
To see Thy face? Amen.

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JESU, Lover of my soul,
Let me to Thy bosom fly,
cr While the nearer waters roll,
While the tempest still is high.
mf Hide me, O my Saviour, hide,
Till the storm of life is past:
Safe into the haven guide,
Oh, receive my soul at last!

of Other refuge have I none,
Hangs my helpless soul on Thee;
p Leave—ah! leave me not alone,
Still support and comfort me.
cr All my trust on Thee is stayed,
All my help from Thee I bring;
Cover my defenceless head
p With the shadow of Thy wing.

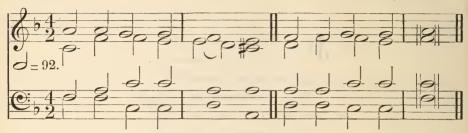
mf Plenteous grace with Thee is found,
Grace to cover all my sin!

cr Let the healing streams abound,
f Make and keep me pure within.
Thou of life the fountain art,
Freely let me take of Thee;
Spring Thou up within my heart;
Rise to all eternity. Amen.

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F. Filitz, 1804-1876.





p JESU, meek and gentle,
Son of God Most High,
Pitying, loving Saviour,
Hear Thy children's cry.

mf Pardon our offences,

Loose our captive chains,

Break down every idol

Which our soul detains.

Give us holy freedom.

Fill our hearts with love;

Draw us, holy Jesu,

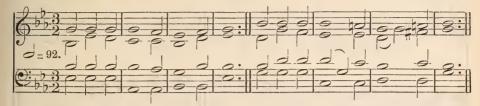
To the realms above.

Lead us on our journey,
Be Thyself the Way
Through terrestrial darkness
To celestial day.

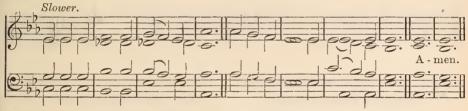
p Jesu, meek and gentle,
Son of God Most High,
Pitying, loving Saviour,
Hear Thy children's cry. Amen.

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J. Barnby, 1838-1896.







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TESU, my Lord, my God, my All, mf Jesu, what didst Thou find in me Hear me, blest Saviour, when I call:

cr Hear me, and from Thy dwelling-place Pour down the riches of Thy grace.

Jesu, my Lord, I Thee adore; Oh! make me love Thee more and more.

mf Jesu, too late I Thee have sought, How can I love Thee as I ought? And how extol Thy matchless fame, The glorious beauty of Thy Name?

Jesu, my Lord, I Thee adore: Oh! make me love Thee more and more.

That Thou hast dealt so lovingly? How great the joy that Thou hast brought!

Oh, far exceeding hope or thought! Jesu, my Lord, I Thee adore; Oh! make me love Thee more and more.

f Jesu, of Thee shall be my song, To Thee my heart and soul belong; All that I have or am is Thine; mine. And Thou, sweet Saviour, Thou art Jesu, my Lord, I Thee adore:

Oh! make me love Thee more and more. Amen.





JESU, our Hope, our heart's Desire, mf Oh may Thy mighty love prevail
Thy work of grace we sing;
Our sinful souls to spare!
Redeemer of the world art Thou,
Oh may we stand around Thy throne,
And see Thy glory there!

P How vast the mercy and the loveWhich laid our sins on Thee,And led Thee to a cruel death,To set Thy people free!

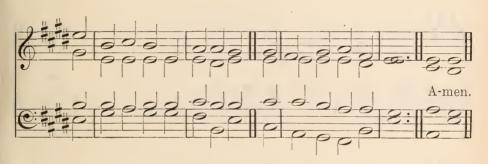
f But now the bonds of death are burst;
The ransom has been paid;
And Thou art on Thy Father's throne,
In glorious robes arrayed.

Jesu, our only Joy be Thou,
As Thou our Prize wilt be;
In Thee be all our glory now
And through eternity.

f All praise to Thee Who art gone up Triumphantly to heaven;All praise to God the Father's Name And Holy Ghost be given. Amen.







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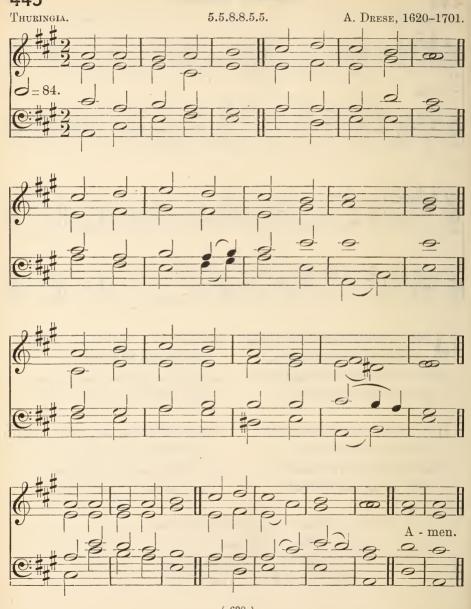
High on a throne of radiant light
Dost Thou exalted shine;
What can our poverty bestow,
When all the world is Thine?

But Thou hast brethren here below,
The partners of Thy grace,
And wilt confess their humble names
Before Thy Father's face.

In them Thou mayest be clothed and fed,
And visited and cheered;
And in their accents of distress
Our Saviour's voice is heard.

p Teach us, O Lord, with reverent love,
Thee in Thy poor to see,
cr And while we minister to them,
f To do it as to Thee. Amen.





mf JESU, still lead on,
Till our rest be won;

p And, although the way be cheerless,
cr We will follow, calm and fearless;
mf Guide us by Thy hand
dim To our fatherland.

p If the way be drear,
If the foe be near,
cr Let not faithless fears o'ertake us,
Let not faith and hope forsake us,
mf For, through many a foe,
To our home we go.

When we seek relief
From a long-felt grief,—
When opprest by new temptations,
cr Lord, increase and perfect patience;
Show us that bright shore
f Where we weep no more.

p Jesu, still lead on,
cr Till our rest be won.
Heavenly Leader, still direct us,
Still support, console, protect us,
f Till we safely stand
In our fatherland. Amen.

General Ibymns.





mf JESU, the very thought of Thee
With sweetness fills the breast;
But sweeter far Thy face to see,
And in Thy Presence rest.

No voice can sing, no heart can frame,
Nor can the memory find
A sweeter sound than Jesu's Name,
The Saviour of mankind.

O Hope of every contrite heart, O Joy of all the meek, To those who ask how kind Thou art, How good to those who seek!

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.

Jesu, our only Joy be Thou,
As Thou our Prize wilt be;
In Thee be all our glory now,
And through eternity. Amen.

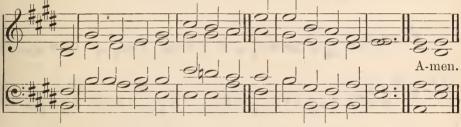
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ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST.

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J. B. CALKIN, b. 1827.





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f O JESU, King most wonderful,
Thou Conqueror renowned,
Thou sweetness most ineffable,
In Whom all joys are found!

f O Jesu, Light of all below,
 Thou Fount of living fire,
 Surpassing all the joys we know,
 And all we can desire;

my When once Thou visitest the heart,

Then truth begins to shine,

Then early vanities depart,

Then kindles love divine.

mf Jesu, may all confess Thy Name,
Thy wondrous love adore,
And, seeking Thee, themselves inflame
To seek Thee more and more.

f Thee, Jesu, may our voices bless,Thee may we love alone,And ever in our lives expressThe image of Thine Own. Amen.



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mf JESU, Thou Joy of loving hearts!
Thou Fount of life, Thou Light of men!
From the best bliss that earth imparts
We turn unfilled to Thee again.

mf Thy truth unchanged hath ever stood;
Thou savest those that on Thee call;
cr To them that seek Thee Thou art good;
To them that find Thee, all in all!

mf 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.

p Our restless spirits yearn for Thee,
Where'er our changeful lot is cast;
cr Glad when Thy gracious smile we see,
Blest when our faith can hold Thee fast.

mf O Jesu, ever with us stay;
 Make all our moments calm and bright;
cr Chase the dark night of sin away;
 Shed o'er the world Thy holy light.





mf JESUS, I my cross have taken,
All to leave and follow Thee;
Destitute, despised, forsaken,
Thou from hence my all shall be;
Perish every fond ambition,
All I've sought, or hoped, or known;
f Yet how rich is my condition!
God and heaven are still my own.

mf Man may trouble and distress me,
'Twill but drive me to Thy breast;
Life with trials hard may press me,
Heaven will bring me sweeter rest.
Oh, 'tis not in grief to harm me,
While Thy love is left to me;
Oh, 'twere not in joy to charm me,
Were that joy unmixed with Thee.

Take, my soul, 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;
What a Father's smile is thine;
What a Saviour died to win thee;
Child of heaven, shouldst thou repine?

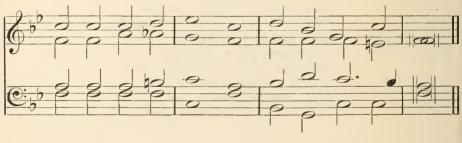
Haste then on from grace to glory,
Armed by faith and winged by prayer;
Heaven's eternal day's before thee,
God's own hand shall guide thee there.
Soon shall close thy earthly mission,
Swift shall pass thy pilgrim days;
cr Hope soon change to glad fruition,
f Faith to sight, and prayer to praise. Amen.

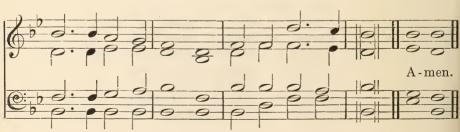
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- mf JESUS, I will trust Thee, trust Thee with my soul;
 Guilty, lost, and helpless, (cr) Thou canst make me whole.
- mf There is none in heaven or on earth like Thee:
- p Thou hadst died for sinners—therefore, Lord, for me.
- mf Jesus, I may trust Thee, Name of matchless worth,
 Spoken by the Angel at Thy wondrous Birth;
 - p Written, and for ever, on Thy Cross of shame,
- cr Sinners read and worship, trusting in that Name.
- mf Jesus, I must trust Thee, pondering Thy ways, Full of love and mercy all Thine earthly days:
 - p Sinners gathered round Thee, lepers sought Thy face— None too vile or loathsome for a Saviour's grace.
- mf Jesus, I can trust Thee, trust Thy written word,
 Though Thy voice of pity I have never heard.
 When Thy Spirit teacheth, to my taste how sweet—
 dim Only may I hearken, sitting at Thy feet.
 - f Jesus, I do trust Thee, trust without a doubt:

 Whosoever cometh Thou wilt not cast out;

 Faithful is Thy Promise, precious is Thy Blood;

 These my soul's salvation, Thou my Saviour God. Amen.

St. RAPHAEL.

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E. J. HOPKINS, 1818-1901.





TESUS, Lord of life and glory, [ear; mf When the world around is smiling, Bend from heaven Thy gracious While our waiting souls adore Thee, Friend of helpless sinners, hear: By Thy mercy,

Oh deliver us, good Lord. mf From the depths of nature's blindness, From the hardening power of sin, From all malice and unkindness,

From the pride that lurks within,

By Thy mercy, pOh deliver us, good Lord.

mf When temptation sorely presses, In the day of Satan's power, In our times of deep distresses, In each dark and trying hour,

By Thy mercy, Oh deliver us, good Lord.

In the time of wealth and ease, Earthly joys our hearts beguiling, In the day of health and peace, By Thy mercy, pOh deliver us, good Lord.

p In the weary hours of sickness, In the times of grief and pain, When we feel our mortal weakness, When the creature's help is vain, By Thy mercy, p

Oh deliver us, good Lord.

p In the solemn hour of dying, In the awful judgment day,

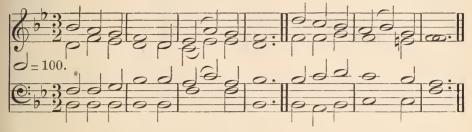
cr May our souls, on Thee relying, Find Thee still our Rock and Stay: By Thy mercy,

Oh deliver us, good Lord. Amen.

SAWLEY.

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J. Walch, 1837-1901.





mf JESUS, my Shepherd, here I know,
He knoweth all my needs;
And where the living waters flow
His flock He gently leads.

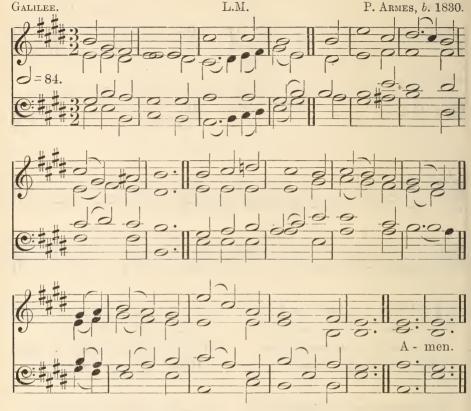
In righteous ways, my righteous Lord
His steps will have me trace,
And turns again my erring soul
Unto her resting-place.

Yea, in the still and shadowed land
No fears my heart dismay,
While on before, with staff in hand,
Himself He leads the way.

What if my foes around me press,
Thy Table, Lord, is spread,
The Cup of blessing Thou dost bless,
And joy is o'er me shed.

O Thou Who keepest grace and love For all my days in store, Grant me within Thy fold above To dwell for evermore.





f JESUS shall reign where'er the sun Does his successive journeys run; His kingdom stretch from shore to shore Till moons shall wax and wane no more.

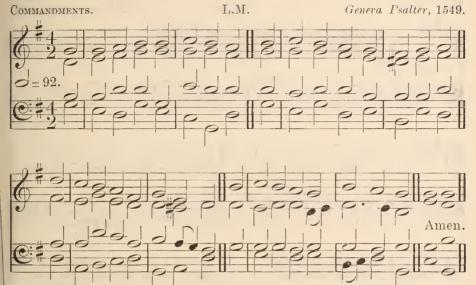
mf To Him shall endless prayer be made, And princes throng to crown His head; His Name like sweet perfume shall rise With every morning sacrifice. mf People and realms of every tongue Dwell on His love with sweetest song; p And infant voices shall proclaim

cr Their early blessings on His Name.

f Blessings abound where'er He reigns; The prisoner leaps to loose his chains, p The weary find eternal rest,

mf And all the sons of want are blest.

f Let every creature rise and bring Peculiar honours to our King; Angels descend with songs again, And earth repeat the long Amen. Amen.



mf JESUS, where'er Thy people meet, There they behold Thy Mercy-seat; Where'er they seek Thee, Thou art found,

And every place is hallowed ground.

For Thou, within no walls confined, Inhabitest the humble mind; Such ever bring Thee where they come,

And, going, take Thee to their home.

Dear Shepherd of Thy chosen few, Thy former mercies here renew; Here to our waiting hearts proclaim

The sweetness of Thy saving Name!

Here may we prove the power of prayer

To strengthen faith and sweeten care; To teach our faint desires to rise, And bring all heaven before our eyes!

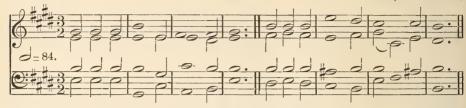
p Lord, we are few, (cr) but Thou art near;
 Nor short Thine arm, nor deaf Thine ear;
 Oh rend the heavens, come quickly down
 f And make a thousand hearts Thine own. Amen.

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St. Crispin.

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G. J. ELVEY, 1816-1893.





p JUST as I am, without one plea
But that Thy Blood was shed for me,
And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee,
O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind, cr Sight, riches, healing of the mind, Yea, all I need, in Thee to find, p O Lamb of God, I come!

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!

mf Just as I am, Thou wilt receive, Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve,

cr Because Thy promise I believe,
p O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am, though tossed about
With many a conflict, many a doubt,
Fightings and fears within, without,
O Lamb of God, I come!

mf Just as I am, Thy love unknownHas broken every barrier down;cr Now, to be Thine, yea, Thine alone,O Lamb of God, I come!

mf Just as I am, of that free love
The breadth, length, depth, and height to prove,
cr Here for a season, then above,
p O Lamb of God, I come!











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mf LEAD, kindly Light, amid the encircling gloom,

Lead Thou me on;

p The night is dark, and I am far from home;

cr Lead Thou me on.

mf Keep Thou my feet; I do not ask to see

The distant scene; (p) one step enough for me.

mf I was not ever thus, nor prayed that Thou Shouldst lead me on;

I loved to choose and see my path; (p) but now Lead Thou me on.

mf I loved the garish day, and, spite of fears,Pride ruled my will: (p) remember not past years.

mf So long Thy power hath blest me, sure it still
Will lead me on

cr O'er moor and fen, o'er crag and torrent, till

The night is gone,

f And with the morn those Angel faces smile

dim Which I have loved long since, (p) and lost awhile. Amen.

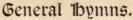


mf LEAD us, heavenly Father, lead us
O'er the world's tempestuous sea;
Guard us, guide us, keep us, feed us,
For we have no help but Thee;
cr Yet possessing every blessing,

f If our God our Father be.

p Saviour, breathe forgiveness o'er us,
All our weakness Thou dost know;
Thou didst tread this earth before us,
Thou didst feel its keenest woe:
Lone and dreary, faint and weary,
Through the desert Thou didst go.

mf Spirit of our God, descending,
Fill our hearts with heavenly joy,
Love with every passion blending,
Pleasure that can never cloy.
cr Thus provided, pardoned, guided,
f Nothing can our peace destroy. Amen.





G. J. ELVEY, 1816-1893. UNDIQUE GLORIA. 10.4.6.6.6.6.10.4.

f TET all the world in every corner sing f Let all the world in every corner sing My God and King! My God and King! [shout; The heavens are not too high, The Church with psalms must His praise may thither fly: No door can keep them out; The earth is not too low, But above all the heart His praises there may grow. Must bear the longest part.

ff Let all the world in every corner sing ff Let all the world in every corner sing My God and King! My God and King! Amen.



General Ibymns.

mf LET me be with Thee where Thou art,
My Saviour, my eternal rest:

p Then only will this longing heart
Be fully and for ever blest.

mf Let me be with Thee where Thou art,Thy unveiled glory to behold;p Then only will this wandering heartCease to be faithless, treacherous, cold.

f Let me be with Thee where Thou art,
Where spotless Saints Thy Name adore,
p Then only will this sinful heart
Be evil and defiled no more.

f Let me be with Thee where Thou art,

Where none can die, where none remove;

There neither life nor death will part

Me from Thy Presence and Thy love! Amen.





mf L IGHT'S abode, celestial Salem.
Vision whence true peace doth spring,

Brighter than the heart can fancy, Mansion of the Highest King;

f Oh, how glorious are the praises
Which of thee the prophets sing!

mf There for ever and for ever
 Alleluia is outpoured;
 For unending, for unbroken
 Is the feast-day of the Lord;

p All is pure and all is holy
That within thy walls is stored.

mf There no cloud nor passing vapour
Dims the brightness of the air;

er Endless noon-day, glorious noon-day, From the Sun of suns is there;

mf There no night brings rest from labour, For unknown are toil and care.

f. Oh, how glorious and resplendent, Fragile body, shalt thou be,

When endued with so much beauty, Full of health, and strong, and free,

Full of vigour, full of pleasure That shall last eternally!

mf Now with gladness, now with courage,
Bear the burden on thee laid,
That hereafter these thy labours
May with endless gifts be paid;

cr And in everlasting glory
Thou with brightness be arrayed.

f Laud and honour to the Father, Laud and honour to the Son, Laud and honour to the Spirit, Ever Three, and ever One,

Consubstantial, Co-eternal,
While unending ages run. Amen.



General Ibymns.

LO, God is here! Let us adore,
And own how dreadful is this place!

Let all within us feel His power,

And humbly bow before His face!

Lo, God is here! Him day and night

"United choirs of Angels praise:

"To Him, enthroned above all height,

The Host of heaven their anthems raise.

mf Almighty Father, may our praise

Thy courts with grateful fragrance fill;

Still may we stand before Thy face

Still hear and do Thy sovereign will.

f To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,

The God Whom earth and heaven adore.

From men and from the Angel-host,

Be praise and glory evermore.



Six 10's. Bishop C. Wordsworth, 1806-1892. WORDSWORTH.



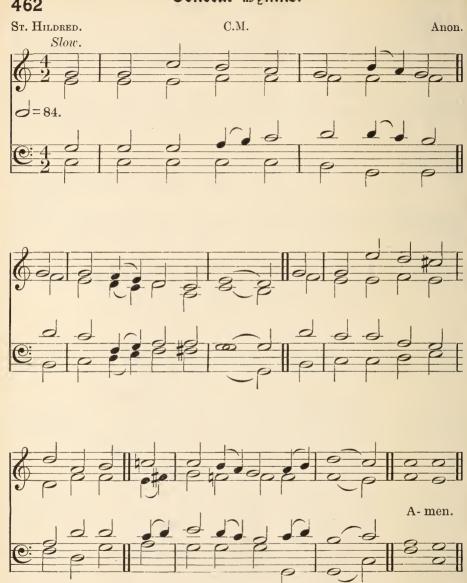
P L ONG did I toil, and knew no earthly rest,
Far did I rove, and found no certain home,
cr At last I sought them in His sheltering breast,
Who opes His arms, and bids the weary come:
With Him I found a home, a rest divine,
f And I since then am His, and He is mine.

mf The good I have is from His stores supplied;
The ill is only what He deems the best;
He for my Friend, I'm rich with nought beside;
And poor without Him, though of all possessed:
Changes may come; I take, or I resign,
cr Content, while I am His, while He is mine.

mf Whate'er may change, in Him no change is seen:
A glorious Sun that wanes not nor declines:
Above the clouds and storms He walks serene,
And sweetly on His people's darkness shines:
All may depart; I fret not, nor repine,
cr While I my Saviour's am, while He is mine.

p While here, alas! I know but half His love, But half discern Him, and but half adore:

mf But when I meet Him in the realms above
I hope to love Him better, praise Him more,
cr And feel, and tell, amid the choir divine,
f How fully I am His, and He is mine. Amen.



mf LORD, as to Thy dear Cross we flee,

And plead to be forgiven,

So let Thy Life our pattern be,

And form our souls for heaven.

Help us, through good report and ill, Our daily cross to bear; Like Thee, to do our Father's will, Our brethren's griefs to share.

Let grace our selfishness expel,

Our earthliness refine;

And kindness in our bosoms dwell,

As free and true as Thine.

p If joy shall at Thy bidding fly,
And grief's dark day come on,
mf We in our turn would meekly cry,
p "Father, Thy will be done."

mf Kept peaceful in the midst of strife,Forgiving and forgiven,cr Oh may we lead the pilgrim's life,And follow Thee to heaven. Amen.



General Ibymns.

To save through Thee our souls alive!
When the pampered flesh is strong,
When the strife is fierce and long;
When our wakening thoughts begin
First to loathe their cherished sin.

p And our weary spirits fail,
And our aching brows are pale,

pp Oh then have mercy, Lord!

- p Lord! have mercy when we lie
 On the restless bed, and sigh,
 Sigh for death, yet fear it still,
 From the thought of former ill,
 When all other hope is gone;
 When our course is almost done;
 When the dim advancing gloom
 Tells us that our hour is come,
 pp Oh then have mercy, Lord!
- p Lord! have mercy when we know
 First how vain this world below;
 cr When the earliest gleam is given
 f Of Thy bright but distant heaven!
 mf When our darker thoughts oppress,
 dim Doubts perplex and fears distress,
 And our saddened spirits dwell
 On the open gates of hell,
 pp Oh then have mercy, Lord! Amen.

SHOWERS OF BLESSING.

Archbishop Maclagan, b. 1826. 8.7.8.7.3.





mf \ ORD, I hear of showers of blessing mf Pass me not, O mighty Spirit! Thou art scattering full and free, Showers the thirsty land refreshing; Let some drops descend on me- (ν) Even me.

mf Pass me not, O gracious Father, Sinful though my heart may be; Thou might'st leave me, but the rather Let Thy mercy light on me-(p) Even me.

mf Pass me not, O gracious Saviour! Let me love and cling to Thee; I am longing for Thy favour; Whilst Thou'rt calling, Oh call me-(p) Even me.

Thou canst make the blind to see; Witnesser of Jesu's merit. Speak the word of power to me-(p) Even me.

p Have I long in sin been sleeping, Long been slighting, grieving Thee? Has the world my heart been keeping? Oh forgive and rescue me-(p) Even me.

mf Love of God, so pure and changeless; Blood of Christ, so rich and free; cr Grace of God, so strong and boundless, Magnify it all in me—(p) Even

mf Pass me not; but, pardon bringing, Bind my heart, O Lord, to Thee; cr Whilst the streams of life are springing, Blessing others, Oh bless me—(p) Even me.



St. Hugh.

C.M.

E. J. HOPKINS, 1818-1901.





mf L ORD, it belongs not to my care
Whether I die or live;
To love and serve Thee is my share,
And this Thy grace must give.

Come, Lord, when grace hath made Thy blessèd face to see; [me meet For if Thy work on earth be sweet, What will Thy glory be!

If life be long, I will be glad
That I may long obey;
If short, yet why should I be sad
To end my toilsome day?

f There shall I end my sad complaints, And weary sinful days,

And join with the triumphant Saints That sing Jehovah's praise.

Christ leads me through no darker rooms

Than He went through before;
He that into God's kingdom comes
Must enter by this door.

My knowledge of that life is small,The eye of faith is dim;

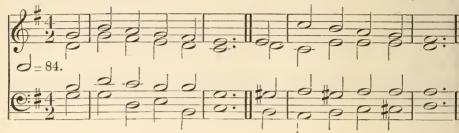
mf But 'tis enough that Christ knows all,

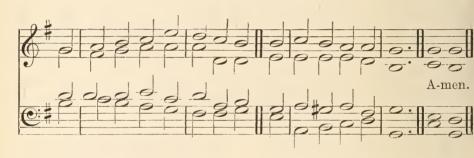
And I shall be with Him. Amen.

GRANHAM HILL.

S.M.

W. S. Bambridge, b. 1842





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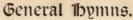
- Lord Jesu, think on me,With care and woe oppressed;
- cr Let me Thy loving servant be,
 And taste Thy promised rest.
- p Lord Jesu, think on me,

 Nor let me go astray:

 cr Through darkness and perplexity
- cr Through darkness and perplexity Point Thou the heavenly way.

- p Lord Jesu, think on me
- when on doth rush the enemy,
- p O Saviour, be Thou nigh.
- p Lord Jesu, think on me,
- cr That when the flood is past,
- I may the eternal brightness see,
- mf And share Thy joy at last.
 - p Lord Jesu, think on me,
- cr That I may sing above
- f To Father, Spirit, and to Thee, The strains of praise and love.

Amen.

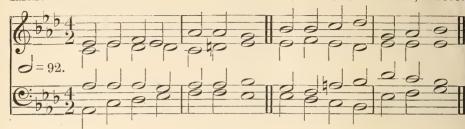


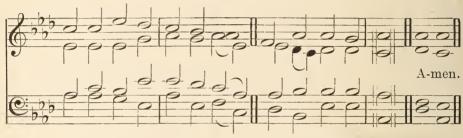


mf LORD, now we part in Thy blest Name,
In which we here together came,
Grant us our few remaining days
To work Thy will, and spread Thy praise!

Teach us in life and death to bless The Lord, our strength and righteousness; And grant us all to meet above, Then shall we better sing Thy love! Amen. IRENE.

7.7.7.5. C. C. Scholefield, b. 1839.





May also be sung to "Capetown," No. 575.

mf L ORD of mercy and of might,
Of mankind the life and light,
Maker, Teacher infinite,
Jesu, hear and save!

mf Who, when sin's tremendous doom
Gave creation to the tomb,
Didst not scorn a Virgin's womb,
p Jesu, hear and save!

mf Mighty Monarch! Saviour mild!
p Humbled to a mortal child,
Captive, beaten, bound, reviled,
Jesu, hear and save!

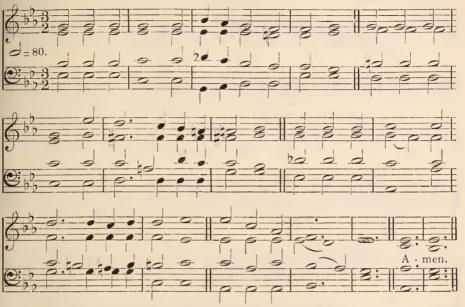
f Throned above celestial things,
Borne aloft on Angels' wings,
Lord of lords, and King of kings,
p Jesu, hear and save!

mf Soon to come to earth again,
Judge of Angels and of men,
Hear us now, and hear us then
p Jesu, hear and save! Amen.

CLOISTERS.

11.11.11.5.

J. BARNBY, 1838-1896.



mf L ORD of our life, and God of our salvation,
Star of our night, and Hope of every nation,

er Hear and receive Thy Church's supplication,
f Lord God Almighty.

mf See round Thine ark the hungry billows curling, See how Thy foes their banners are unfurling;

cr Lord, while their darts envenomed they are hurling,
f Thou canst preserve us.

mf Lord, Thou canst help when earthly armour faileth, Lord, Thou canst save when deadly sin assaileth,

cr Lord, o'er Thy Rock nor death nor hell prevaileth,
p Grant us Thy peace, Lord.

Peace in our hearts, our evil thoughts assuaging,
 Peace in Thy Church, where brothers are engaging,
 Peace when the world its busy war is waging,
 Calm Thy foes raging.

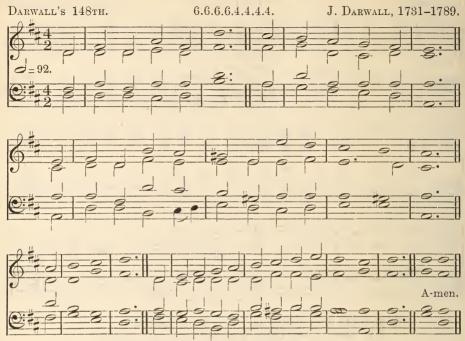
mf Grant us Thy help till backward they are driven, Grant them Thy truth, that they may be forgiven,

p Grant peace on earth, and, after we have striven, pp Peace in Thy heaven. Amen.

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f Cord of the worlds above,
How pleasant and how fair
The dwellings of Thy love,
Thy earthly temples, are!
To Thine abode
My heart aspires,
With warm desires,
To see my God.

mf O happy souls that pray
Where God appoints to hear!
O happy men that pay
Their constant service there!
f They praise Thee still;
And happy they
That love the way
To Zion's hill.

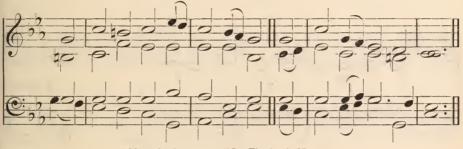
mf They go from strength to strength,Through this dark vale of tears,cr Till each arrives at length,Till each in heaven appears

f O glorious seat!

when God, our King,
Shall thither bring
Our willing feet!

f God is our Sun and Shield,
Our Light and our Defence;
With gifts His hands are filled,
We draw our blessings thence.
Thrice happy he,
O God of Hosts,
Whose spirit trusts
Alone in Thee. Amen.





May also be sung to "St. Flavian," No. 473.

P CRD, teach us how to pray aright, With reverence and with fear; With broken, contrite heart; Though dust and ashes in Thy sight, cr We may, we must, draw near. Give what Thine eye delights to see, Truth in the inward part;

We perish if we cease from prayer; mf Faith in the only Sacrifice
Oh, grant us power to pray!
That can for sin atone;
To cast our hopes, to fix our eyes,
On Christ, on Christ alone;

Burdened with guilt, convinced of sin, p
 In weakness, want, and woe,
 Fightings without, and fears within, cr
 Lord, whither shall we go?
 Patience to watch, and wait, and weep,
 Though mercy long delay;
 Courage our fainting souls to keep,
 And trust Thee though Thou slay.

mf Give these, and then Thy will be done;
Thus strengthened with all might,
We, through Thy Spirit and Thy Son,
Shall pray, and pray aright.



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St. Cyprian.

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R. R. Chope, b. 1830.



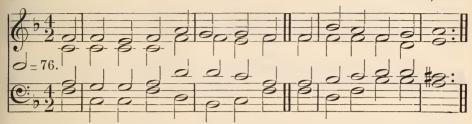
- mf LORD, Thy word abideth,
 And our footsteps guideth;
 Who its truth believeth
 Light and joy receiveth.
 - p When our foes are near us,
- cr Then Thy word doth cheer us, Word of consolation, Message of salvation.
 - p When the storms are o'er us, And dark clouds before us,
- cr Then its light directeth, And our way protecteth.

- mf Who can tell the pleasure,Who recount the treasure,By Thy word impartedTo the simple-hearted?
 - p Word of mercy, givingSuccour to the living;Word of life, supplyingComfort to the dying!
- mf Oh, that we, discerning
 Its most holy learning,
 Lord, may love and fear Thee,
 Evermore be near Thee! Amen.

ST. FLAVIAN.

C.M.

Day's Psalter, 1562.





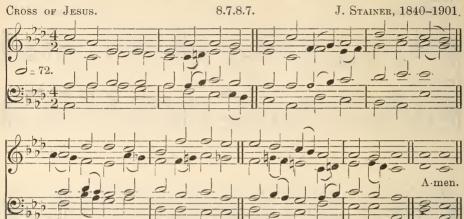
Their grateful hymns to raise,
And our confessions pour,
Teach us to feel the sins we own,
And hate what we deplore.

And ORD, when we bend before Thy mf When our responsive tongues essay
Their grateful hymns to raise,
Grant that our souls may join the
lay
And mount to Thee in praise.

Our broken spirits pitying see;
 True penitence impart;
 Then let a kindling glance from Thee
 Beam hope upon the heart.

When we disclose our wants in prayer,
May we our wills resign,
And not a thought our bosom share
That is not wholly Thine.

Let faith each meek petition fill,
And waft it to the skies;
And teach our hearts 'tis goodness still
That grants it, or denies. Amen.



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mf OVE Divine, all loves excelling,
Joy of heaven, to earth come down,
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling,
All Thy faithful mercies crown.

Jesu, Thou art all compassion,
Pure, unbounded love Thou art;
Visit us with Thy salvation,
Enter every trembling heart.

Come, Almighty to deliver,
Let us all Thy grace receive;
Suddenly return, and never,
Never more Thy temples leave.

f Thee we would be always blessing, Serve Thee as Thy Hosts above; Pray, and praise Thee without ceasing, Glory in Thy perfect love.

mf Finish then Thy new creation,
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation,
Perfectly restored in Thee;

f Changed from glory into glory,

Till in heaven we take our place,

Till we cast our crowns before Thee,

Lost in wonder, love, and praise. Amen.

TROYTE, No. 1 (First Tune).

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A. H. D. TROYTE, 1811-1857.

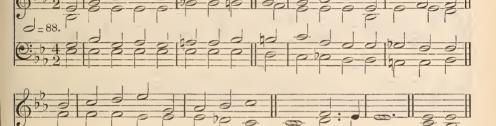


St. Remigius (Second Tune).

8.8.8.4.

J. M. W. Young, 1822-1897.

A-men.



pp

p NY God and Father, while I stray

If Thou shouldst call me to

Far from my home in life's rough way,

cr Oh, teach me from my heart to say,
p Thy will be done!

p Though dark my path and sad my lot, mf If but my fainting heart be blest Let me be still and murmur not, With Thy sweet Spirit for its gues

cr Or breathe the prayer divinely taught,

Thy will be done!

p What though in lonely grief I sigh For friends beloved, no longer nigh, Submissive still would I reply, Thy will be done! If Thou shouldst call me to resign What most I prize, it ne'er was mine,

I only yield Thee what was Thine; Thy will be done!

If but my fainting heart be blest
With Thy sweet Spirit for its guest,
My God, to Thee I leave the rest;
Thy will be done!

mf Renew my will from day to day;
Blend it with Thine; and take away
All that now makes it hard to say,
p Thy will be done!

mf Then, when on earth I breathe no more
The prayer oft mixed with tears before,
cr I'll sing upon a happier shore,
f Thy will be done! Amen.

ERFURT.

L.M. Geistliche Lieder, Magdeburg, 1540.



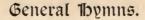
MY God, my Father, dost Thou call
Thy long-lost wandering child to Thee,
And canst Thou, wilt Thou pardon all?
I come, I come: Lord, save Thou me.

O Jesu, art Thou passing by
With all Thy goodness, grace, and power,
p And dost Thou hear my broken cry?
mf I come, I come, in mercy's hour.

p O Holy Spirit, is it Thou,
My tenderest Friend refused too long,
And art Thou pleading, striving now?
mf I come, I come: make weakness strong.

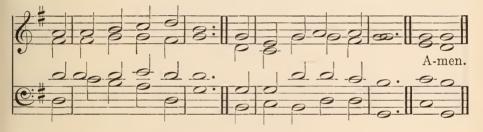
Yes, Lord, I come: Thy heart of love
Is moving, kindling, drawing mine;
I cast me at Thy feet to prove
The bliss, the heaven of being Thine.











mf MY spirit longs for Thee
Within my troubled breast,
Though I unworthy be
Of so divine a Guest:

Of so divine a Guest
Unworthy though I be,
Yet has my heart no rest,
Unless it come from Thee:

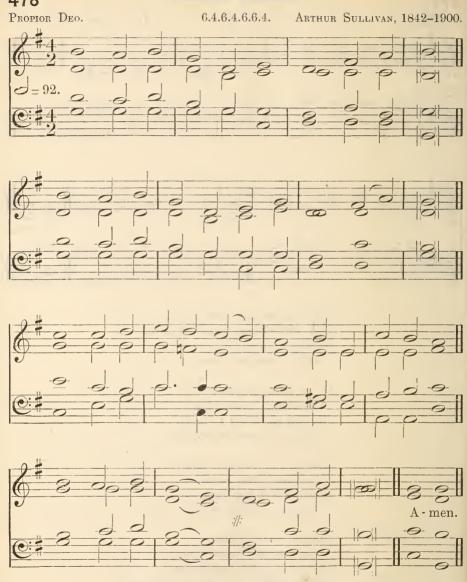
Unless it come from Thee,
In vain I look around;
In all that I can see
No rest is to be found:

No rest is to be found

But in Thy blessed love:

Oh, let my wish be crowned,

And send it from above! Amen.



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mf NEARER, my God, to Thee,
Nearer to Thee!
p E'en though it be a cross
That raiseth me,
cr Still all my song would be—
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
dim Nearer to Thee.

p Though like the wanderer,
The sun gone down,
Darkness be over me—
My rest a stone;
cr Yet in my dreams I'd be
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
dim Nearer to Thee.

mf Then let the way appear
Steps unto heaven,
All that Thou sendest me
In mercy given;
cr Angels to beckon me
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
dim
Nearer to Thee.

mf Then, with my waking thoughts
Bright with Thy praise,
Out of my stony griefs
Beth-el I'll raise;
cr So by my woes to be
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
dim Nearer to Thee.

f Or if on joyful wing
Cleaving the sky,
Sun, moon, and stars forgot,
Upwards I fly,
Still all my song shall be,
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
dim Nearer to Thee. Amen.







mf NONE other Lamb, none other Name,
None other Hope in heaven or earth or sea,
None other Hiding-place from guilt and shame,
None beside Thee.

p My faith burns low, my hope burns low,
 cr Only my heart's desire cries out in me
 By the deep thunder of its want and woe,
 Cries out to Thee.

f Lord, Thou art Life though I be dead,
Love's fire Thou art however cold I be:

mf Nor heaven have I, nor place to lay my head,
p Nor home, but Thee. Amen.

CHRISTE, QUI LUX ES ET DIES (First Tune).

Mode II. Ancient Plain Song.



O CHRIST, Who hast prepared a

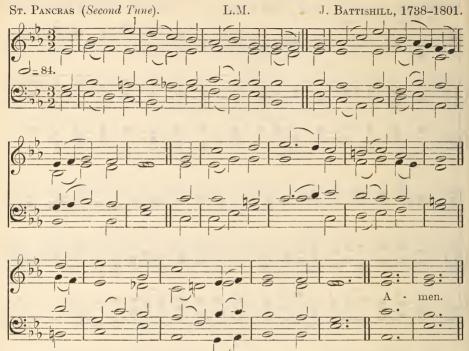
For us around Thy throne of grace, We pray Thee lift our hearts above, And draw them with the cords of love!

Source of all good, Thou, gracious Lord, Art our exceeding great reward: How transient is our present pain! How boundless our eternal gain! With open face and joyful heart,
We then shall see Thee as Thou
art;

Our love shall never cease to glow, Our praise shall never cease to flow.

Thy never-failing grace to prove, A surety of Thine endless love, Send down Thy Holy Ghost to be The uplifter of our souls to Thee.

O future Judge, Eternal Lord,
Thy Name be hallowed and adored;
To God the Father, King of heaven,
And Holy Ghost, like praise be given. Amen.



CHRIST, Who hast prepared a place

For us around Thy throne of grace, We pray Thee lift our hearts above, And draw them with the cords of love!

Art our exceeding great reward: How transient is our present pain! How boundless our eternal gain!

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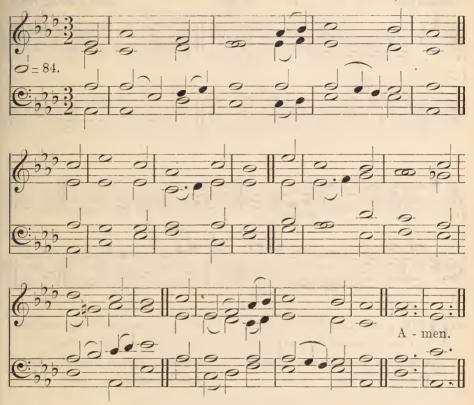
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> p O future Judge, Eternal Lord, Thy Name be hallowed and adored; f To God the Father, King of heaven, And Holy Ghost, like praise be given. Amen.

MARTYRDOM.

C.M.

Hugh Wilson, 1764-1824.



FOR a closer walk with God, A calm and heavenly frame; A light to shine upon the road That leads me to the Lamb!

p Where is the blessedness I knew When first I saw the Lord? Where is the soul-refreshing view Of Jesus and His word?

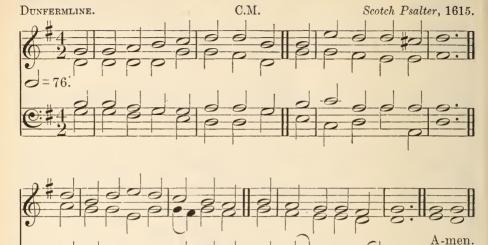
How sweet their memory still! But they have left an aching void The world can never fill.

Return, O holy Dove, return, Sweet messenger of rest: I hate the sins that made Thee mourn. And drove Thee from my breast.

The dearest idol I have known, Whate'er that idol be, cr Help me to tear it from Thy throne, And worship only Thee.

What peaceful hours I once enjoyed! mf So shall my walk be close with God. Calm and serene my frame; So purer light shall mark the road That leads me to the Lamb.

> (751)Amen.



That will not tremble on the brink

Of poverty or woe;

That will not murmur nor complain

Beneath the chastening rod;

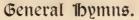
But in the hour of grief or pain

Can lean upon its God;

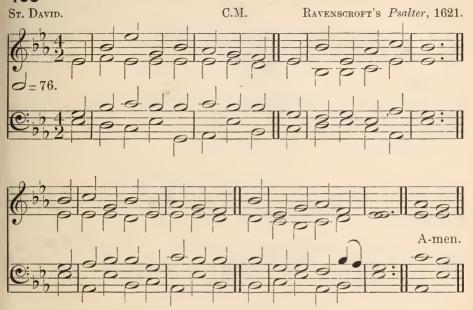
A faith that shines more bright and clear When tempests rage without; That when in danger knows no fear, In darkness feels no doubt:

A faith that keeps the narrow way
Till life's last spark is fled,
And with a pure and heavenly ray
Lights up a dying bed.

p Lord, give me such a faith as this,And then, whate'er may come,cr I taste e'en now the hallowed blissOf an eternal home. Amen.







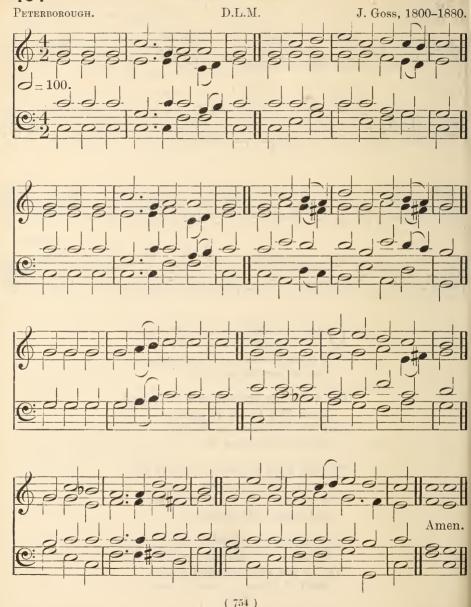
omf O GOD of Bethel! by Whose hand
Thy people still are fed;
Who through this weary pilgrimage
Hast all our fathers led;

Our vows, our prayers we now present Before Thy throne of grace; God of our fathers, be the God Of their succeeding race.

Through each perplexing path of life Our wandering footsteps guide; Give us each day our daily bread, And raiment fit provide.

Oh! spread Thy covering wings around, Till all our wanderings cease, And at our Father's loved abode Our feet arrive in peace. Amen.

General Ibymns.



General Ibymns.

of GOD of God! O Light of Light!

Thou Prince of Peace, Thou King of kings;

To Thee, where Angels know no night,

The hymn of praise for ever rings:—

To Him Who sits upon the throne,

The Lamb once slain for sinful men,

Laud, honour, might to Him alone,

Glory and praise! Amen, Amen!

mf Nations beheld their coming Lord
Slowly in type from age to age,
Grand in the poet's wingèd word,
Deep in the prophet's sacred page;
cr Till, through the deep Judæan night,
f Rang out the song, "Goodwill to men,"
Hymned by the first-born sons of light,
Re-echoed now,—"Goodwill,"—Amen!

p His life of truth, His deeds of love,
 His death of pain 'mid hate and scorn;
cr These all are past, and now above
f He reigns our King! once crowned with thorn.
"Lift up your heads, ye heavenly gates,"
 So sang His Hosts, unheard by men;
"Lift up your hearts," for you He waits;
"We lift them up," Amen, Amen!

p Nations afar in ignorance deep,
 Isles of the sea where darkness lay,
cr These hear His voice, they wake from sleep,
 And throng with joy the upward way.
f They cry with us, "Send forth Thy light,
 O Lamb, once slain for sinful men;
 Burst Satan's bonds, O God of might,
 Set all men free;" Amen, Amen!

f Sing to the Lord a glorious song,
Sing to His Name, His love forth tell;
Sing on, heaven's Hosts, His praise prolong;
Sing ye who now on earth do dwell;
Worthy the Lamb for sinners slain;
From Angels praise; and thanks from men:
Worthy the Lamb, enthroned to reign,
Glory and power, Amen, Amen! Amen.





f O GOD of Hosts, the mighty Lord,
How lovely is the place
Where Thou, enthroned in glory,
showest
The brightness of Thy face!

mf My longing soul faints with desire,To view Thy blest abode;My panting heart and flesh ery outFor Thee, the living God.

 f O Lord of Hosts, my King and God, How highly blest are they
 Who in Thy Temple always dwell, And there Thy praise display.

mf For in Thy courts one single day
'Tis better to attend,
Than, Lord, in any place besides
A thousand days to spend.

For God, Who is our sun and shield, Will grace and glory give;

And no good thing will He withhold From them that justly live.

f Thou God, Whom heavenly Hosts obey,

How highly blest is he,

Whose hope and trust, securely placed,

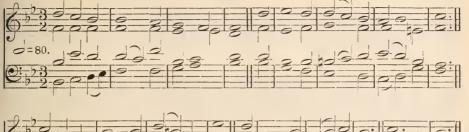
Is still reposed on Thee!

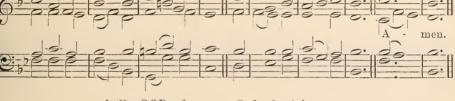






H. S. IRONS, b. 1834.





mf O GOD of mercy, God of might,
p In love and pity infinite,
cr Teach us, as ever in Thy sight,
dim To live our life to Thee.

p And Thou, Who camest on earth to die, cr That fallen man might live thereby,

dim Oh hear us, for to Thee we cry,

cr In hope, O Lord, to Thee.

mf Teach us the lesson Thou hast taught,
To feel for those Thy Blood hath bought,
That every word, and deed, and thought,
May work a work for Thee;

f For all are brethren, far and wide, Since Thou, O Lord, for all hast died: Then teach us, whatsoe'er betide, To love them all in Thee.

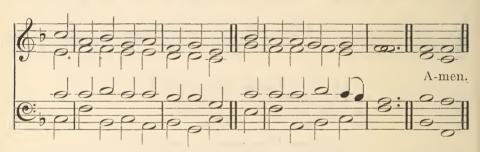
p In sickness, sorrow, want, or care, Whate'er it be, 'tis ours to share;

cr May we, where help is needed, there Give help as unto Thee.

mf And may Thy Holy Spirit moveAll those who live, to live in love,cr Till Thou shalt greet in heaven above

f All those who give to Thee. Amen-





mf O GOD of truth, Whose living word
Upholds whate'er hath breath,
dim Look down on Thy creation, Lord,
Enslaved by sin and death.

Ah! would we join that blest array.

And follow in the might

Of Him, the Faithful and the True, In raiment clean and white;

Mf Set up Thy standard, Lord, that they
Who claim a heavenly birth
May march with Thee to smite the
lies
That vex Thy ransomed earth.

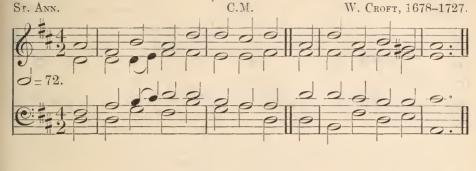
cr Then, God of truth, for Whom we long—

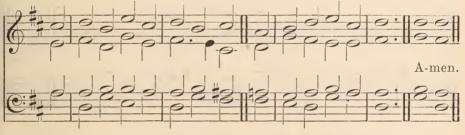
Thou Who wilt hear our prayer— Do Thine own battle in our hearts, And slay the falsehood there.

p Yea, come! then, tried as in the fire,

cr From every lie set free,

mf Thy perfect truth shall dwell in us,
And we shall live in Thee. Amen.





our Help in ages past,
Our Hope for years to come,
Our Shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal Home!

Under the shadow of Thy throne
Thy Saints have dwelt secure;
Sufficient is Thine arm alone,
And our defence is sure.

Before the hills in order stood,
Or earth received her frame,
f From everlasting Thou art God,
To endless years the same.

mf A thousand ages in Thy sight

Are like an evening gone; [night

Short as the watch that ends the

Before the rising sun.

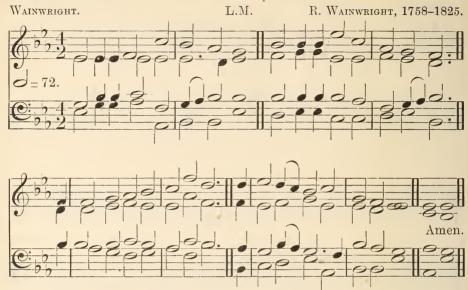
Time, like an ever-rolling stream,

Bears all its sons away;

dim They fly, forgotten, as a dream

Dies at the opening day.

f O God, our Help in ages past,Our Hope for years to come; [last,Be Thou our Guard while troublesAnd our eternal Home! Amen.



of GOD, Thou art my God alone;
Early to Thee my soul shall cry;
A pilgrim in a land unknown,
A thirsty land whose springs are dry.

Thee in the watches of the night
When I remember on my bed,
cr Thy Presence makes the darkness light,
Thy guardian wings are round my head.

mf Better than life itself Thy love,

Dearer than all beside to me;

For whom have I in heaven above,

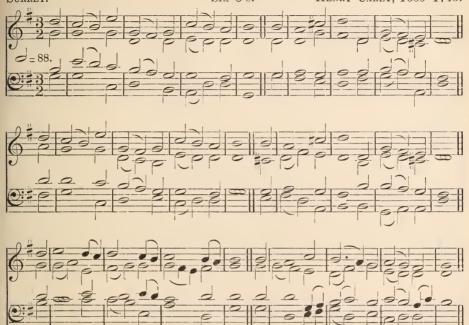
Or what on earth compared to Thee?

f Praise with my heart, my mind, my voice,
For all Thy mercy I will give;
My soul shall still in God rejoice,
My tongue shall bless Thee while I live. Amen.

SURREY.

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HENRY CARRY, 1685-1743.



mf O HAND of bounty, largely spread, By Whom our every want is fed, Whate'er we touch, or taste, or see, We owe them all, O Lord! to Thee; The corn, the oil, the purple wine, Are all Thy gifts, and only Thine!

The stream Thy word to nectar dyed,
The bread Thy blessing multiplied,
The stormy wind, the whelming flood,
That silent at Thy mandate stood,
How well they knew Thy voice Divine,
Whose works they were, and only Thine!

- p Though now no more on earth we trace
 Thy footsteps of celestial grace,
- cr Obedient to Thy word and will We seek Thy daily mercy still;
- f Its blessèd beams around us shine, And Thine we are, and only Thine!





HAPPY band of pilgrims,
If onward ye will tread
With Jesus as your Fellow
To Jesus as your Head!
Oh, happy, if ye labour
As Jesus did for men:
Oh, happy, if ye hunger

As Jesus hungered then!

mf The Faith by which ye see Him,The Hope in which ye yearn,cr The Love that through all troublesTo Him alone will turn,—

f What are they but His heralds
To lead you to His sight?
What are they save the effluence
Of uncreated Light?

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p The trials that beset you,
The sorrows ye endure,
The manifold temptations

That death alone can cure,—

mf What are they but His jewels

Of right celestial worth?
What are they but the ladder
Set up to heaven on earth?

mf The Cross that Jesus carried, He carried as your due;

f The Crown that Jesus weareth, He weareth it for you.

O happy band of pilgrims, Look upward to the skies,

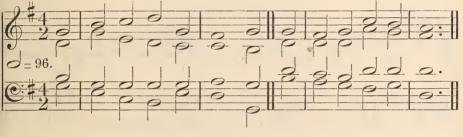
Where such a light affliction Shall win you such a prize! Amen.

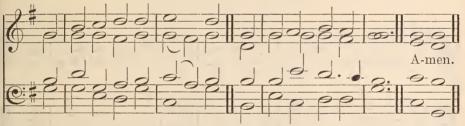
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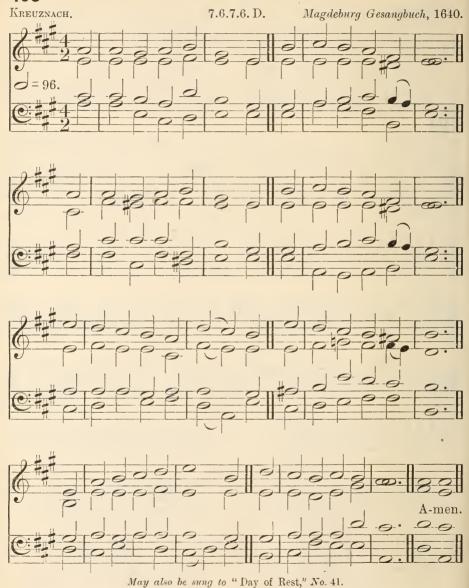


mf O HEAVENLY Jerusalem,
Of everlasting halls,
Thrice blessèd are the people
Thou storest in thy walls.

Thou art the golden mansion, Where Saints for ever sing, The seat of God's own chosen, The palace of the King.

mf There God for ever sitteth,
Himself of all the Crown;
The Lamb, the Light that shineth,
And never goeth down.

- p Nought to this seat approacheth Their sweet peace to molest;
- f They sing their God for ever, Nor day nor night they rest.
- mf Sure hope doth thither lead us;
 Our longings thither tend;
 May short-lived toil ne'er daunt us
 For joys that cannot end.
 - f To Christ the Sun that lightens
 His Church above, below,
 To Father, and to Spirit,
 All things created bow. Amen.



General Hymns.

mf O JESU, I have promised
To serve Thee to the end;
Be Thou for ever near me,
My Master and my Friend!
f I shall not fear the battle
If Thou art by my side,
Nor wander from the pathway
If Thou wilt be my Guide.

mf Oh! let me feel Thee near me—
The world is ever near;
I see the sights that dazzle,
The tempting sounds I hear.
p My foes are ever near me,

Around me and within: cr But, Jesu, draw Thou nearer,

And shield my soul from sin.

p Oh! let me hear Thee speaking
In accents clear and still,
Above the storms of passion,
The murmurs of self-will.

mf Oh! speak to re-assure me,
To hasten or control:

cr Oh! speak, and make me listen, Thou Guardian of my soul!

mf O Jesu, Thou hast promised
To all who follow Thee
That where Thou art in glory
There shall Thy servant be;
And, Jesu, I have promised
To serve Thee to the end;
p Oh, give me grace to follow
My Master and my Friend!

p Oh! let me see Thy footmarks,
And in them plant mine own;
My hope to follow duly
Is in Thy strength alone.

mt Oh! guide me, call me, draw me, Uphold me to the end;

f And then in heaven receive me, My Saviour and my Friend! Amen.

O Jesu, King most wonderful,-see 446, Part II.

R. F. Dale, b. 1845. ST. CATHERINE. 7.6.7.6. D. E PEPPE PPE

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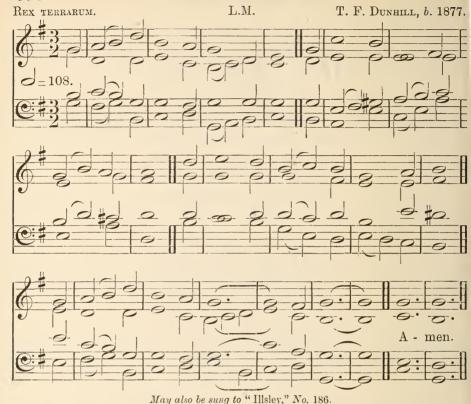
p O JESU, Thou art standing
Outside the fast-closed door,
In lowly patience waiting
To pass the threshold o'er.
mf Shame on us, Christian brothers,
His Name and sign who bear;
Oh shame, thrice shame, upon us,
To keep Him standing there!

p O Jesu, Thou art knocking;
And lo! that hand is scarred,
And thorns Thy brow encircle,
And tears Thy face have marred.
mf O love that passeth knowledge
So patiently to wait!
p O sin that hath no equal
So fast to bar the gate!

p O Jesu, Thou art pleading
In accents meek and low—
"I died for you, My children,
And will ye treat Me so!"
O Lord, with shame and sorrow
cr We open now the door:

mf Dear Saviour, enter, enter,
And leave us nevermore.





of KING of earth and air and sea!

The hungry ravens cry to Thee;

To Thee the scaly tribes that sweep

The bosom of the boundless deep;

To Thee the lions roaring call, The common Father, kind to all! Then grant Thy servants, Lord! we pray,

Our daily bread from day to day!

Thy bounteous hand with food can bless

The bleak and lonely wilderness;

And Thou hast taught us, Lord, to pray For daily bread from day to day!

p And oh, when through the wilds we roam

That part us from our heavenly home; When, lost in danger, want, and woe, Our faithless tears begin to flow;

cr Do Thou Thy gracious comfort give, By which alone the soul may live;

mf And grant Thy servants, Lord, we pray,

The Bread of Life from day to day!



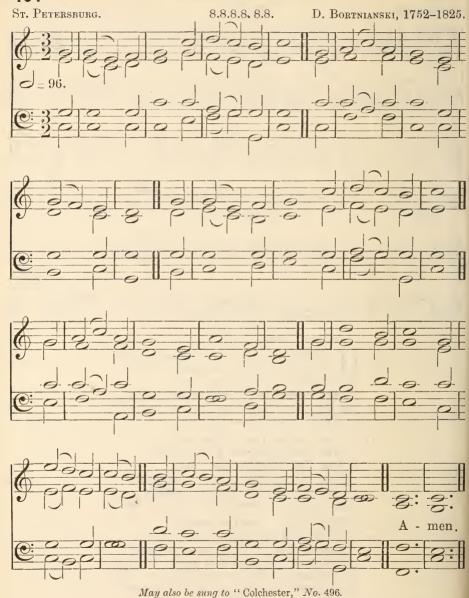
May also be sung to "St. Petersburg," No. 497.

mf O KING of kings, before Whose throne
The Angels bow, no gift can we
Present that is indeed our own,
Since heaven and earth belong to Thee;
cr Yet this would we through grace impart,—
f The offering of a thankful heart.

mf O Jesu, set on God's right hand,
With Thine Eternal Father plead
For all Thy loyal-hearted band,
Who still on earth Thy succour need;
For us in weakness strength provide,
And through the world our footsteps guide.

p O Holy Spirit, Fount of breath,
cr Whose comforts never fail nor fade,
Vouchsafe the life that knows no death,
Vouchsafe the light that knows no shade;
And grant that we, through all our days,
May share Thy gifts and sing Thy praise. Amen.

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General Ibymns.

mf O LIGHT, Whose beams illumine all From twilight dawn to perfect day, Shine Thou before the shadows fall dim That lead our wandering feet astray: cr At morn and eve Thy radiance pour, That youth may love and age adore.

mf O Way, through Whom our souls draw near
To you eternal home of peace,
f Where perfect love shall cast out fear,
And earth's vain toil and wandering cease;
mf In strength or weakness may we see
Our heavenward path, O Lord, through Thee.

mf O Truth, before Whose shrine we bow,
Thou priceless pearl for all who seek,
To Thee our earliest strength we vow,
Thy love will bless the pure and meek;
p When dreams or mists beguile our sight,

cr Turn Thou our darkness into light.

mf O Life, the well that ever flows
To slake the thirst of those that faint,
cr Thy power to bless what Seraph knows?
f Thy joy supreme what words can paint?
p In earth's last hour of fleeting breath
cr Be Thou our Conqueror over death.

f O Light, O Way, O Truth, O Life,
O Jesu, born mankind to save,
dim Give Thou Thy peace in deadliest strife,
mf Shed Thou Thy calm on stormiest wave;
cr Be Thou our Hope, our Joy, our Dread,
f Lord of the living and the dead. Amen.

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or And feel at heart that One shove

cr And feel at heart that One aboveIn perfect wisdom, perfect love,Is working for the best.

p How far from this our daily life!How oft disturbed by anxious strife,By sudden wild alarms!

cr Oh, could we but relinquish all
Our earthly props, and simply fall
On Thy almighty arms!

p Could we but kneel and cast our load, E'en while we pray, upon our God;

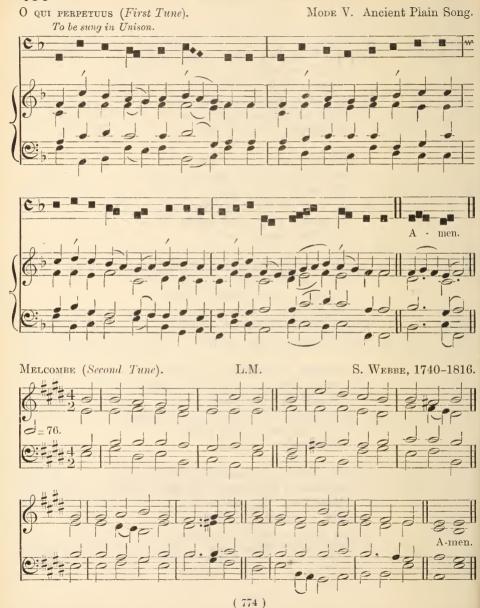
cr Then rise with lightened cheer,

mf Sure that the Father, Who is night To still the famished raven's cry, Will hear in that we fear.

P We cannot trust Him as we should; So chafes frail nature's restless mood To cast its peace away;

mf Yet birds and flowerets round us preach, All, all the present evil teach Sufficient for the day.

mf Lord, make these faithless hearts of ours
Such lessons learn from birds and flowers;
Make them from self to cease,
Leave all things to a Father's will,
And taste, before Him lying still,
P E'en in affliction, peace. Amen.



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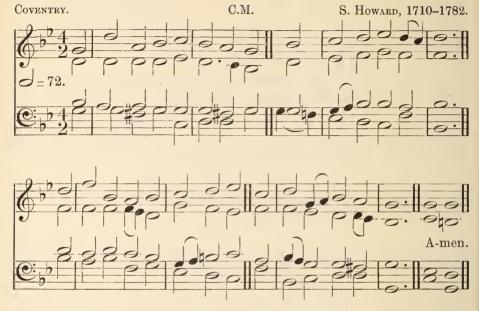
- f O LORD, how joyful 'tis to see

 The brethren join in love to Thee;

 On Thee alone their heart relies,

 Their only strength Thy grace supplies.
- mf How sweet within Thy holy place
 With one accord to sing Thy grace,
 Besieging Thine attentive ear
 With all the force of fervent prayer.
 - p Oh! may we love the House of God,Of peace and joy the blest abode;Oh! may no angry strife destroyThat sacred peace, that holy joy.
- mf The world without may rage, but we Will only cling more close to Thee,
- cr With hearts to Thee more wholly given,

 More weaned from earth, more fixed on heaven
- mf Lord, shower upon us from aboveThe sacred gift of mutual love:Each other's wants may we supply,f And reign together in the sky. Amen.



mf O LORD, in all our trials here,
Whate'er those trials be,
Help us, without one doubt or fear,
To cast our care on Thee:—

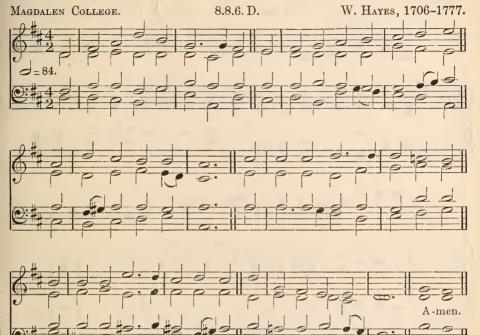
To look from earth to yon bright sky.

And there by faith behold

f The glories hid from mortal eye,

To mortal ear untold.

p And if contempt, reproach, or loss
We suffer for Thy Name,
cr Teach us to triumph in the Cross,
f To glory in the shame. Amen.



mf \(\cap \text{LOVE Divine, how sweet Thou art!}\) When shall I find my willing All taken up by Thee? p My thirsty spirit faints to prove cr The greatness of redeeming love, f The love of Christ to me.

God only knows the love of God; p Oh, that it now were shed abroad In this poor stony heart! For love I sigh, for love I pine; This only portion, Lord, be mine; Be mine this better part.

f Stronger His love than death or hell; mf For ever would I take my seat Its riches are unsearchable:

mf The first-born sons of light Desire in vain its depths to see: They cannot reach the mystery, The length, and breadth, and height. With Mary at the Master's feet; Be this my happy choice;

cr My only care, delight, and bliss, My joy, my heaven on earth, be this, To hear the Bridegroom's voice.

Amen.



General Hymns.

mf O LOVE, how deep! how broad! how high!

or O It fills the heart with ecstasy

dim That God, the Son of God, should take

Our mortal form for mortals' sake.

mf He sent no Angel to our race,
Of higher or of lower place,
But wore the robe of human frame,
And He Himself to this world came.

Nor willed He only to appear, His pleasure was to tarry here; And God and Man with man would be The space of thirty years and three.

For us baptized! for us He bore His holy fast and hungered sore; For us temptation sharp He knew, f For us the tempter overthrew.

- mf For us He preaches and He prays,
 Would do all things, would try all ways,
 By words and signs and actions thus
 Still seeking not Himself but us.
 - p For us to wicked men betrayed,
 Scourged, mocked, in purple robe arrayed,
 For us He bore the Cross's death;
 For us at length gave up His breath.
 - f For us He rose from death again,
 For us He went on high to reign,
 For us He sent His Spirit here
 To guide, to strengthen, and to cheer.
 - f To Him Whose boundless love has won Salvation for us through His Son, To God the Father, glory be Both now and through eternity. Amen.

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Bishop Turton, 1780-1864.





- mf O LOVE so strong, O Power so sweet, O Thou Whose name of Paraclete Ensures to Christians, each and all, A Patron ready at their call!
 - P We call on Thee with shame of face, Deep-sorrowing o'er neglected grace, And guidance lost through blind self-will, And times of good misused for ill.

So, after all the vows we made, The rites we shared, the prayers we prayed, What can we ask, but yet once more The pardon craved so oft before—

Too oft with feelings half untrue,
That came and passed like early dew—

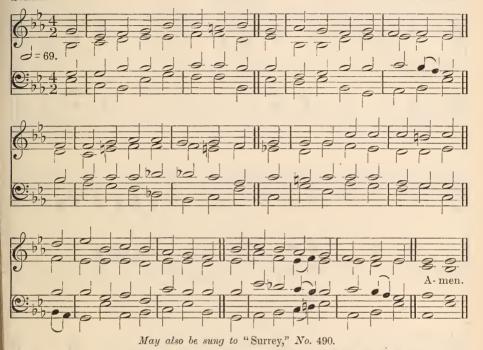
mf Now, Lord, the changeful mood control,
And root repentance in the soul.

- cr O let Thy touch of cleansing fire Set hearts aglow with high desire, And so burn out each guilty stain, That it may grieve Thee ne'er again.
- f Then lead us, as with loving hand, Right on through duty's broadening land, Where souls from inward falseness free Find light and strength and peace in Thee.

Amen.

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LOVE, Who formedst me to wear cr O Love, Who wrestling thus didst gain The image of Thy Godhead here; Who soughtest me with tender care Through all my wanderings wild and drear:

O Love, I give myself to Thee, Thine ever, only Thine to be.

mf O Love, Who ere life's earliest morn On me Thy choice hast gently laid; O Love, Who here as Man wast born, And wholly like to us wast made;

O Love, I give myself to Thee, Thine ever, only Thine to be.

p O Love, Who once in time wast slain, Pierced through and through with bitter woe!

That we eternal joy might know; O Love, I give myself to Thee, Thine ever, only Thine to be.

mf O Love, Who lovest me for aye, Who for my soul dost ever plead;

O Love, Who didst my ransom pay, Whose power sufficeth in my stead; O Love, I give myself to Thee, Thine ever, only Thine to be.

mf O Love, Whose voice shall bid me rise From out this dying life of ours;

O Love, Whose hand o'er yonder skies Shall set me in the fadeless bowers: O Love, I give myself to Thee, Thine ever, only Thine to be.

Amen.

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P O MOST merciful!
O most bountiful!
God the Father Almighty!
By the Redeemer's
Sweet intercession
Hear us, help us when we cry! Amen.



of O SAVIOUR! is Thy promise fled?

Nor longer might Thy grace endure

To heal the sick, and raise the dead,

And preach Thy Gospel to the poor?

mf Come, Jesu, come! return again;

cr With brighter beam Thy servants bless, f Who long to feel Thy perfect reign, And share Thy kingdom's happiness!

p A feeble race, by passion driven, In darkness and in doubt we roam,

cr And lift our anxious eyes to heaven, Our hope, our harbour, and our home.

mf Yet, 'mid the wild and wintry gale,
When death rides darkly o'er the sea,
And strength and earthly daring fail,
Our prayers, Redeemer! rest on Thee,

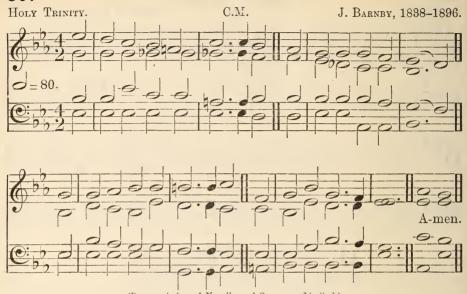
p Come, Jesu, come! and as of yore cr The Prophet went to clear Thy way,

mf A harbinger Thy feet before,

A dawning to Thy brighter day; --

cr So now may grace, with heavenly shower,Our stony hearts for truth prepare;Sow in our souls the seed of power,

f Then come, and reap Thy harvest there. Amen.



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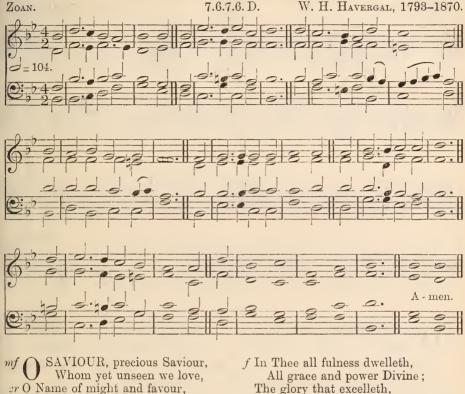
P O SAVIOUR, may we never rest
Till Thou art formed within,
Till Thou hast calmed our troubled breast,
And crushed the power of sin.

Oh may we gaze upon Thy Cross, Until the wondrous sight Makes earthly treasures seem but dross, And earthly sorrows light:

mf Until, released from carnal ties,
Our spirit upward springs,
And sees true peace above the skies,
True joy in heavenly things.

There as we gaze, may we become United, Lord, to Thee, And, in a fairer, happier home, Thy perfect beauty see. Amen.





mf O Bringer of salvation,

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All other names above!

Who wondrously hast wrought, Thyself the revelation

We worship Thee, we bless Thee,

We praise Thee, and confess Thee f

To Thee alone we sing;

Our holy Lord and King.

Of love beyond our thought;

We worship Thee, we bless Thee, f To Thee alone we sing;

We praise Thee, and confess Thee Our gracious Lord and King.

The glory that excelleth,

O Son of God, is Thine;

We worship Thee, we bless Thee, To Thee alone we sing;

We praise Thee, and confess Thee Our glorious Lord and King.

mt Oh grant the consummation Of this our song above In endless adoration,

> And everlasting love; [Thee Then shall we praise and bless Where perfect praises ring,

And evermore confess Thee Our Saviour and our King.

Amen.

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THOU, from Whom all goodness flows,
 I lift my soul to Thee;
 In all my sorrows, conflicts, woes,
 Good Lord, remember me.

When on my aching, burdened heart
My sins lie heavily,

cr Thy pardon grant, new peace impart;

p Good Lord, remember me.

When trials sore obstruct my way, And ills I cannot flee,

cr Oh let my strength be as my day;

p Good Lord, remember me.

If for Thy sake, upon my name Shame and reproach shall be,

mf All hail reproach, and welcome shame!

p Good Lord, remember me.

p If worn with pain, disease, and grief This feeble frame should be;

cr Grant patience, rest, and kind relief;

good Lord, remember me.

p When in the solemn hour of death I wait Thy just decree,

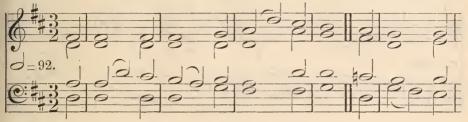
Be this the prayer of my last breath, Good Lord, remember me.

Amen.





H. H. Pierson, 1815-1873.







THOU, the contrite sinners' Friend.

Who, loving, lov'st them to the end, On this alone my hopes depend,-

That Thou wilt plead for me. dim

mf When, weary in the Christian race, Far off appears my resting-place, And, fainting, I mistrust Thy grace,

Then, Saviour, plead for me. dim

p When I have erred, and gone astray cr Then to my fainting sight appear, Afar from Thine and wisdom's way, mf Pleading in heaven for me.

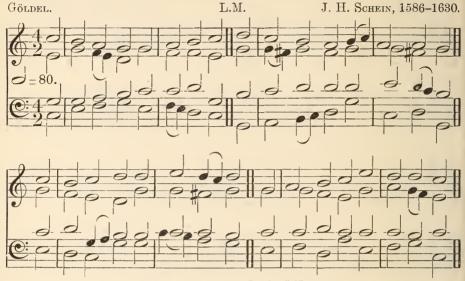
And see no glimmering, guiding ray, Still, Saviour, plead for me.

p When Satan, by my sins made bold, Strives from Thy Cross to loose my hold.

cr Then with Thy pitying arms enfold, And plead, Oh plead for me!

p And when my dying hour draws near, O'ercast with sorrow, pain and fear,

Amen.



May also be sung to "Breslau," No. 289.

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The darkness shineth as the light,

cr Search, prove my heart; it pants for cr Jesu, Thy timely aid impart, Thee:

Oh, burst these bands, and set it free!

mf Wash out its stains, refine its dross, Nail my affections to the Cross: Hallow each thought; let all within Be clean as Thou, my Lord, art clean.

p If in this darksome wild I stray, cr Be Thou my Light, be Thou my Way;

No foes, no violence I fear,

No harm, while Thou, my God, art near.

THOU, to Whose all-searching mf When rising floods my head o'erflow, p When sinks my heart in waves of woe.

And raise my head and cheer my heart.

f Saviour, where'er Thy steps I see, Dauntless, untired, I follow Thee; Oh, let Thy hand support me still, And lead me to Thy holy hill!

mf If rough and thorny be my way, My strength proportion to my day; cr Till toil and grief and pain shall cease,

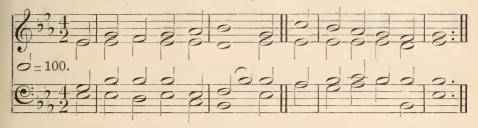
dim Where all is calm and joy and peace.

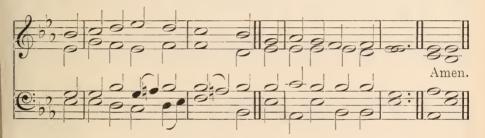


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Melchior Vulpius, 1560-1616.





WORD of God Incarnate,
O Wisdom from on high,
O Truth unchanged, unchanging,
O Light of our dark sky;

We praise Thee for the radiance That from the hallowed page, A lantern to our footsteps, Shines on from age to age.

The Church from her dear Master Received the gift divine, And still that light she lifteth O'er all the earth to shine.

It is the golden casket
Where gems of truth are stored;
It is the heaven-drawn picture
Of Christ, the living Word.

f It floateth like a banner
Before God's host unfurled;
It shineth like a beacon
Above the darkling world.

It is the chart and compass,
That o'er life's surging sea,
'Mid mists and rocks and quicksands,
Still guides, O Christ, to Thee.

mf Oh! make Thy Church, dear Saviour,
A lamp of purest gold,
To bear before the nations
Thy true light, as of old.

Oh! teach Thy wandering pilgrims
By this their path to trace,
cr Till, clouds and darkness ended,
f They see Thee face to face. Amen.



mf OBJECT of my first desire,
Jesu, crucified for me,
All to happiness aspire,
Only to be found in Thee:
Thee to please and Thee to know
Constitute our bliss below:
Thee to see and Thee to love
Constitute our bliss above.

Lord, it is not life to live,
If Thy Presence Thou deny:
Lord, if Thou Thy Presence give,

'Tis no longer death to die.
Source and Giver of repose,
Singly from Thy smile it flows;
Peace and happiness are Thine,
Mine they are, if Thou art mine. Amen.

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mf Let your drooping hearts be glad; mf FT in danger, oft in woe, Onward, Christians, onward go, March, in heavenly armour clad; Fight the fight, maintain the strife, Fight, nor think the battle long; Strengthened with the Bread of Life, f Victory soon shall tune your song.

cr Onward, Christians, onward go, Join the war and face the foe: Faint not! Much doth yet remain,

p Dreary is the long campaign.

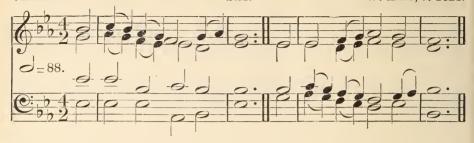
mf Let not sorrow dim your eye;

cr Soon shall every tear be dry: Let not woe your course impede; f Great your strength, if great your need.

mf Shrink not, Christians! Will ye yield? f Onward then to battle move; Will ye quit the painful field? More than conquerors ye shall prove; Will ye flee in danger's hour? mf Though opposed by many a foe, f Know ye not your Captain's power? f Christian soldiers, onward go. Amen. VENICE.

S.M.

W. Amps. b. 1824.





f OH bless the Lord, my soul,
His grace to thee proclaim,
And all that is within me join
To bless His holy Name.

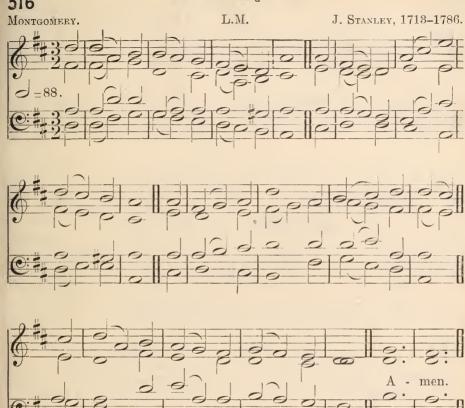
Oh bless the Lord, my soul, His mercies bear in mind, Forget not all His benefits: The Lord to thee is kind.

mf He will not always chide;He will with patience wait;His wrath is ever slow to rise,And ready to abate.

He pardons all thy sins,
Prolongs thy feeble breath,
He healeth thine infirmities,
And ransoms thee from death.

He clothes thee with His love, Upholds thee with His truth, And like the eagle's, He renews 'The vigour of thy youth.

f Then bless His holy Name,
Whose grace hath made thee whole,
Whose loving-kindness crowns thy days;
Oh bless the Lord, my soul. Amen.



OH come, loud anthems let us sing, Loud thanks to our Almighty King! For we our voices high should raise When our salvation's Rock we praise. For God the Lord enthroned in state Is with unrivalled glory great; The depths of earth are in His hand, Her secret wealth at His command.

Into His Presence let us haste, To thank Him for His favours past; To Him address in joyful songs The praise that to His Name belongs. mf Oh let us to His courts repair,
And bow with adoration there;

dim Down on our knees devoutly all p Before the Lord our Maker fall.

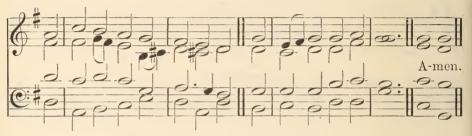
Amen.

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St. Jude.

C.M. R. Brown-Borthwick, 1840-1894.





May also be sung to "Holy Trinity," No. 507.

of OH! for a heart to praise my God; p Oh! for a humble, lowly heart,
A heart from sin set free;
Believing, true, and clean,
Which neither life nor death can part
So freely spilt for me:

From Him Who dwells within:

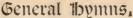
A heart resigned, submissive, meek,
My great Redeemer's throne;
Where only Christ is heard to speak,
Where Jesus rules alone!

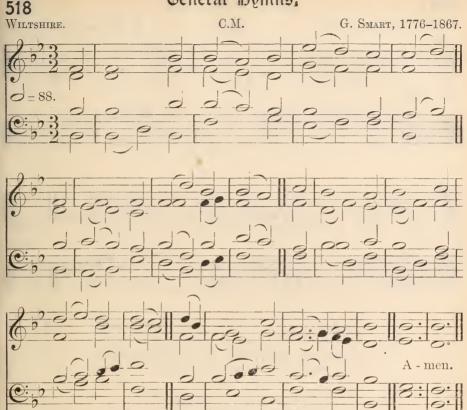
From Him Who dwells within:

A heart in every thought renewed,
And full of love divine;

And full of love divine;
Perfect, and right, and pure, and good,
A copy, Lord, of Thine!

mf Thy nature, gracious Lord, impart;
Come quickly from above;
Write Thy new Name upon my heart,
cr Thy new, best Name of Love. Amen.





My dear Redeemer's praise, The glories of my God and King, The triumphs of His grace!

mf Jesus! the Name that charms our f Hear Him, ye deaf! His praise, ye fears,

That bids our sorrows cease; 'Tis music in the sinner's ears,

'Tis life and health and peace!

He sets the prisoner free; His Blood can make the foulest clean; cr And spread through all the earth

His Blood availed for me.

 \bigcap H! for a thousand tongues to sing f He speaks! and, listening to His voice, New life the dead receive;

> The mournful, broken hearts rejoice; The humble poor believe.

Your loosened tongues employ! Ye blind, behold your Saviour come! And leap, ye lame, for joy!

mf He breaks the power of cancelled sin, mf My gracious Master and my God, Assist me to proclaim, [abroad

f The honours of Thy Name. Amen.





Thy heavenly succour give:

The pus in thought, and word, and deed,

Each hour on earth we live!

p Oh, help us when our spirits bleedWith contrite anguish sore;And when our hearts are cold and dead,Oh, help us, Lord, the more!

mf Oh, help us through the prayer of faith More firmly to believe!For still the more the servant hath, The more shall he receive.

Oh, help us, Saviour, from on high:
We know no help but Thee!
Oh, help us so to live and die
As Thine in heaven to be! Amen.

ST. JOHN BAPTIST.

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O. M. FEILDEN, b. 1837.





of OH! let him, whose sorrow
No relief can find,
Trust in God, and borrow
Ease for heart and mind.

Where the mourner weeping
 Sheds the secret tear,

 In the secret tear of the secret tear of the secret tear.
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mf God will never leave thee,
All thy wants He knows,
Feels the pains that grieve thee,
Sees thy cares and woes.

f Raise thine eyes to heaven When thy spirits quail, When, by tempests driven, Heart and courage fail.

p When in grief we languishcr He will dry the tear,

mf Who His children's anguish Soothes with succour near.

p All our woe and sadness,
In this world below,
cr Balance not the gladness
f We in heaven shall know,

When our gracious Saviour
In the realms above
Crowns us with His favour,
Fills us with His love. Amen.

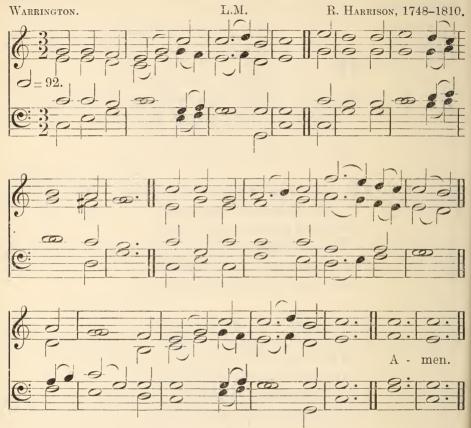
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mf p H! quickly come, dread Judge of all;
p For, awful though Thine Advent be,
cr All shadows from the truth will fall,
And falsehood die, in sight of Thee.
f Oh! quickly come; for doubt and fear
Like clouds dissolve when Thou art near.

mf Oh! quickly come, great King of all;
Reign all around us, and within;
Let sin no more our souls enthrall,
Let pain and sorrow die with sin.
cr Oh! quickly come; for Thou alone
f Canst make Thy scattered people one.

mf Oh! quickly come, true Life of all;
p For death is mighty all around;
On every home his shadows fall,
On every heart his mark is found.
cr Oh! quickly come; for grief and pain
f Can never cloud Thy glorious reign.

mf Oh! quickly come, sure Light of all;
p For gloomy night broods o'er our way;
And weakly souls begin to fall
With weary watching for the day.
cr Oh! quickly come; for round Thy throne
f No eye is blind, no night is known. Amen.



May also be sung to "Winchester New," No. 327.

f OH render thanks to God above,
The Fountain of eternal love,
Whose mercy firm through ages past
Has stood, and shall for ever last.

mf Who can His mighty deeds express, Not only vast, but numberless? What mortal eloquence can raise His tribute of immortal praise? Happy are they, and only they, Who from His judgments fear to stray, Who know and love His perfect will, And all His righteous laws fulfil.

Extend to me that favour, Lord,
Thou to Thy chosen dost afford;

cr When Thou return'st to set them free,
f Let Thy salvation visit me. Amen.



S.M.

Day's Psalter, 1543.





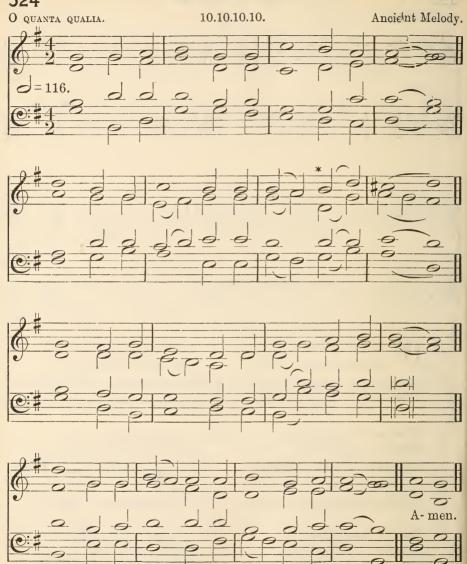
mf OH what, if we are Christ's,
Is earthly shame or loss?

- f Bright shall the crown of glory be When we have borne the cross.
- Keen was the trial once,
 Bitter the cup of woe,
 When martyred Saints, baptized in blood,
 Christ's sufferings shared below:
- f Bright is their glory now,
 Boundless their joy above,
 Where, on the bosom of their God,
 They rest in perfect love.

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- mf Lord, may that grace be ours, Like them in faith to bear
 - p All that of sorrow, grief, or pain May be our portion here.
- mf Enough if Thou at last
 The word of blessing give,
 And let us rest beneath Thy feet,
 Where Saints and Angels live.
 - All glory, Lord, to Thee,
 Whom heaven and earth adore;
 To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
 One God for evermore. Amen.

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* In verse 1 the slur should be over the 3rd and 4th notes of bar 7.

- of OH, what the joy and the glory must be,
 Those endless Sabbaths the blessèd ones see!
 Crowns for the valiant, to weary ones rest;
 God shall be All and in all ever blest!
- mf What are the Monarch, His court, and His throne? What are the peace and the joy that they own? Oh, that the blest ones, who in it have share, All that they feel could as fully declare!

Truly Jerusalem name we that shore, Vision of peace, that brings joy evermore! Wish and fulfilment can severed be ne'er, Nor the thing prayed for come short of the prayer.

There, where no troubles distraction can bring, We the sweet anthems of Sion shall sing, While for Thy grace, Lord, their voices of praise Thy blessèd people eternally raise.

There dawns no Sabbath, no Sabbath is o'er, Those Sabbath-keepers have one evermore; f One and unending is that triumph-song Which to the Angels and us shall belong.

- Now in the meanwhile, with hearts raised on high,
 We for that country must yearn and must sigh;
 Seeking Jerusalem, dear native land,
 Through our long exile on Babylon's strand.
- mf Low before Him with our praises we fall, cr Of Whom, and in Whom, and through Whom are all;
- f Of Whom, the Father; and in Whom, the Son; Through Whom, the Spirit, with Them ever One. Amen.



General Ibymns.

f OH worship the King
All glorious above,
Oh gratefully sing
His power and His love,
Our Shield and Defender,
The Ancient of days,
Pavilioned in splendour,
And girded with praise!

Oh tell of His might,
Oh sing of His grace,
Whose robe is the light,
Whose canopy space.
His chariots of wrath
The deep thunder-clouds form,
And dark is His path
On the wings of the storm.

mf The earth with its store
Of wonders untold,
Almighty, Thy power
Hath founded of old,
Hath stablished it fast
By a changeless decree,
And round it hath cast,
Like a mantle, the sea.

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 distils
In the dew and the rain.

p Frail children of dust,
And feeble as frail,
cr 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!

f O measureless Might!
Ineffable Love
While Angels delight
To hymn Thee above,

mf The humbler creation,
Though feeble their lays,

cr With true adoration
Shall lisp to Thy praise. Amen.



General Ibymns.



Marching as to war,
With the Cross of Jesus
Going on before.
Christ the Royal Master,

Leads against the foe; Forward into battle

See, His banners go.
Onward, Christian soldiers,
Marching as to war,
With the Cross of Jesus
Going on before!

f At the sign of triumph
Satan's host doth flee!
On, then, Christian soldiers,
On to victory!
Hell's foundations quiver
At the shout of praise;
Brothers, lift your voices,
Loud your anthems raise.

ff Onward, Christian soldiers, etc.

f Like a mighty army
Moves the Church of God.

mf Brothers, we are treading
Where the Saints have trod.

f We are not divided,
All one Body we,
One in hope and doctrine,
One in charity.

f Onward, Christian soldiers, etc.

p Crowns and thrones may perish, Kingdoms rise and wane,

cr But the Church of Jesus Constant will remain:

f Gates of hell can never
'Gainst that Church prevail;
We have Christ's own promise,
And that cannot fail.

ff Onward, Christian soldiers, etc.

f Onward then, ye people,
Join our happy throng,
Blend with ours your voices
In the triumph song:
Glory, laud, and honour
Unto Christ the King;
This through countless ages
Men and Angels sing.

ff Onward, Christian soldiers, of

F Onward, Christian soldiers, etc.
Amen.







blest Redeemer, ere He His tender last farewell. A Guide, a Comforter bequeathed With us to dwell.

p And His that gentle voice we hear, Soft as the breath of even, That checks each fault, that calms each fear. And speaks of heaven.

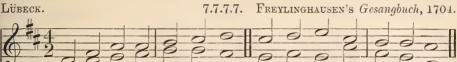
mf He came sweet influence to impart, A gracious, willing Guest, While He can find one humble heart Wherein to rest.

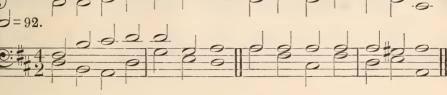
cr And every virtue we possess, And every victory won, And every thought of holiness, Are His alone. mf

p Spirit of purity and grace, Our weakness, pitying, see; cr Oh, make our hearts Thy dwelling-place, And worthy Thee! Amen.

General Ibunns.









DALMS of glory, raiment bright, Crowns that never fade away, Gird and deck the Saints in light, Priests, and kings, and conquerors they.

mf Round the Altar Priests confess, If their robes are white as snow,

'Twas the Saviour's Righteousness And His Blood that made them SO.

mf Yet the conquerors bring their palms

> To the Lamb amidst the throne. And proclaim in joyful psalms

Victory through His Cross alone.

p Who were these?—On earth they dwelt:

Sinners once of Adam's race. Guilt and fear and suffering felt,

cr But were saved by sovereign grace.

mf Kings for harps their crowns resign, f" Take the Kingdom, it is Thine,

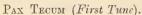
King of kings, and Lord of lords."

mf They were mortal too like us;

Crying, as they strike the chords, dim Ah, when we like them must die,

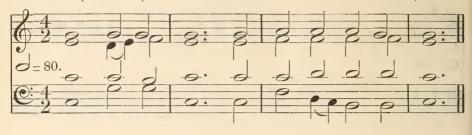
cr May our souls translated thus

f Triumph, reign, and shine on high. Amen.





G. T. CALDBECK, c. 1870.





- mf PEACE, perfect peace, in this dark world of sin? The Blood of Jesus whispers peace within.
- mf Peace, perfect peace, by thronging duties pressed?

 p To do the will of Jesus, this is rest.
- mf Peace, perfect peace, with sorrows surging round?

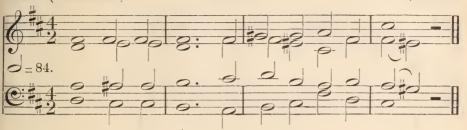
 p On Jesus' bosom nought but calm is found.
- mf Peace, perfect peace, with loved ones far away?

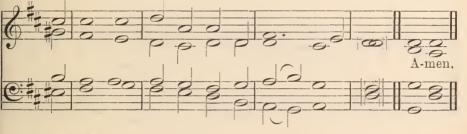
 p In Jesus' keeping we are safe and they.
- mf Peace, perfect peace, our future all unknown? f Jesus we know, and He is on the throne.
 - p Peace, perfect peace, death shadowing us and ours? f Jesus has vanquished death and all its powers.
- mf It is enough; earth's struggles soon shall cease, And Jesus call us to heaven's perfect peace. Amen.

YARLET (Second Tune).

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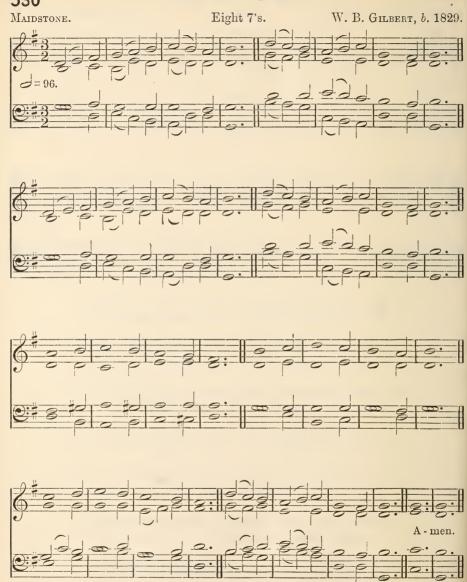
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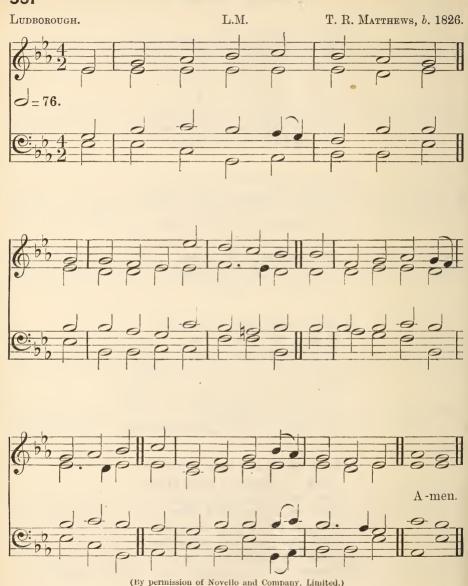


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- mf PLEASANT are Thy courts above In the land of light and love;
 - p Pleasant are Thy courts below In this land of sin and woe.
- cr Oh, my spirit longs and faints For the converse of Thy Saints, For the brightness of Thy face, King of Glory, God of grace!
- mf Happy birds that sing and fly Round Thy altars, O Most High!
 - p Happier souls that find a rest In a Heavenly Father's breast!
- cr Like the wandering dove, that found No repose on earth around, They can to their ark repair, And enjoy it ever there.
- mf Happy souls! their praises flow
 Even in this vale of woe;
 Waters in the desert rise,
 Manna feeds them from the skies:
 - f On they go from strength to strength Till they reach Thy throne at length, At Thy feet adoring fall, Who hast led them safe through all.
 - p Lord! be mine this prize to win; Guide me through a world of sin; Keep me by Thy saving grace; Give me at Thy side a place.
- mf Sun and Shield alike Thou art;
 Guide and guard my erring heart.
- f Grace and glory flow from Thee;
- dim Shower, oh, shower them, Lord, on me! Amen.



General Ibymns.

POUR out Thy Spirit from on high;
Lord, Thine assembled servants bless;
Graces and gifts to each supply,
And clothe Thy priests with righteousness.

Within Thy temple when they stand,

To teach the truth, as taught by Thee,
Saviour, like stars in Thy right hand

The Angels of the Churches be.

Wisdom and zeal and faith impart,

Firmness and meekness from above,

To bear Thy people in their heart,

And love the souls whom Thou dost love;

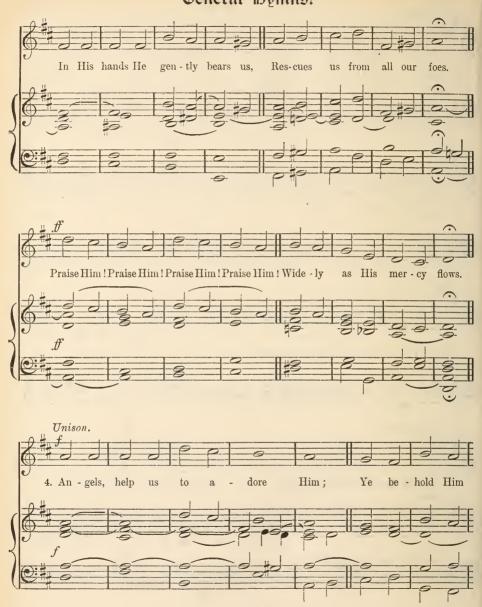
p To watch and pray, and never faint;
By day and night strict guard to keep;
To warn the sinner, cheer the Saint,
Nourish Thy lambs, and feed Thy sheep.

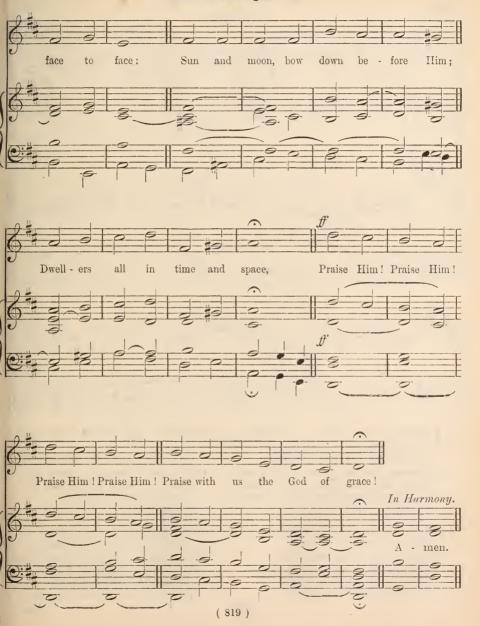
mf Then, when our work is finished here,In humble hope our charge resign;cr When the Chief Shepherd shall appear,O God! may they and we be Thine. Amen.

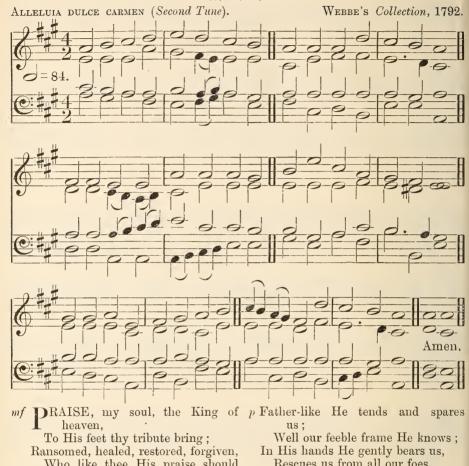


General Ibymns.









Who like thee His praise should

Praise Him! Praise Him! [sing? Praise the everlasting King!

mf Praise Him for His grace and favour To our fathers in distress; Praise Him, still the same as ever,

Slow to chide, and swift to bless.

Praise Him! Praise Him! Glorious in His faithfulness! Rescues us from all our foes.

Praise Him! Praise Him! Widely as His mercy flows.

f Angels, help us to adore Him; Ye behold Him face to face:

Sun and moon, bow down before Him; Dwellers all in time and space,

Praise Him! Praise Him!

Praise with us the God of grace!

Amen.

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f PRAISE the Lord! ye heavens, adore Him;

Praise Him, Angels, in the height;
Sun and moon, rejoice before Him,
Praise Him, all ye stars and light.
Praise the Lord! for He hath spoken;
Worlds His mighty voice obeyed;
Laws which never shall be broken
For their guidance hath He made.

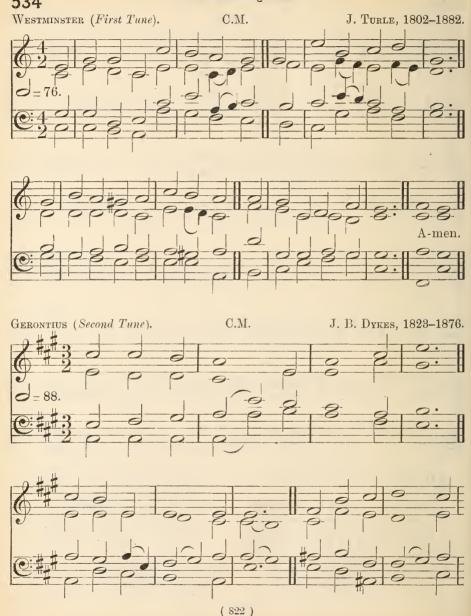
Praise the Lord! for He is glorious; Never shall His promise fail:

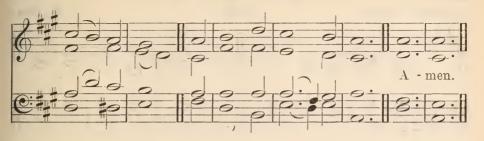
God hath made His Saints victorious, Sin and death shall not prevail.

Praise the God of our salvation;
Hosts on high, His power proclaim;

y Heaven and earth and all creation Laud and magnify His Name!

Amen.





f PRAISE to the Holiest in the height,
And in the depth be praise;
In all His words most wonderful,
Most sure in all His ways!

mf O loving wisdom of our God!
p When all was sin and shame,
cr A second Adam to the fight
f And to the rescue came.

p O wisest love! that flesh and blood,
Which did in Adam fail,
cr Should strive afresh against the foe,
f Should strive, and should prevail!

mf And that a higher gift than grace
Should flesh and blood refine,
p God's Presence and His very Self,
And Essence all-Divine!

f O generous love! that He, Who smote
In man for man the foe,
dim The double agony in man
For man should undergo;

p And in the garden secretly,
And on the Cross on high,
cr Should teach His brethren and inspire
dim To suffer and to die!

f Praise to the Holiest in the height,
And in the depth be praise;
In all His words most wonderful,
Most sure in all His ways. Amen.

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- f PRAISE we our God with joy
 And gladness never ending;
 Angels and Saints with us
 Their grateful voices blending.
- mf He is our Father dear,
 With parent's love o'erflowing;
 Mercies unsought, unknown,
 On wayward hearts bestowing.

He is our Shepherd true, With watchful care unsleeping; On us, His erring sheep, An eye of pity keeping.

f He, with a mighty arm,
The bonds of sin hath broken;
p And to our burdened hearts
In words of peace hath spoken.

- Bleeding we lay, but He
 With soothing bands hath bound us;
 Dark was our path, but He
 Hath poured His light around us.
- mf Graces in copious stream
 From that pure Fount are welling,
 Where, in our inmost hearts,
 Our God hath set His dwelling.
 - p His word our lantern is,
 His peace our consolation;
 His sweetness all our rest,
 Himself our great salvation
- mf Then live we all to God,
 On Him in faith relying;
 Be He our Guide in life,
 Our Joy and Hope in dying. Amen.

ST. COLUMBA.

C.M.

J. M. MACMEIKAN.





mf PRAYER is the soul's sincere desire,
Uttered or unexpressed;
The motion of a hidden fire,
That trembles in the breast.

Prayer is the burden of a sigh,
The falling of a tear,
The upward glancing of an eye,
When none but God is near.

Prayer is the simplest form of speech That infant lips can try, Prayer the sublimest strains that reach The Majesty on high.

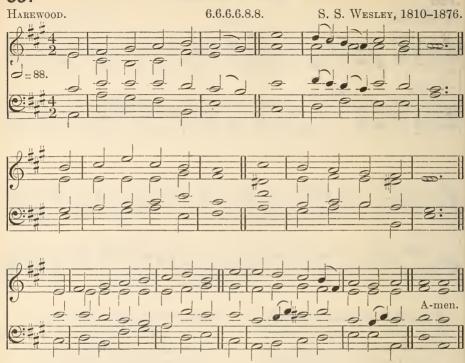
Prayer is the Christian's vital breath,
The Christian's native air,
His watchword at the gates of death:
He enters heaven with prayer.

Prayer is the contrite sinner's voice, Returning from his ways; While Angels in their songs rejoice. And cry, "Behold, he prays."

The Saints in prayer appear as one, In word, and deed, and mind; While with the Father and the Son Sweet fellowship they find.

Nor prayer is made on earth alone, The Holy Spirit pleads; And Jesus on the eternal throne For sinners intercedes.

O Thou by Whom we come to God, The Life, the Truth, the Way, The path of prayer Thyself hast trod · Lord, teach us how to pray. Amen.



May also be sung to "Jubilee," No. 8.

EJOICE, the Lord is King! Your Lord and King adore; Mortals, give thanks and sing, And triumph evermore:

Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Jesus the Saviour reigns, The God of truth and love; When He had purged our stains He took His seat above:

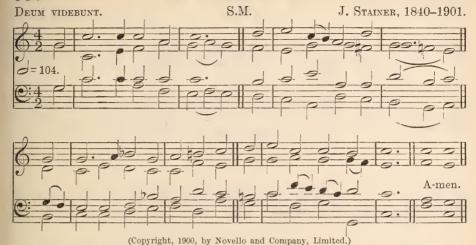
ff Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; ff Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

His Kingdom cannot fail; He rules o'er earth and heaven: The keys of death and hell Are to our Jesus given:

Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

> He sits at God's right hand, Till all His foes submit, And bow to His command, And fall beneath His feet:

Rejoice, again I say, rejoice! Amen.



EJOICE, ye pure in heart, Rejoice, give thanks and sing; Your festal banner wave on high, The Cross of Christ your King.

Bright youth and snow-crowned age, mf mfStrong men and maidens meek,

cr Raise high your free exulting song, God's wondrous praises speak.

Yes, onward, onward still, With hymn, and chant, and song, Through gate, and porch, and columned aisle. The hallowed pathways throng.

With all the Angel choirs, mfWith all the Saints on earth, dim

Pour out the strains of joy and bliss, True rapture, noblest mirth.

Your clear Hosannas raise, And Alleluias loud,

p Whilst answering echoes upward float,

Like wreaths of incense cloud.

With voice as full and strong As ocean's surging praise, [loved, Send forth the hymns our fathers The psalms of ancient days.

Yes, on, through life's long path, Still chanting as ye go,

From youth to age, by night and day, In gladness and in woe.

Still lift your standard high, Still march in firm array,

As warriors through the darkness toil

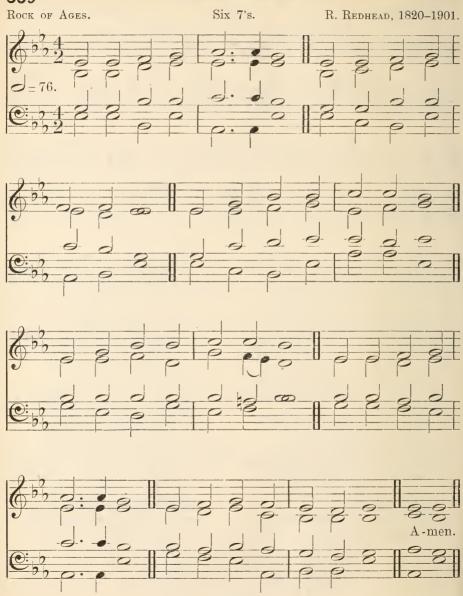
Till dawns the golden day.

At last the march shall end, The wearied ones shall rest,

p The pilgrims find their Father's Jerusalem the blest. Thouse,

Then on, ye pure in heart, Rejoice, give thanks, and sing; Your festal banner wave on high, The Cross of Christ your King.

f Praise Him Who reigns on high, The Lord Whom we adore; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, One God for evermore. Amen.



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mf ROCK of ages, cleft for me,

Let me hide myself in Thee;

Let the Water and the Blood,

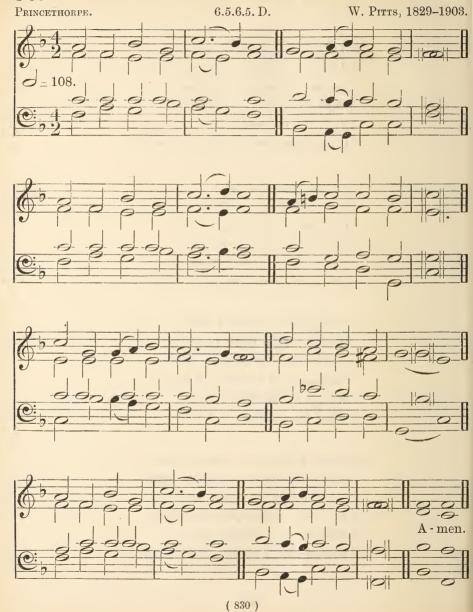
From Thy riven side which flowed,

Be of sin the double cure,

Cleanse me from its guilt and power?

Not the labours of my hands Can fulfil Thy laws demands; Could my zeal no respite know, Could my tears for ever flow, All for sin could not atone; Thou must save, and Thou alone!

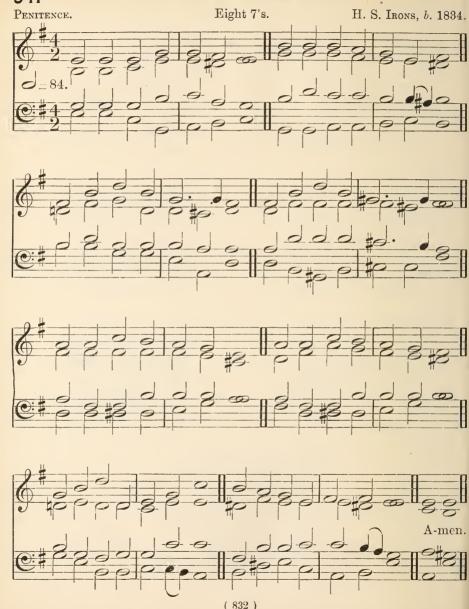
- Nothing in my hand I bring,
 Simply to Thy Cross I cling;
 Naked, come to Thee for dress;
 Helpless, look to Thee for grace;
 Foul, I to the Fountain fly—
 Wash me, Saviour, or I die!
- mf While I draw this fleeting breath,
 - p When my eyes are closed in death,
- cr When I soar to worlds unknown,
- mf See Thee on Thy judgment-throne,
 - p Rock of ages! cleft for me,
- pp Let me hide myself in Thee! Amen.



- mf Saviour, Blessèd Saviour,
 Listen while we sing;
 cr Hearts and voices raising
 f Praises to our King.
 mf All we have we offer;
- mf All we have we offer;
 All we hope to be,
 Body, soul, and spirit,
 All we yield to Thee.
- p Farther, ever farther
 From Thy wounded side,
 Heedlessly we wandered,
 Wandered far and wide;
 cr Till Thou cam'st in mercy
- cr Till Thou cam'st in mercy Seeking young and old,
- mf Lovingly to bear them, Saviour, to Thy fold.
- mf Nearer, ever nearer, Christ, we draw to Thee,
 - p Deep in adoration
 Bending low the knee.
 Thou for our redemption
 Cam'st on earth to die;
 - f Thou, that we might follow, Hast gone up on high.

- f Great, and ever greater,
 Are Thy mercies here;
 True and everlasting
 Are the glories there;
 Where no pain or sorrow,
 Toil or care, is known;
 Where the Angel legions
 Circle round Thy throne.
- f Brighter still, and brighter,
 Glows the western sun,
 Shedding all its gladness
 O'er our work that's done;
 Time will soon be over,
 Toil and sorrow past,
 p May we, Blessèd Saviour,
 Find a rest at last.
- mj Onward, ever onward,
 Journeying o'er the road
 Worn by Saints before us,
 Journeying on to God;
- cr Leaving all behind us,
 May we hasten on,
 Backward never looking
 f Till the prize is won.
- f Higher then, and higher,
 Bear the ransomed soul,
 Earthly toils forgotten,
 Saviour, to its goal;
 cr Where, in joys unthought of,
 Saints with Angels sing,
 Never weary, raising
 Praises to their King. Amen,

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p SAVIOUR! when in dust to Thee
Low we bow the adoring knee,
When, repentant, to the skies
Scarce we lift our weeping eyes,
Oh, by all Thy pains and woe
Suffered once for man below;
Bending from Thy throne on high,
pp Hear our solemn Litany!

By Thy helpless infant years,
By Thy life of want and tears,
By Thy days of sore distress
In the savage wilderness,
By the dread mysterious hour
Of the insulting tempter's power;
Turn, Oh, turn a favouring eye,

pp Hear our solemn Litany!

p By the sacred griefs that wept O'er the grave where Lazarus slept; By the boding tears that flowed Over Salem's loved abode; By the anguished sigh that told Treachery lurked within Thy fold; From Thy seat above the sky,
pp Hear our solemn Litany!

p By Thine hour of dire despair, By Thine agony of prayer, By the Cross, the nail, the thorn, Piercing spear, and torturing scorn; By the gloom that veiled the skies O'er the dreadful Sacrifice; Listen to our humble cry, pp Hear our solemn Litany!

P By Thy deep expiring groan; By the sad sepulchral stone;

cr By the vault, whose dark abode
Held in vain the rising God:
f Oh, from earth to heaven restored,
Mighty, re-ascended Lord,

dim Listen, listen to the cry
pp Of our solemn Litany! Amen.

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Six 7's.

С. Н. LLOYD, b. 1849.



of Saviour, Who exalted high In Thy Father's majesty, Yet vouchsafest Thyself to show To Thy faithful flock below,

cr Still Thy Presence let me see, dim Manifest Thyself to me.

mf Son of Man, to Thee I cry;

p By the holy mystery
Of Thy dwelling here on earth,
By Thy pure and holy birth,

cr Lord, Thy Presence let me see, dim Manifest Thyself to me. mf Lamb of God, to Thee I cry;

p By Thy bitter agony,
By Thy pangs, to us unknown,
By Thy Spirit's porting green

By Thy Spirit's parting groan, cr Lord, Thy Presence let me see,

dim Manifest Thyself to me.

f Prince of life, to Thee I cry;
By Thy glorious majesty,
By Thy triumph o'er the grave,
Meek to suffer, strong to save,
Lord, Thy Presence let me see,
dim Manifest Thyself to me.

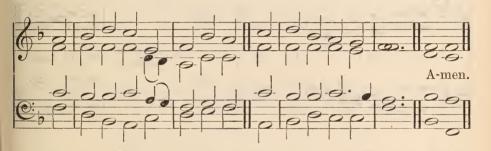
f Lord of glory, God Most High,
Man exalted to the sky,
With Thy love my bosom fill;
Prompt me to perform Thy will:
Manifest Thyself to me
dim In the Triune Deity. Amen.

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C.M. Bishop Turton, 1780-1864.



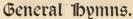


- Mf SHEPHERD Divine, our wants
 In this our evil day; [relieve
 To all Thy tempted followers give
 The power to watch and pray.
- p Long as our fiery trials last,Long as the cross we bear,cr Oh let our souls on Thee be cast
- cr Oh let our souls on Thee be cas
 In never-ceasing prayer.
- p The spirit of interceding grace
 Give us in faith to claim;
- cr To wrestle till we see Thy face,
 And know Thy hidden Name.

- mf Till Thou Thy perfect love impart,Till Thou Thyself bestow,Be this the cry of every heart,"I will not let Thee go."
- mf I will not let Thee go, unless
 Thou tell Thy Name to me;
 cr With all Thy great Salvation bless,
- And make me all like Thee.

 f Then let me on the mountain-top
 - Behold Thy open face;
 Where faith in sight is swallowed up,
 And prayer in endless praise.

Amen.











General Ibymns.



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f SING Alleluia fórth in | duteous | praise, O citizens of héaven: in | sweet notes | raise An endless Alleluia!

Ye Powers who stand before the E-|-ternal | Light cr In hymning choirs re-écho | to the | height ff An endless Alleluia!

f The Holy City shall take | up your | strain, And with glad songs resounding | wake a-|-gain An endless Alleluia!

In blissful answering stráins ye | thus re-|-joice cr To render to the Lord with | thankful | voice ff An endless Alleluia!

f Ye who have gained at length your | palms in | bliss, Victorious ones, your chant shall | still be | this—
An endless Alleluia!

There, in one grand accláim for | ever | ring
The strains which tell the hónour | of your | King—

An endless Alleluia!

p This is the rest for weary | ones brought | back:
cr This is the food and drink which | none shall | lack:
mf An endless Alleluia!

cr While Thee, by Whom were all things | made, we | praise For ever, and tell out in | sweetest | lays fr An endless Alleluia!

f Almighty Christ, to Thée our | voices | sing cr Glory for evermôre: to | Thee we | bring fr An endless Alleluia! Amen.



General Ibymns.

f SING to the Lord a joyful song,
Lift up your hearts, your voices raise,
To us His gracious gifts belong,
To Him our songs of love and praise.

ff For He is Lord of heaven and earth,
Whom Angels serve and Saints adore,
The Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
To Whom be praise for evermore.

mf For life and love, for rest and food,
For daily help and nightly care,
cr Sing to the Lord, for He is good,
And praise His Name, for it is fair.
ff For He is Lord, etc.

mf For strength to those who on Him wait,
His truth to prove, His will to do,
f Praise ye our God, for He is great,
Trust in His Name, for it is true.
ff For He is Lord, etc.

for joys untold that from above
Cheer those who love His sweet employ,
f Sing to our God, for He is love,
Exalt His Name, for it is joy.
ff For He is Lord, etc.

f For life below, with all its bliss,

mf And for that life, more pure and high,

p That inner life, which over this

cr Shall ever shine, and never die;

ff Sing to the Lord of heaven and earth,

Whom Angels serve and Saints adore,

The Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,

To Whom be praise for evermore. Amen.







Stand, then, in His great might, With all His strength endued;

Strong in the strength which God mf And take, to arm you for the fight,

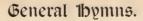
Through His eternal Son: [supplies]

The panoply of God.

Strong in the Lord of Hosts,
And in His mighty power:
Who in the strength of Jesus trusts
Is more than conqueror!

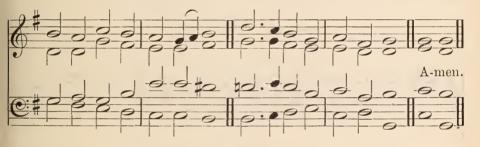
cr From strength to strength go on,
Wrestle, and fight, and pray,
Tread all the powers of darkness down,
ff And win the well-fought day:

mf That, having all things done,
And all your conflicts past,
cr Ye may o'ercome through Christ alone,
f And victor stand at last. Amen.









f SOLDIERS, who are Christ's below,
Strong in faith resist the foe:
Boundless is the pledged reward
Unto them who serve the Lord.

For the souls that overcome
Waits the beauteous heavenly home,
Where the Blessèd evermore
Tread on high the starry floor.

mf'Tis no palm of fading leaves

That the conqueror's hand receives;

Joys are his serene and pure,

Light that ever shall endure.

- p Passing soon and little worth Are the things that tempt on earth;
- cr Heavenward lift thy soul's regard; God Himself is thy Reward.

f Father, Who the crown dost give,
Saviour, by Whose death we live,
Spirit, Who our hearts doth raise,
Three in One, Thy Name we praise. Amen.

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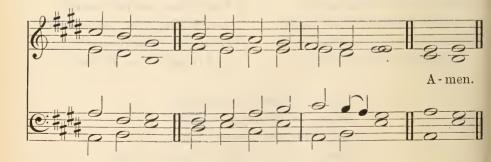
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Culbach.

Scheffler's Geistliche Hirtenlieder, 1668.





f SONGS of praise the Angels sang,
Heaven with Alleluias rang,
When Jehovah's work begun,
When He spake, and it was done.

Songs of praise awoke the morn When the Prince of Peace was born; Songs of praise arose when He Captive led captivity.

- P Heaven and earth must pass away;mf Songs of praise shall crown that day:God will make new heavens, new earth;
 - f Songs of praise shall hail their birth.
 - p And can man alone be dumb, Till that glorious kingdom come?
 - f No! the Church delights to raise
 Psalms, and hymns, and songs of praise.
- inf Saints below, with heart and voice, Still in songs of praise rejoice; Learning here, by faith and love, Songs of praise to sing above.
- cr Borne upon their latest breath,
- f Songs of praise shall conquer death;

 Then, amidst eternal joy,

 Songs of praise their powers employ. Amen.

General Ibymns.

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Irregular.

H. H. Pierson, 1815-1873, and H. S. Irons, b. 1834. Soon and for ever.



mf SOON and for ever;—
Such promise our trust,

dim Though ashes to ashes,

n And dust unto dust:

cr Soon and for ever

f Made perfect, our glorious Redeemer, in Thee;

p When the sins and the sorrows
Of time shall be o'er,
Its pages and its partings

Its pangs, and its partings
Remembered no more,

cr Where life cannot fail, and where Death cannot sever,

f Christians with Christ shall be Soon and for ever.

mf Soon and for ever

The breaking of day Shall drive all the night-clouds

Of sorrow away;

Soon and for ever

We'll see as we're seen,

And learn the deep meaning Of things that have been:

p When fightings without us, And fears from within,

Shall weary no more in

The warfare with sin; [where cr Where fears, and where tears, and

Death shall be never,

f Christians with Christ shall be Soon and for ever.

p Soon and for ever
The work shall be done;

cr The warfare accomplished,

f The victory won;

Soon and for ever

The soldier lays down

His sword for a harp, and

His cross for a crown:

p Then droop not in sorrow,
Despond not in fear;

cr A glorious to-morrow

Is brightening and near;

f When—blessèd reward of each Faithful endeavour—

Christians with Christ shall be

Soon and for ever. Amen.



f STAND up, and bless the Lord,
Ye people of His choice;
Stand up, and bless the Lord your God,
With heart and soul and voice.

Oh! for the living flame,
From His own Altar brought,
To touch our lips, our minds inspire,
And wing to heaven our thought.

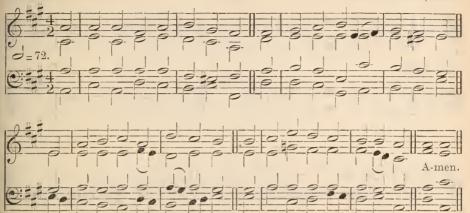
mf Though high above all praise,
Above all blessing high,
Who would not fear His holy Name,
And laud, and magnify?

f God is our strength and song,
 And His salvation ours;
 Then be His love in Christ proclaimed,
 With all our ransomed powers.

ff Stand up, and bless the Lord;The Lord your God adore;Stand up, and bless His glorious Name,Henceforth for evermore. Amen.

Breslau.

L.M. CLAUDER'S Psalmodia nova, 1630.



mf TAKE up thy cross, the Saviour said,
If thou wouldst My disciple be;
Take up thy cross with willing heart,
And humbly follow after Me.

Take up thy cross; let not its weight.

Fill thy weak soul with vain alarm;

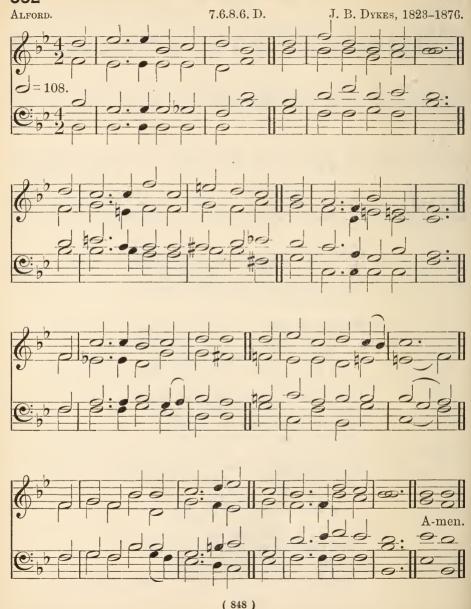
His strength shall bear thy spirit up,

And brace thy heart, and nerve thine arm.

Take up thy cross, nor heed the shame;
And let thy foolish pride be still:
The Lord refused not e'en to die
Upon a Cross on Calvary's hill.

Take up thy cross, then, in His strength,
And calmly sin's temptations brave;
cr 'Twill guide thee to a better home;
It points to glory o'er the grave.

mf Take up thy cross, and follow on,
Nor think till death to lay it down;
cr For only he who bears the cross
May hope to wear the glorious crown. Amen.



f TEN thousand times ten thousand,
In sparkling raiment bright,
The armies of the ransomed Saints
Throng up the steeps of light:
'Tis finished! all is finished,
Their fight with death and sin;
Fling open wide the golden gates,
And let the victors in.

What rush of Alleluias
Fills all the earth and sky!
What ringing of a thousand harps
Bespeaks the triumph nigh!
O day, for which creation
And all its tribes were made!
O joy, for all its former woes
A thousand-fold repaid!

mf Oh, then what raptured greetings
On Canaan's happy shore,
What knitting severed friendships πp,
Where partings are no more!
Then eyes with joy shall sparkle
That brimmed with tears of late;
Orphans no longer fatherless,
Nor widows desolate.

f Bring near Thy great Salvation,
Thou Lamb for sinners slain,
Fill up the roll of Thine elect,
Then take Thy power and reign:
Appear, Desire of nations,
Thine exiles long for home;
Show in the heavens Thy promised sign;
Thou Prince and Saviour, come. Amen.

S. S. Wesley, 1810-1876. 7.6.7.6. D. Aurelia. Oberton Composition of the Compo (850)

mf THE Church's One Foundation
Is Jesus Christ her Lord:
She is His new creation
By water and the word:
From heaven He came and sought her
To be His holy Bride,
p With His own Blood He bought her,
pp And for her life He died.

mf Elect from every nation,
Yet one o'er all the earth,
Her charter of salvation
One Lord, one Faith, one Birth;
One Holy Name she blesses,
Partakes one Holy Food,
And to one hope she presses,
With every grace endued.

p Though with a scornful wonder
Men see her sore opprest,
By schisms rent asunder,
By heresies distrest;
cr Yet Saints their watch are keeping,
Their cry goes up, "How long?"
And soon the night of weeping
f Shall be the morn of song.

mf 'Mid toil and tribulation,
And tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation
Of peace for evermore;
cr Till with the vision glorious
Her longing eyes are blest,
f And the great Church victorious
dim Shall be the Church at rest.

mf Yet she on earth hath union
With God the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won.
Oh, happy ones and holy!
p Lord, give us grace that we
Like them, the meek and lowly,
cr On high may dwell with Thee! Amen.



- f THE God of Abraham praise,
 Who reigns enthroned above;
 Ancient of everlasting days
 And God of Love:
 Jehovah, Great I AM,
 By earth and heaven confest:

 mf I bow and bless the Sacred Name
- f The God of Abraham praise,
 At Whose supreme command
 From earth I rise, and seek the joys
 At His right hand;

For ever blest.

Its wisdom, fame, and power;

cr And Him my only Portion make,

My Shield and Tower.

I all on earth forsake,

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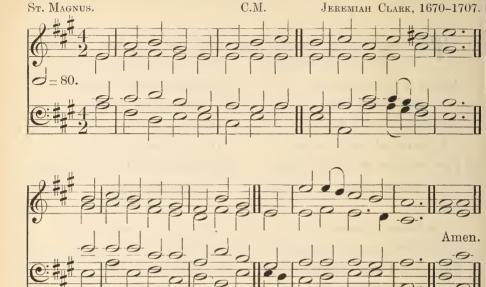
He by Himself hath sworn,
I on His oath depend,
I shall, on eagle's wings up-borne,
To heaven ascend;
I shall behold His face,
I shall His power adore,
And sing the wonders of His grace
For evermore!

- There dwells the Lord, our King,
 The Lord, our Righteousness;
 Triumphant o'er the world and sin,
 The Prince of Peace;
 On Zion's sacred height
 His Kingdom still maintains;
 And glorious with His Saints in light
 For ever reigns.
- f The God Who reigns on high The great Archangels sing;
- p And "Holy, Holy," cry, "Almighty King!
- Who was, and is the same,
 And evermore shall be.
 Jehovah, Father, Great I AM!
 We worship Thee."
- f The whole triumphant HostGive thanks to God on high;
- "Hail, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,"
 They ever cry:
 Hail Abraham's God, and mine!

Hail, Abraham's God, and mine!
I join the heavenly lays;

All might and majesty are Thine,

And endless praise! Amen.



THE head that once was crowned with thorns

Is crowned with glory now:

A royal diadem adorns The mighty Victor's brow.

The highest place that heaven affords Is His, is His by right, The King of kings, the Lord of lords,

The Joy of all who dwell above, The Joy of all below, To whom He manifests His love,

And grants His Name to know.

And heaven's eternal Light.

p To them the Cross, with all its shame.

With all its grace, is given:

f Their name an everlasting name, Their joy the joy of heaven.

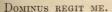
p They suffer with their Lord below,

They reign with Him above; Their profit and their joy to know The mystery of His love.

f The Cross He bore is life and health,

Though shame and death to Him;

f His people's hope, His people's Their everlasting theme. [wealth, Amen.





J. B. Dykes, 1823-1876.





mf THE King of love my Shepherd is,
Whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am His
And He is mine for ever.

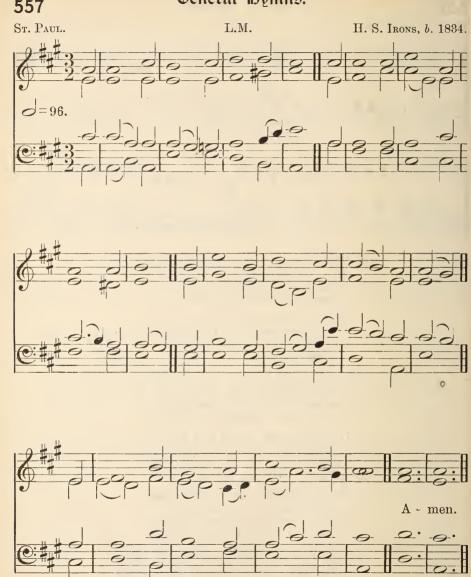
Where streams of living water flow
My ransomed soul He leadeth,
And, where the verdant pastures grow,
With food celestial feedeth.

p Perverse and foolish oft I strayed,
cr But yet in love He sought me,
p And on His shoulder gently laid,
f And home, rejoicing, brought me.

p In death's dark vale I fear no ill cr With Thee, dear Lord, beside me; Thy rod and staff my comfort still, Thy Cross before to guide me.

mf Thou spread'st a table in my sight,
Thy Unction grace bestoweth,
f And oh! what transport of delight
From Thy pure Chalice floweth.

mf And so through all the length of daysThy goodness faileth never;cr Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praiseWithin Thy house for ever. Amen.



- f THE Lord is King! Lift up thy voice,
 O earth; and all ye heavens, rejoice;
 From world to world the joy shall ring,
 The Lord Omnipotent is King.
- f The Lord is King! (mf) Who then shall dare Resist His will, distrust His care Or murmur at His wise decrees, Or doubt His royal promises?

The Lord is King! (p) Child of the dust,
The Judge of all the earth is just;
Holy and true are all His ways:
cr Let every creature speak His praise.

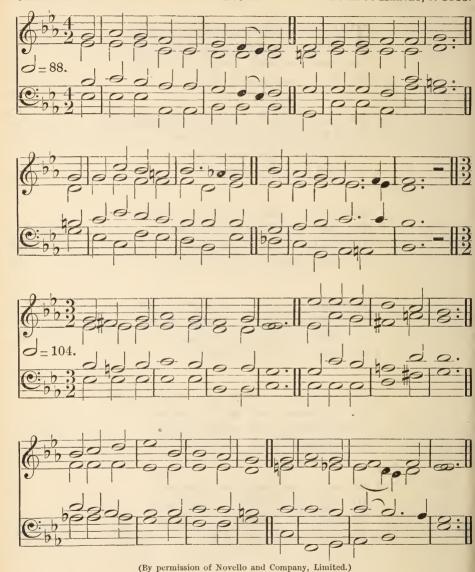
- f He reigns! Ye Saints, exalt your strains; Your God is King, your Father reigns; And He is at the Father's side, p The Man of love, the Crucified.
- mf Come, make your wants, your burdens known, He will present them at the throne; And Angel-bands are waiting there.

 His messages of love to bear.
- mf Oh, when His wisdom can mistake,
 His might decay, His love forsake,
 Then may His children cease to sing,
 f "The Lord Omnipotent is King!" Amen.

CASTLE RISING.

D.C.M.

F. A. J. HERVEY, b. 1846.



THE roseate hues of early dawn,
The brightness of the day,
The crimson of the sunset sky,
dim How fast they fade away!
cr Oh! for the pearly gates of heaven,
Oh! for the golden floor,
Oh! for the Sun of Righteousness,
That setteth nevermore.

p The highest hopes we cherish here,
How fast they tire and faint!
How many a spot defiles the robe
That wraps an earthly saint!
cr Oh! for a heart that never sins,
Oh! for a soul washed white,
Oh! for a voice to praise our King,
Nor weary day or night.

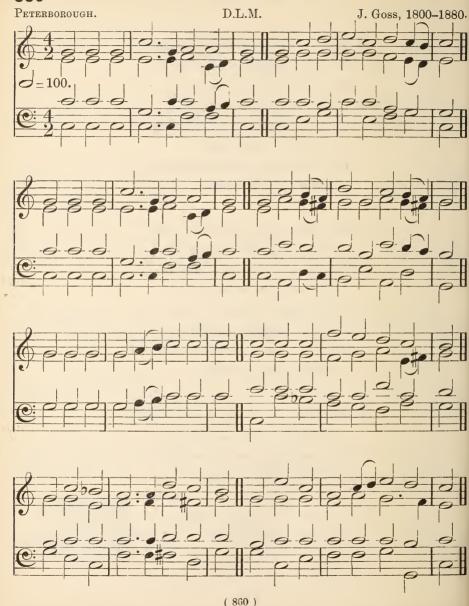
mf Here faith is ours, and heavenly hope
And grace to lead us higher;
cr But there are perfectness and peace
Beyond our best desire.
p Oh! by Thy love and anguish, Lord;

Oh! by Thy life laid down;

cr Oh! that we fall not from Thy grace,

mf Nor cast away our crown.





General Ibymns.

- f THE spacious firmament on high,
 With all the blue ethereal sky,
 And spangled heavens, a shining frame,
 Their great Original proclaim.
- mf The unwearied sun from day to day Does His Creator's power display,
- cr And publishes to every land

 The work of an almighty hand.
- mf Soon as the evening shades prevail

 The moon takes up the wondrous tale,
 And nightly to the listening earth
 Repeats the story of her birth;
 While all the stars that round her burn,
 And all the planets in their turn,
 Confirm the tidings, as they roll,
 And spread the truth from pole to pole.
 - What though in solemn silence all
 Move round the dark terrestrial ball;
 What though no real voice or sound
 Amid their radiant orbs be found:
 - f In reason's ear they all rejoice,And utter forth a glorious voice;For ever singing as they shine,
 - "The hand that made us is Divine."

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| <i>f</i> 1 | The strain upraise of joy and praise, Alle- | - lu | ia. | 2 | To the g | | | | | peo | - ple | sing, | | | |
| 3 | And the choirs that | dwell on | high | | Shall re- | écho | | | | thro | ugh tl | ne sky ; | | | |
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| mf 5 | The planets, glittering on their | heaven - ly | way, | | The shin | ing (| | | | | | 1 | | | |
| p 6 | Ye clouds that onward sweep, Ye winds on | pin - ions | light, | ſ | Ye thund | | | | | wild | le. | hnioht | | | |
| mf 7 | Ye floods and ocean billows, Ye stórms and | win - ter | snow, | | Ye days o | of clo | udless | beau | ty, | | , i | bright, r glow, | | | |
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| mf 12 | 2 To God, Who all cre - | -a - tion | made, | | The freq | uent | hýmn | be . | | du | - ly | paid, | | | |
| mf 15 | 3 This is the strain, the eternal strain, the Lord of | all things | loves, | f | Alle | | - | - | - | - lu | - | ia. | | | |
| f 14 | (Men only. Unison.) Wherefore we sing, both heart and voice a - | - wa - | king, | | Alle | - | - | | - | - lu | - | ia. | | | |
| f 18 | (<i>Unison</i> .) Now from all men | be out- | poured | | Allelúia | | | | | to | the | Lord. | | | |
| f 16 | 3 Praise be done to the | Three in | One, | | Alle | | - | - | - | - lu | - | ia. | | | |

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mf 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, To terminate the evil,

To diadem the right.

mf Arise, arise, good Christian, Let right to wrong succeed; p Let penitential sorrow To heavenly gladness lead,

mf To light that hath no evening, That knows nor moon nor sun, The light so new and golden, The light that is but one:—

mf O home of fadeless splendour, Of flowers that fear no thorn. Where they shall dwell as children Who here as exiles mourn;

cr 'Midst power that knows no limit, And wisdom free from bound, f The beatific Vision Shall glad the Saints around.

General Ibumns.

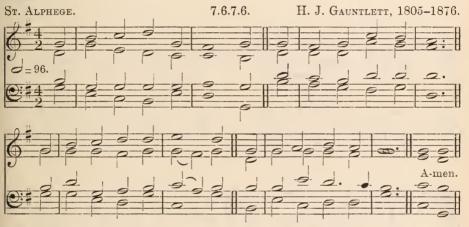
p The peace of all the faithful, The calm of all the blest, Inviolate, unvaried, Divinest, sweetest, best:

Yes, peace !- for war is needless,-Yes, calm !—for storm is past, cr And goal from finished labour, And anchorage at last.

mf O happy, holy portion, Refection for the blest. True vision of true beauty. Sweet cure of the distrest!

f Strive, man, to win that glory; Toil, man, to gain that light; Send hope before to grasp it, Till hope be lost in sight. Amen.

561 PART II.



DRIEF life is here our portion; Brief sorrow, short-lived care; cr The life that knows no ending,

The tearless life, is there.

mf O happy retribution! Short toil, eternal rest; For mortals and for sinners A mansion with the blest!

There grief is turned to pleasure; Such pleasure as below No human voice can utter. No human heart can know.

p And after earthly evil, And after this world's night, cr And after storm and whirlwind, Is calm, and jov, and light.

mf And now we fight the battle, But then shall wear the crown Of full and everlasting And passionless renown;

And now we watch and struggle, And now we live in hope, And Sion in her anguish With Babylon must cope;—

But He Whom now we trust in Shall then be seen and known; And they that know and see Him Shall have Him for their own.

Then God, our King and Portion, In fulness of His grace, Shall we behold for ever, And worship face to face.

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General Ibymns.

mf FOR thee, O dear, dear country,
Mine eyes their vigils keep;
For very love, beholding
Thy happy name, they weep:

cr The mention of thy glory
Is unction to the breast,
And medicine in sickness,
dim And love, and life, and rest.

one, O only mansion!O Paradise of joy!Where tears are ever banished,And smiles have no alloy;

Beside thy living waters
All plants are, great and small,
The cedar of the forest,
The hyssop of the wall:—

With jasper glow thy bulwarks,

Thy streets with emeralds blaze,

The sardius and the topaz

Unite in thee their rays;

Thine ageless walls are bonded With amethyst unpriced; The Saints thy golden fabric, Thy corner-stone is Christ.

Thou hast no shore, fair ocean!

Thou hast no time, bright day!

Dear fountain of refreshment

To pilgrims far away!

Upon the Rock of ages

They raise thy holy tower;

Thine is the victor's laurel,

And thine the golden dower.

mf O sweet and blessèd country,Shall I thy glories see?O sweet and blessèd country,Is such a prize for me?

f Exult, O dust and ashes,

The Lord shall be thy part:

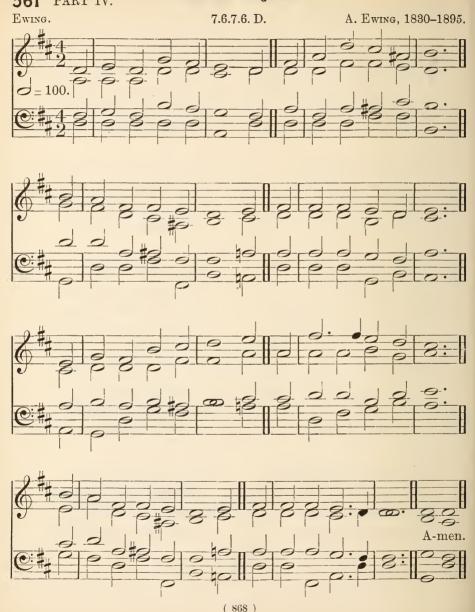
His only, His for ever,

Thou shalt be, and thou art.

Amen.

561 PART IV.

General Hymns.



mf JERUSALEM the golden!
With milk and honey blest!
Beneath thy contemplation
Sink heart and voice oppressed.

I know not, oh I know not,
What joys await us there,
What radiancy of glory,

What light beyond compare!

f They stand, those halls of Sion,All jubilant with song;And bright with many an AngelAnd all the martyr throng.

The Prince is ever in them,

The daylight is serene;

The pastures of the blessèd

Are decked in glorious sheen.

mf There is the throne of David,cr And there, from care released,f The shout of them that triumph,The song of them that feast:

And they, who with their Leader
Have conquered in the fight,
For ever and for ever
Are clad in robes of white.

mf Jerusalem the glorious!

The glory of the elect!

Oh dear and future vision

That eager hearts expect!

E'en now by faith I see thee:E'en here thy walls discern:To thee my thoughts are kindled,And strive, and pant, and yearn.

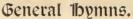
O mine, O golden Sion!
Yea, brighter far than gold!
O sweet and blessèd country,
Shall I thy joys behold?

f Rejoice! O dust and ashes!

Rejoice!—O joy divine!—

That God is now thy Portion,

Both now and ever thine. Amen.





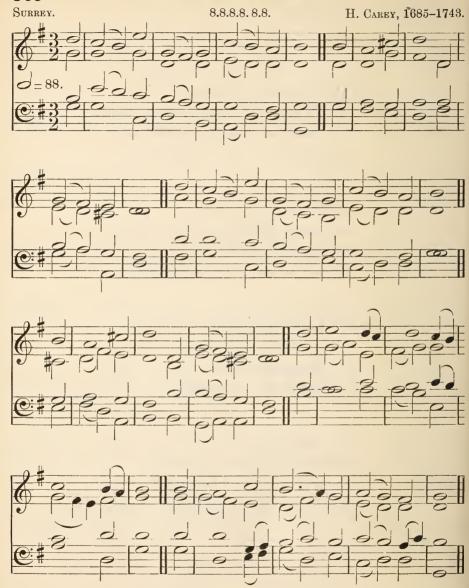
For a simpler arrangement see No. 476. May also be sung to "Stirling," No. 460.

- f THEE we adore, Eternal Lord!

 We praise Thy Name with one accord!

 Thy Saints who here Thy goodness see,

 Through all the world do worship Thee.
- f To Thee aloud all Angels cry,
 And ceaseless raise their songs on high;
 Both Cherubin and Seraphin,
 The heavens and all the powers therein.
- mf The Apostles join the glorious throng,
 The Prophets swell the immortal song;
 The Martyrs' noble army raise
 Eternal anthems to Thy praise.
- p Thee, Holy, Holy, Holy King!Thee, Lord of Sabaoth, they sing!cr Thus earth below, and heaven above,f Resound Thy glory and Thy love. Amen.



mf THEE will I love, my Strength, my Tower;
Thee will I love, my Joy, my Crown;
Thee will I love with all my power,
In all Thy works, and Thee alone;
Thee will I love till sacred fire
Fills my whole soul with pure desire.

I thank Thee, uncreated Sun,

That Thy bright beams on me have shined;

I thank Thee, Who hast overthrown

My foes, and healed my wounded mind:

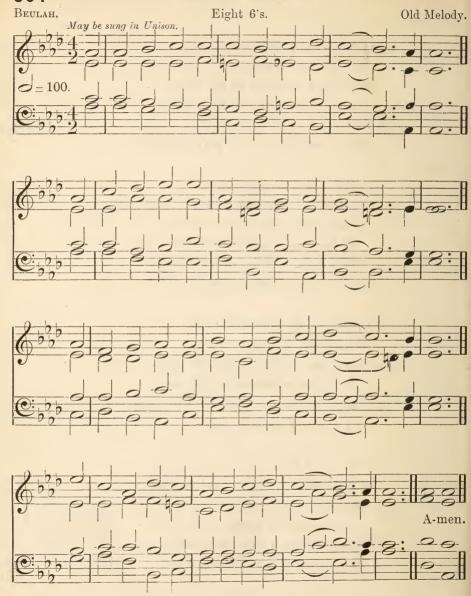
I thank Thee, Whose enlivening voice

Bids my freed heart in Thee rejoice.

p Uphold me in the doubtful race,
Nor suffer me again to stray;
cr Strengthen my feet with steady pace
Still to press forward in Thy way:
f That all my powers with all their might,
In Thy sole glory may unite.

mf Thee will I love, my Joy, my Crown;
Thee will I love, my Lord, my God
Thee will I love, beneath Thy frown
Or smile—Thy sceptre or Thy rod;
p What though my flesh and heart decay,
f Thee shall I love in endless day.





General Ibymns

mf THERE is a blessèd home
Beyond this land of woe,
Where trials never come,
Nor tears of sorrow flow;
cr Where faith is lost in sight,
And patient hope is crowned,
f And everlasting light
Its glory throws around.

p There is a land of peace,
Good Angels know it well;
cr Glad songs that never cease
Within its portals swell;
mf Around its glorious throne
Ten thousand Saints adore
Christ, with the Father One,
And Spirit, evermore.

f O joy, all joys beyond,
To see the Lamb Who died,
And count each sacred wound
In hands, and feet, and side;
To give to Him the praise
Of every triumph won,
And sing through endless days
The great things He hath done.

mf Look up, ye Saints of God,
 Nor fear to tread below
 The path your Saviour trod
 p Of daily toil and woe;
 cr Wait but a little while
 In uncomplaining love,
 mf His own most gracious smile
 Shall welcome you above. Amen.

ST. FLAVIAN.

C.M.

Day's Psalter, 1562.





mf THERE is a book, who runs may read,
Which heavenly truth imparts,
And all the lore its scholars need,
Pure eyes and Christian hearts.

The works of God above, below,
Within us and around,
Are pages in that book, to show
How God Himself is found.

The glorious sky, embracing all,
Is like the Maker's love, [small
Wherewith encompassed, great and
In peace and order move.

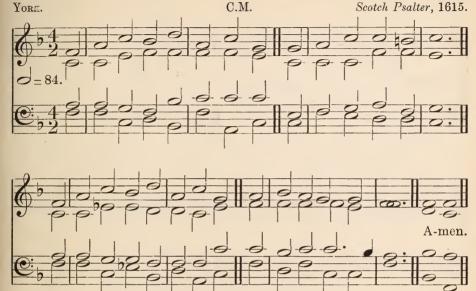
f The Moon above, the Church below,
A wondrous race they run,
But all their radiance, all their glow,
Each borrows of its Sun.

p The dew of heaven is like Thy grace, It steals in silence down ·

cr But where it lights, the favoured place By richest fruits is known.

mf Two worlds are ours: 'tis only sin
Forbids us to descry
The mystic heaven and earth within,
Plain as the sea and sky.

Thou Who hast given me eyes to see
And love this sight so fair,
Give me a heart to find out Thee,
And read Thee everywhere. Amen.



May also be sung to "Queenstown," No. 568.

f THERE is a land of pure delight
Where Saints immortal reign,
Infinite day excludes the night,
And pleasures banish pain.

p But timorous mortals start and shrink
 To cross this narrow sea,
 And linger, shivering on the brink,
 And fear to launch away.

mf Their everlasting spring abides,
 And never-withering flowers;
 p Death, like a narrow sea, divides
 This heavenly land from ours.

mf Oh, could we make our doubts remove,
Those gloomy doubts that rise,
And see the Canaan that we love
With unbeclouded eyes;

mf Sweet fields beyond the swelling flood

Stand dressed in living green; So to the Jews old Canaan stood, While Jordan rolled between. cr Could we but climb where Moses stood,
And view the landscape o'er,

f Not Jordan's stream, nor death's cold flood,

Should fright us from the shore.

Amen.





f THERE is no night in heaven;
In that blest world above
Work never can bring weariness,
For work itself is love.

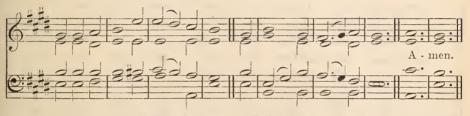
There is no sin in heaven;
Behold that blessèd throng—
All holy is their spotless robe,
All holy is their song!

f There is no grief in heaven;
For life is one glad day;
And tears are of those former things
Which all have passed away.

There is no death in heaven;
For they who gain that shore
Have won their immortality,
And they can die no more.

Lord Jesu, be our Guide;
Oh, lead us safely on,
cr Till night and grief and sin and death
f Are past, and heaven is won! Amen.





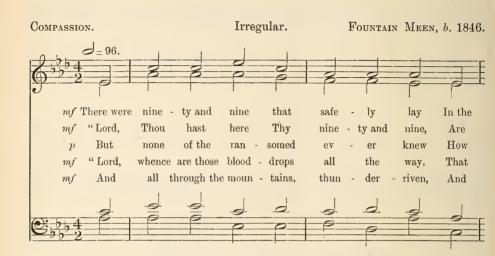
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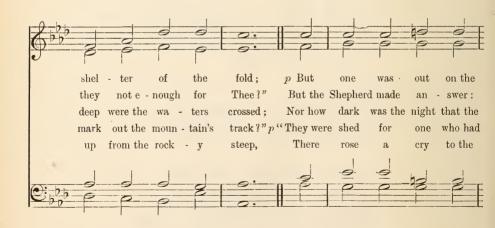
mf THERE is no sorrow, Lord, too light
To bring in prayer to Thee;
There is no anxious care too slight
To wake Thy sympathy.

Thou Who hast trod the thorny road Wilt share each small distress; The love which bore the greater load Will not refuse the less.

There is no secret sigh we breathe
But meets Thine ear divine,
And every cross grows light beneath
The shadow, Lord, of Thine.

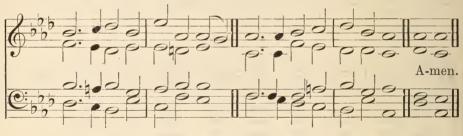
Life's ills without, sin's strife within,
The heart would overflow,
But for that Love which died for sin,
That love which wept for woe. Amen.











May also be sung to "University College," No. 514.

mf THINE for ever! God of love,
Hear us from Thy throne above;
Thine for ever may we be
Here and in eternity.

Thine for ever! Oh, how blest
They who find in Thee their rest!
Saviour, Guardian, heavenly Friend,
Oh, defend us to the end!

Thine for ever! Lord of life, Shield us through our earthly strife; Thou, the Life, the Truth, the Way, Guide us to the realms of day.

Thine for ever! (p) Shepherd, keep These Thy frail and trembling sheep; mf Safe alone beneath Thy care, Let us all Thy goodness share.

f Thine for ever! Thou our Guide,
All our wants by Thee supplied,
All our sins by Thee forgiven,
Led by Thee from earth to heaven. Amen.





mf THOU art the Way:—to Thee alone
From sin and death we flee;
And he who would the Father seek
Must seek Him, Lord, by Thee.

Thou art the Truth:—Thy word alone
True wisdom can impart;
Thou only caust inform the mind,
And purify the heart.

Thou art the Life:—(f) the rending tomb Proclaims Thy conquering arm; And those who put their trust in Thee Nor death nor hell shall harm.

f Thou art the Way, the Truth, the Life:

p Grant us that way to know,

er That truth to keep, that life to win

f Whose joys eternal flow. Amen.

St. Peter.

C.M.

A. R. Reinagle, 1799-1877.





mf THOU boundless Source of every
Our best desires fulfil; [good,
And help us to adore Thy grace, day
And mark Thy sovereign will.

In every changing scene of life,
Whate'er that scene may be,
dim Give us a meek and humble mind,
A mind at peace with Thee.

In all Thy mercies may our souls
Thy bounteous goodness see;
Nor let the gift Thy grace imparts
Estrange our hearts from Thee.

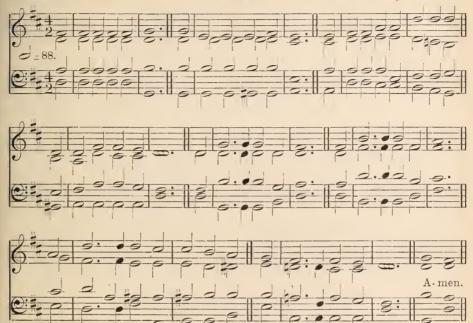
mf Do Thou direct our steps aright;Help us Thy Name to fear;And give us grace to watch and pray,And strength to persevere.

p Then may we close our eyes in death,
Free from distracting care;
cr For death is life and labour rest,
If Thou art with us there. Amen

LEOMINSTER.

D.S.M.

G. W. MARTIN, 1828-1881.



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May also be sung to "Southwell." No. 133.

mf THOU Judge of quick and dead,
Before Whose bar severe
With holy joy, or guilty dread,

We all shall soon appear;

cr Our wakened souls prepare

For that tremendous day,

mf And fill us now with watchful care,

p And stir us up to pray;

p To pray, and wait the hour, The awful hour unknown,

cr When, robed in majesty and power,
Thou shalt from heaven come down.

mf The immortal Son of Man, To judge the human race,

With all Thy Father's dazzling train.
With all Thy glorious grace.

p To sober earthly joys, To quicken holy fears,

cr For ever let the Archangel's voice Be sounding in our ears;

p The solemn midnight cry,

f "Ye dead, the Judge is come! Arise, and meet Him in the sky, And meet your instant doom!"

Oh may we thus be found Obedient to His word,

cr Attentive to the trumpet's sound, And looking for our Lord.

mf Oh may we thus insure
Our lot among the blest,
And watch a moment, to secure

An everlasting rest. Amen.

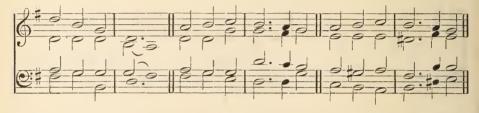
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F. GIARDINI, 1716-1796.







mf THOU, Whose Almighty word Chaos and darkness heard. And took their flight, p Hear us, we humbly pray,

cr And where the Gospel-day Sheds not its glorious ray

ff Let there be light!

mf Thou, Who didst come to bring, On Thy redeeming wing, Healing and sight; Health to the sick in mind, Sight to the inly blind, cr Oh, now to all mankind

Let there be light!

p Spirit of truth and love, Life-giving, holy Dove, Speed forth Thy flight! Move on the waters' face, Bearing the lamp of grace, cr And in earth's darkest place

Let there be light!

mf Blessèd and Holy Three, Glorious Trinity,

Wisdom, Love, Might!

cr Boundless as ocean's tide Rolling in fullest pride, Through the world, far and wide,

ff Let there be light! Amen.



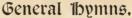
mf THREE in One, and One in Three,
Ruler of the earth and sea,
Hear us, while we lift to Thee
Holy chant and psalm.

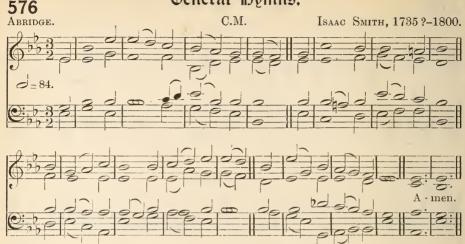
Light of lights! with morning-shine
Lift on us Thy light divine;
And let charity benign

p Breathe on us her balm.

mf Light of lights! when falls the even,
Let it sink on sin forgiven;
Fold us in the peace of heaven,
p Shed a vesper calm.

mf Three in One, and One in Three,Darkling here we worship Thee;cr With the Saints hereafter weHope to bear the palm. Amen.





May also be sung to "Bristol," No. 77.

mf THROUGH all the changing scenes of life, In trouble and in joy,

cr The praises of my God shall still My heart and tongue employ.

f Oh, magnify the Lord with me, With me exalt His Name;

mf When in distress to Him I called,

f He to my rescue came.

p The hosts of God encamp around
The dwellings of the just;
Deliverance He affords to all
Who on His succour trust.

mf Oh! make but trial of His love,
Experience will decide
How blest are they, and only they,
Who in His truth confide.

mf Fear Him, ye Saints, and you will then
Have nothing else to fear;
Make you His service your delight,
He'll make your wants His care.

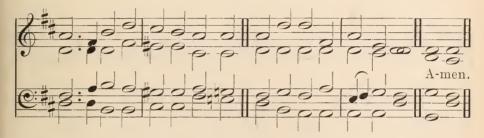
f To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
The God Whom we adore,
Be glory, as it was, is now,
And shall be evermore. Amen.

St. OSWALD.

8.7.8.7.

J. B. Dykes, 1823-1876.





f THROUGH the night of doubt and sor-Onward goes the pilgrim band, [row Singing songs of expectation, Marching to the Promised Land.

Clear before us through the darkness Gleams and burns the guiding Light: Brother clasps the hand of brother, Stepping fearless through the night.

One the Light of God's own Presence O'er His ransomed people shed, Chasing far the gloom and terror, Brightening all the path we tread:

One the object of our journey,
One the Faith which never tires,
One the earnest looking forward,
One the Hope our God inspires.

One the strain the lips of thousands
Lift as from the heart of one;
One the conflict, one the peril,
One the march in God begun:

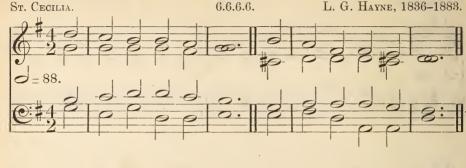
ff One the gladness of rejoicing, On the far eternal shore, Where the One Almighty Father Reigns in love for evermore.

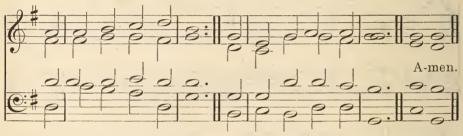
onward therefore, pilgrim brothers,
Onward, with the Cross our aid!
Bear its shame, and fight its battle,
Till we rest beneath its shade!

cr Soon shall come the great awaking; Soon the rending of the tomb;

f Then, the scattering of all shadows, And the end of toil and gloom!

Amen.





f THY kingdom come, O God,
Thy rule, O Christ, begin;
Break with Thine iron rod
The tyrannies of sin.

mf Where is Thy reign of peace,
And purity, and love?
When shall all hatred cease,
As in the realms above?

When comes the promised time That war shall be no more, Oppression, lust, and crime Shall flee Thy face before? We pray Thee, Lord, arise,

cr And come in Thy great might!

Revive our longing eyes,

Which languish for Thy sight.

p Men scorn Thy sacred Name,
 And wolves devour Thy fold;
 By many deeds of shame
 We learn that love grows cold.

O'er heathen lands afar
Thick darkness broodeth yet:
cr Arise! O Morning Star,

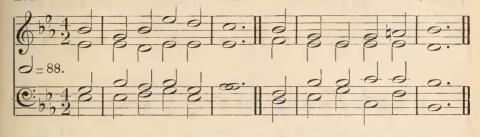
f Arise and never set! Am

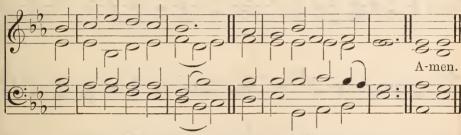
f Arise, and never set! Amen.

EDEN.

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O. M. Feilden, b. 1837.





May also be sung to "St. Cecilia," No. 578.

mf THY way, not mine, O Lord,
However dark it be!
Lead me by Thine own hand,
Choose out the path for me.

Smooth let it be or rough,
It will be still the best;
Winding or straight, it leads
Right onward to Thy rest.

I dare not choose my lot;I would not if I might;Choose Thou for me, my God;So shall I walk aright.

f The kingdom that I seek
Is Thine; so let the way
That leads to it be Thine,
dim Else I must surely stray.

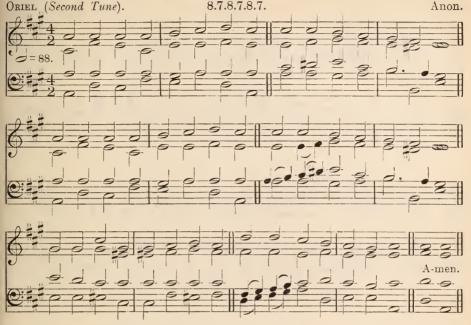
mf Take Thou my cup, and itWith joy or sorrow fill,As best to Thee may seem;Choose Thou my good and ill.

Choose Thou for me my friends,
My sickness or my health;
Choose Thou my cares for me,
My poverty or wealth.

Not mine, not mine, the choice,
In things or great or small;
cr Be Thou my Guide, my Strength,
My Wisdom, and my All. Amen.



General Ibymns.



f TO the Name that brings Salvation, Laud and honour let us pay:

mf That for many a generation

Hid in God's foreknowledge
lay;

f But with holy exultation
We may sing aloud to-day.

mf Name of gladness, Name of pleasure, Name beyond what words can tell, Name of sweetness passing measure, Ear and heart delighting well,

'Tis our safeguard and our treasure,
'Tis our help 'gainst sin and hell.

mf 'Tis the Name for meditation In the vale of misery;

f Name for joyful veneration By the citizens on high. 'Tis the Name that whoso preacheth Finds it music to the ear;

'Tis the Name that whoso teacheth Finds more sweet than honey's cheer;

Who its perfect wisdom reacheth Heavenly joy possesseth here.

f 'Tis the Name by right exalted Over every other name;

That when we are sore assaulted Puts our enemies to shame;

Strength to them who else had halted, Eyes to blind and feet to lame.

p Jesu, we Thy Name adoring, Long to see Thee as Thou art:

cr Of Thy clemency imploring
So to write it in our heart,

f That, hereafter, heavenward soaring, We with Angels may have part.

Amen.



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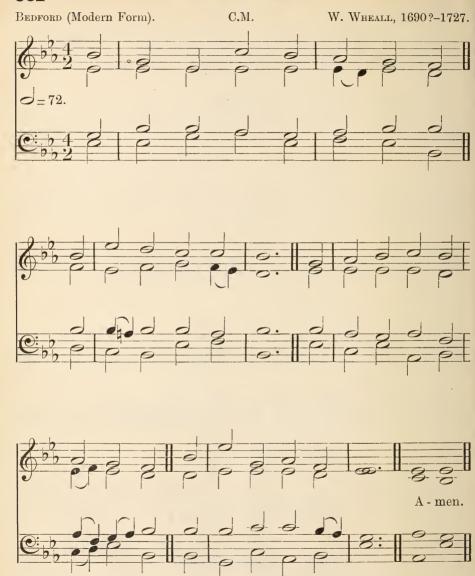
f TRUE Light, that lightest all in heaven and earth,
Light us, Thou Light Divine;
Children, Thou mad'st us by a second birth,
Children, O Lord, of Thine:
Heirs of a life undying,
The hidden life above,
Strong on Thy strength relying,
Safe in a Father's love.

p The earth, erewhile so oft bedewed with tears,
cr Shall be, like man, new-born:
f The heavens—unrolled through unimagined years,—
Be bright with endless morn;
No room is there for sorrow,
Toil, trouble, want, or care,
None anxious for the morrow,—
There is no morrow there.

f Light there, eternal light and life shall reign
O'er all without, within;
No stricken soul e'er bow beneath the pain
Of unforgotten sin;
The day shall have no ending,
No night its shadows cast,
All present gladness blending
With gladness in the past.

mf We darkly now, as in a mirror, see
These wondrous worlds on high;
Help us, O Lord, to live our life in Thee,
The Life that cannot die;
cr Till heavenward ever soaring,
By Thy redeeming grace,
f Before Thy throne adoring
We see Thee face to face.





mf TRY us, O God, and search the ground
Of every sinful heart;
Whate'er of sin in us is found,
Oh, bid it all depart.

When to the right or left we stray,

Leave us not comfortless;

But guide our feet into the way

Of everlasting peace.

Help us to help each other, Lord,Each other's cross to bear;Let each his friendly aid affordTo feel his brother's care.

cr Help us to build each other up,

Help us ourselves to prove;

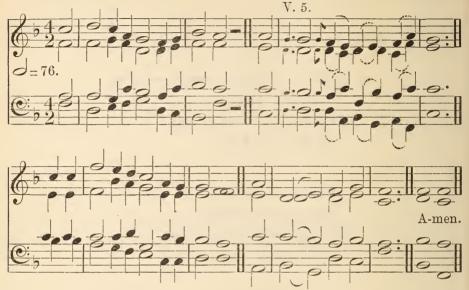
Increase our faith, confirm our hope,

And perfect us in love. Amen.

ACHNASHEEN.

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C. H. LLOYD, b. 1849.



WE know not a voice of that River,
If vocal or silent it be,
Where for ever and ever and ever
It flows to no sea.

More deep than the seas is that River,
More full than their manifold tides
Where for ever and ever and ever
It flows and abides.

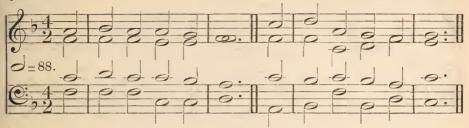
Pure gold is the bed of that River (The gold of that land is the best) Where for ever and ever and ever It flows on at rest.

Oh goodly the banks of that River, Oh goodly the fruits that they bear, Where for ever and ever and ever It flows and is fair.

f For lo! on each bank of that River
The Tree of Life life-giving grows,
Where for ever and ever and ever
The pure River flows. Amen.









mf WE love the place, O God,
Wherein Thine honour dwells;
The joy of Thine abode
All earthly joy excels.

It is the house of prayer,
Wherein Thy servants meet;
And Thou, O Lord, art there
Thy chosen flock to greet.

We love the sacred Font;
For there the Holy Dove
To pour is ever wont
His blessing from above.

We love Thine Altar, Lord;
Oh, what on earth so dear?

Pror there, in faith adored,
We find Thy Presence near.

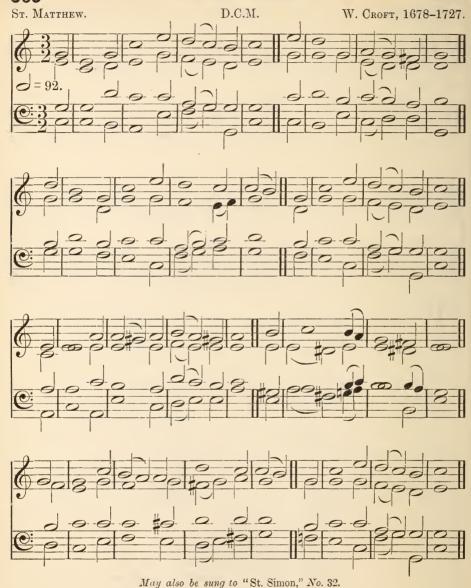
mf We love the word of life,

The word that tells of peace,
Of comfort in the strife,

And joys that never cease.

f We love to sing below
For mercies freely given;
But Oh! we long to know
The triumph-song of heaven.

p Lord Jesus, give us grace
On earth to love Thee more,
cr In heaven to see Thy face,
And with Thy Saints adore. Amen.



mf WE love Thee, Lord; yet not alone,
Because Thy bounteous hand
Showers down its rich and ceaseless gifts
On ocean and on land;
For these Thy gifts we praise Thee, Lord,
Yet not for these alone,
The incense of Thy children's love
Arises to Thy throne.

We love Thee, Lord, because when we Had erred and gone astray,
Thou didst recall our wandering souls
Into the heavenward way;

p When helpless, hopeless, we were lost
In sin and sorrow's night,

mf Thou didst send forth a guiding ray
Of Thy benignant light.

p Because when we forsook Thy ways,
 Nor kept Thy holy Will,
Thou wert not an avenging Judge,
 But a gracious Father still:
 Because we have forgot Thee, Lord,
mf But Thou hast not forgot—
 p Because we have forsaken Thee,
mf But Thou forsakest not.

f Because, O Lord, Thou lovedst us
With everlasting love,
And sentest forth Thy Son to die
That we might live above;

mf Because, when we were heirs of wrath,
f Thou gavest hope of heaven;

mf We love because we much have sinned, f And much have been forgiven.





f WE praise the King of realms on high,
What wonders He hath wrought,
His might is blazoned on the sky,
And heaven reveals His thought.

mf He shaped the welkin as a dome
O'er us His sons below,
And formed the earth to be our home;

p O God! Thy power we know.

p We bow before the holy sight
cr Of One Who reigns sublime,
And yield us to Thy sovereign might,
f Eternal Lord of time! Amen.

CREDO.

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J. STAINER, 1840-1901.







May also be sung to "Surrey," No. 563.

p WE saw Thee not when Thou didst come To this poor world of sin and death, Nor e'er beheld Thy cottage home

In that despised Nazareth;

f But we believe Thy footsteps trod
Its streets and plains, Thou Son of God.

p We did not see Thee lifted high Amid the wild and savage crew, Nor heard Thy meek, imploring cry, "Forgive, they know not what they do;"

f Yet we believe the deed was done, Which shook the earth and veiled the sun. We stood not by the empty tomb
Where late Thy sacred Body lay,
Nor sat within that upper room,
Nor met Thee in the open way;
f But we believe that Angels said,
"Why seek the living with the dead?"

We did not mark the chosen few,
 When Thou didst though the clouds ascend,
 cr First lift to heaven their wondering view,
 dim Then to the earth all prostrate bend;

f Yet we believe that mortal eyes Beheld that journey to the skies.

mf And now that Thou dost reign on high, And thence Thy waiting people bless,

p No ray of glory from the sky
Doth shine upon our wilderness;

f But we believe Thy faithful word, And trust in our Redeeming Lord. Amen.



f WE sing the praise of Him Who died,
Of Him Who died upon the Cross;
The sinner's hope let men deride,
For this we count the world but loss.

mf Inscribed upon the Cross we see, In shining letters, God is Love; He bears our sins upon the Tree, He brings us mercy from above.

f The Cross! it takes our guilt away;.

It holds the fainting spirit up;

It cheers with hope the gloomy day,

And sweetens every bitter cup.

f It makes the coward spirit brave,
And nerves the feeble arm for fight;
It takes its terror from the grave,
And gilds the bed of death with light.

p The balm of life, the cure of woe,
cr The measure and the pledge of love,
The sinner's refuge here below,
f The Angels' theme in heaven above. Amen.



f WE thank Thee, Lord, for this fair earth,
The glittering sky, the silver sea;
For all their beauty, all their worth,
Their light and glory, come from Thee;

mf From Thee the flowers that clothe the ground,
The trees that wave their arms above,
The hills that gird our dwellings round,
As Thou dost gird Thine own with love.

P Yet teach us still how far more fair,
More glorious, Father, in Thy sight,
Is one pure deed, one holy prayer,
One heart that owns Thy Spirit's might.

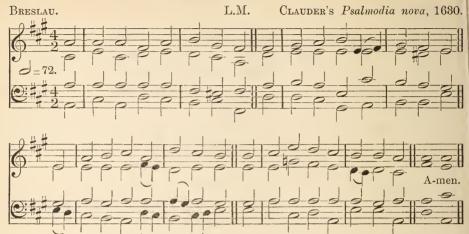
on all the gifts Thy love has given,
cr Help us in Thee to live and die,
f By Thee to rise from earth to heaven.



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May also be sung to "St. Agnes," No. 252.

- p WEARY of earth, and laden with my sin,
 I look at heaven, and long to enter in;
 But there no evil thing may find a home,
 cr And yet I hear a voice that bids me "Come."
- p So vile I am, how dare I hope to stand
 In the pure glory of that Holy Land?
 Before the whiteness of that throne appear?
 cr Yet there are hands stretched out to draw me near.
- p The while I fain would tread the heavenly way,
 Evil is ever with me day by day;
 cr Yet on mine ears the gracious tidings fall,
- f "Repent, confess, thou shalt be loosed from all."
 - f It is the voice of Jesus that I hear,
 His are the hands stretched out to draw me near,
 And His the Blood that can for all atone,
 And set me faultless there before the Throne.
 - f Yea, Thou wilt answer for me, righteous Lord; Thine all the merits, mine the great reward;
 - p Thine the sharp thorns, (f) and mine the golden crown; Mine the life won, (p) and Thine the life laid down!
 - p O great Absolver, grant my soul may wear The lowliest garb of penitence and prayer,
- cr That in the Father's courts my glorious dress
 May be the garment of Thy righteousness. Amen.



WHAT various hindrances we meet
In coming to the Mercy-seat;
Yet who, that knows the worth of prayer,
But wishes to be often there?

Prayer makes the darkened cloud withdraw, Prayer climbs the ladder Jacob saw, Gives exercise to faith and love, Brings every blessing from above.

p Restraining prayer, we cease to fight;

cr Prayer makes the Christian's armour bright; And Satan trembles when he sees The weakest Saint upon his knees.

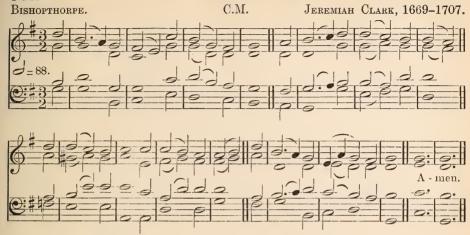
mf When Moses stood with arms spread wide, Success was found on Israel's side;

p But when through weariness they failed, That moment Amalek prevailed.

mf Have we no words? ah, think again; Words flow apace when we complain, And fill our fellow-creature's ear With the sad tale of all our care.

Were half the breath thus vainly spent To heaven in supplication sent,

cr Our cheerful song would oftener be, f "Hear what the Lord hath done for me." Amen.



mf WHEN all Thy mercies, O my God,
My rising soul surveys,
Transported with the view, I'm lost
In wonder, love, and praise.

May also be sung to "Bedford," No. 582.

Unnumbered comforts to my soul
Thy tender care bestowed,
Before my infant heart conceived
From Whom those comforts flowed.

p When worn with sickness, oft hast Thou With health renewed my face; And when in sins and sorrows sunk, Revived my soul with grace.

mf Ten thousand thousand precious gifts
My daily thanks employ;
Nor is the least a cheerful heart
That tastes those gifts with joy.

Through every period of my life
Thy goodness I'll pursue,
cr And after death in distant worlds
The glorious theme renew.

f Through all eternity to Thee
A joyful song I'll raise;
But Oh! eternity's too short
To utter all Thy praise. Amen.

ST SEPULCHRE.

T.M.

G. COOPER, 1810-1876.





p WHEN at Thy footstool, Lord, I bend,
And plead with Thee for mercy there,
mf Think of the sinner's dying Friend,
And for His sake receive my prayer.

p Oh think not of my shame and guilt,
 My thousand stains of deepest dye;
 mf Think of the Blood which Jesus spilt,
 And let that Blood my pardon buy.

p Think, Lord, how I am still Thine own, The trembling creature of Thy hand; Think how my heart to sin is prone, And what temptations round me stand.

mf Oh think upon Thy holy word,
And every plighted promise there;
How prayer should evermore be heard,
And how Thy glory is to spare.

p Oh think not of my doubts and fears,
 My strivings with Thy grace Divine;
 mf Think upon Jesus' woes and tears,
 And let His merits stand for mine.

Thine eye, Thine ear, they are not dull;
Thine arm can never shortened be;
Behold me here; my heart is full;
Behold, and spare, and succour me. Amen.





May also be sung to "Angels' Song," No. 223.

mf WHEN Christ came down on earth of old,
He took our nature poor and low
He wore no form of Angel mould,
But shared our weakness and our woe.

f But when He cometh back once more,

There shall be set the great white throne;

And earth and heaven shall flee before

The face of Him that sits thereon.

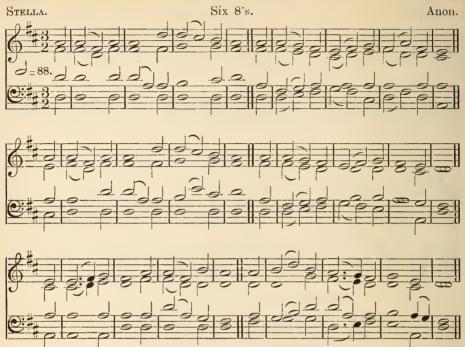
p O Son of God, in glory crowned,

The Judge ordained of quick and dead;
O Son of Man so pitying found

O Son of Man, so pitying found For all the tears Thy people shed,—

Be with us in that awful hour,
And by Thy crown, and by Thy grave,
cr By all Thy love and all Thy power,
dim In that great Day of Judgment save.





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And days are dark, and friends are few, mf On Him I lean, Who, not in vain, Experienced every human pain; He sees my wants, allays my fears, And counts and treasures up my tears.

HEN gathering clouds around I p If aught should tempt my soul to stray From heavenly wisdom's narrow way, To fly the good I would pursue,

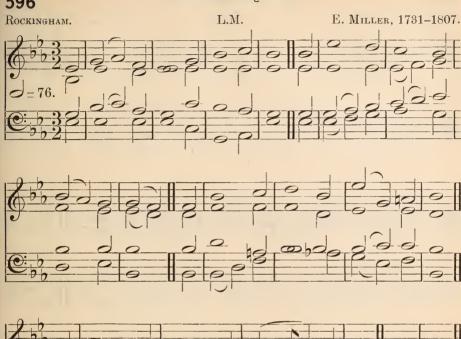
Or do the sin I would not do,

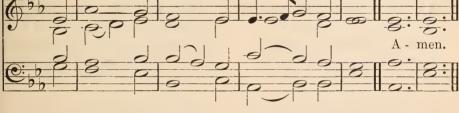
cr Still He, Who felt temptation's power, mf Shall guard me in that dangerous hour.

p And Oh! when I have safely past Through every conflict but the last, Still, still unchanging, watch beside My painful bed-for Thou hast died; cr Then point to realms of cloudless day,



f And wipe the latest tear away.





On which the Prince of Glory died.

And pour contempt on all my pride.

HEN I survey the wondrous Cross p See! from His head, His hands, His feet.

Sorrow and love flow mingled down! My richest gain I count but loss, cr Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, Or thorns compose so rich a crown?

Save in the death of Christ my God! All the vain things that charm me f Love so amazing, so divine, most

I sacrifice them to His Blood.

Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, mf Were the whole realm of nature mine, That were an offering far too small;

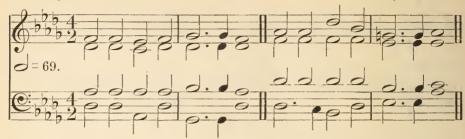
Demands my soul, my life, my all.

Amen.

REDHEAD, No. 47.

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R. REDHEAD, 1820-1901.





p WHEN our heads are bowed with woe,

When our bitter tears o'erflow,
When we mourn the lost, the dear,
m Gracious Son of Mary, hear!

mf Thou our throbbing flesh hast worn, Thou our mortal griefs hast borne, Thou hast shed the human tear:

pp Gracious Son of Mary, hear!

p When the heart is sad within
With the thought of all its sin,
When the spirit shrinks with fear,
pp Gracious Son of Mary, hear!

p Thou the shame, the grief hast known;

cr Though the sins were not Thine own, mf Thou hast deigned their load to bear:

pp Gracious Son of Mary, hear!

p When the sullen death-bell tolls
For our own departing souls,
When our final doom is near,

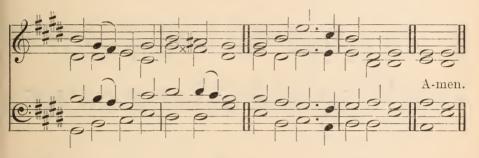
pp Gracious Son of Mary, hear!

p Thou hast bowed the dying head,
Thou the Blood of life hast shed,
Thou hast filled a mortal bier:
pp Gracious Son of Mary, hear! Amen.

General Ibomns.







THEN the dark waves round us roll, pp When we weep beside the bier And we look in vain for aid, Speak, Lord, to the trembling soul, f "It is I; be not afraid."

mf When we dimly trace Thy form In mysterious clouds arrayed, Be the echo of the storm,-"It is I; be not afraid."

p When our brightest hopes depart, When our fairest visions fade, Whisper to the fainting heart,-"It is I; be not afraid."

Where some well-loved form is laid, Oh! may then the mourner hear,p "It is I; be not afraid."

p When with wearing hopeless pain Sinks the spirit sore dismayed, cr Breathe Thou then the comfortmf "It is I; be not afraid." [strain,—

p When we feel the end is near, Passing into death's dark shade, cr May the voice be strong and clear, f "It is I; be not afraid." Amen.

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WHEN the weary, seeking rest, mf pTo Thy goodness flee; When the heavy-laden cast All their load on Thee: When the troubled, seeking peace, 1) On Thy Name shall call; When the sinner, seeking life, At Thy feet shall fall:

cr Hear, then, in love, O Lord, the cry, cr Hear, then, in love, O Lord, the cry, dim In heaven, Thy dwelling-place on dim In heaven, Thy dwelling-place on high.

When the worldling, sick at heart, pLifts his soul above: When the prodigal looks back To His Father's love: When the proud man from his pride Stoops to seek Thy face; When the burdened brings his guilt

To Thy throne of grace: cr Hear, then, in love, O Lord, the cry, cr Hear, then, in love, O Lord, the cry, dim In heaven, Thy dwelling-place on dim In heaven, Thy dwelling-place on

When the stranger asks a mfhome. All his toils to end; When the hungry craveth food, And the poor a friend; When the sailor on the wave Bows the fervent knee: When the soldier on the field Lifts his heart to Thee:

high.

cr Hear, then, in love, O Lord, the cry, cr Hear, then, in love, O Lord, the cry, dim In heaven, Thy dwelling-place on dim In heaven, Thy dwelling-place on high.

When the man of toil and care In the city crowd,

When the shepherd on the moor Names the Name of God:

When the learned and the high, Tired of earthly fame,

Upon higher joys intent. Name the blessèd Name:

high.

When the child, with grave fresh lip.

Youth, or maiden fair:

When the aged, weak and grey, Seek Thy face in prayer;

When the widow weeps to Thee, Sad and lone and low;

When the orphan brings to Thee All his orphan woe:

high.

When creation, in her pangs, Heaves her heavy groan; When Thy Salem's exiled sons Breathe their bitter moan; When Thy waiting, weeping

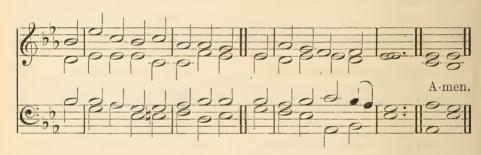
Church,

Looking for a home,

Sendeth up her frequent sigh, Come, Lord Jesus, come!

high. Amen.





p WHEN wounded sore the stricken p When penitence has wept in vain over some foul dark spot,

Lies bleeding and unbound,

mf One only hand, a piercèd hand,

Can salve the sinner's wound.

mf One only stream, a stream of Blood,
Can wash away the blot.

p When sorrow swells the laden breast, f 'Tis Jesus' Blood that washes white,
And tears of anguish flow,

mf One only heart, a broken heart,
Can feel the sinner's woe.

And feeleth for our grief.

[joys,

mf Lift up Thy bleeding hand, O Lord,
Unseal that cleansing Tide;
We have no shelter from our sin

p But in Thy wounded side. Amen.





mf WHERE high the heavenly temple stands,

The house of God not made with hands,
A great High-priest our nature wears,
The Guardian of mankind appears.

Our Fellow-sufferer yet retains A fellow-feeling of our pains; And still remembers in the skies His tears, His agonies, and cries.

mf He Who for men their Surety stood,

p And poured on earth His precious Blood,

cr Pursues in heaven His mighty plan,

f The Saviour and the Friend of man.

mf Though now ascended up on high, He bends on earth a brother's eye; Partaker of the human name, He knows the frailty of our frame. p In every pang that rends the heart

The Man of Sorrows had a part;

mf He sympathises with our grief, And to the sufferer sends relief.

f With boldness, therefore, at the throne Let us make all our sorrows known, And ask the aid of heavenly power To help us in the evil hour. Amen



(920)

General Ibymns.

WHO is this, so weak and helpless, Child of lowly Hebrew maid,
Rudely in a stable sheltered,
Coldly in a manger laid?
f'Tis the Lord of all creation,
Who this wondrous path hath trod;
He is God from everlasting,
And to everlasting God.

Who is this—a Man of Sorrows,
 Walking sadly life's hard way,
 Homeless, weary, sighing, weeping
 Over sin and Satan's sway?
f'Tis our God, our glorious Saviour,
 Who above the starry sky
 Now for us a place prepareth,
 Where no tear can dim the eye.

p Who is this—behold Him shedding
Drops of Blood upon the ground?
Who is this—despised, rejected,
Mocked, insulted, beaten, bound?
f 'Tis our God, Who gifts and graces
On His Church now poureth down;
Who shall smite in holy vengeance
All His foes beneath His throne.

p Who is this that hangeth dying,
While the rude world scoffs and scorns;
Numbered with the malefactors,
Torn with nails, and crowned with thorns?
f 'Tis the God Who ever liveth
'Mid the shining ones on high,
cr In the glorious golden city



Reigning everlastingly!



f WHO trusts in God, a strong abode
In heaven and earth possesses;
Who looks in love to Christ above,
No fear his heart oppresses.

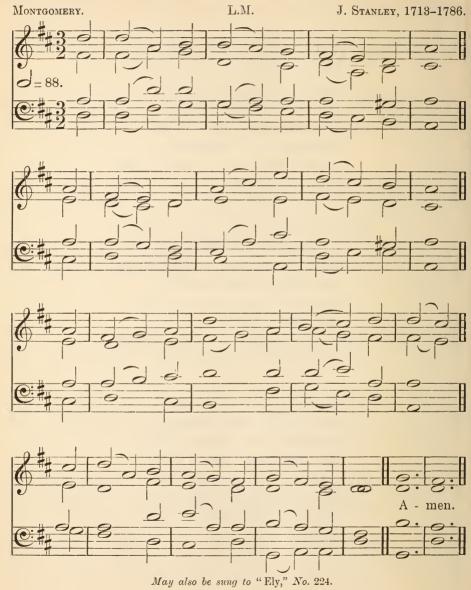
mf In Thee alone, dear Lord, we own
Sweet hope and consolation;
f Our shield from foes, our balm for woes,
Our great and sure salvation!

mf Though Satau's wrath beset our path,
 And worldly scorn assail us,
f While Thou art near we will not fear,
 Thy strength shall never fail us.
Thy rod and staff shall keep us safe,
 And guide our steps for ever;
Nor shades of death, nor hell beneath,
 Our souls from Thee shall sever.

f In all the strife of mortal life
Our feet shall stand securely;
Temptation's hour shall lose its power,
For Thou shalt guard us surely.

mf O God, renew, with heavenly dew,
Our body, soul, and spirit,

cr Until we stand at Thy right hand,
f Through Jesus' saving merit. Amen.



(924)

General Ibymns.

- f WITH glory clad, with strength arrayed,
 The Lord, that o'er all nature reigns,
 The world's foundations strongly laid,
 And the vast fabric still sustains.
- mf How surely stablished is Thy throne,

 Which shall no change or period see!

 f For Thou, O Lord, and Thou alone,

 Art God from all eternity.
- f The floods, O Lord, lift up their voice,
 And toss the troubled waves on high;

 mf But God above can still their noise,
 And make the angry sea comply.
- f Thy promise, Lord, is ever sure,

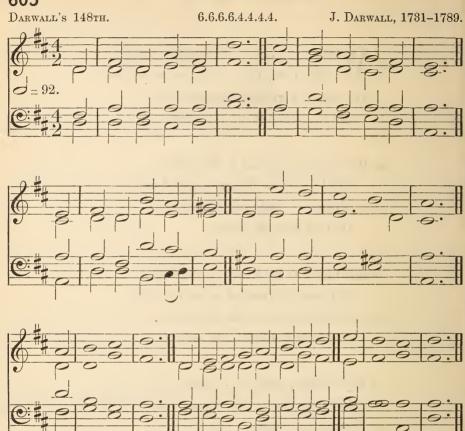
 And they that in Thy house would dwell.

 mf That happy station to secure,

 Must still in holiness excel.
- f To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,

 The God Whom earth and heaven adore
 Be glory as it was of old,

 Is now, and shall be evermore. Amen.



YE boundless realms of joy,
Exalt your Maker's fame,
His praise your song employ
Above the starry frame;
Your voices raise,
Ye Cherubim,
And Seraphim,
To sing His praise.

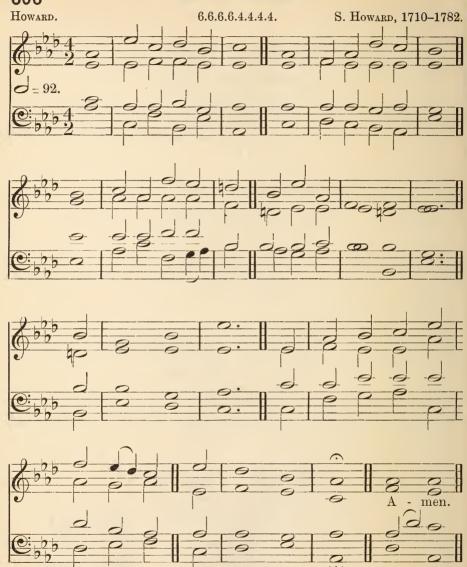
mf Thou moon, that rul'st the night,
And sun, that guid'st the day;
Ye glittering stars of light,
To Him your homage pay;
His praise declare,
Ye heavens above,
And clouds that move
In liquid air.

mf Let them adore the Lord,
And praise His holy Name,
cr By Whose Almighty Word
They all from nothing came;
And all shall last,
From changes free;
His firm decree
Stands ever fast.

mf United zeal be shown
His wondrous fame to raise,
Whose glorious Name alone
Deserves our endless praise.
Earth's utmost ends
His power obey;
His glorious sway
The sky transcends.

f To God, the Father, Son,
And Spirit ever Blest,
Eternal Three in One,
All worship be addressed;
As heretofore
It was, is now,
And shall be so
For evermore.



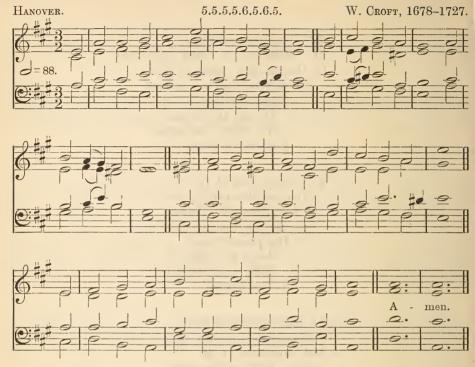


f YE holy Angels bright,
Who wait at God's right hand,
Or through the realms of light
Fly at your Lord's command,
Assist our song,
Or else the theme
Too high doth seem
For mortal tongue.

p Ye blessèd souls at rest,
Who ran this earthly race,
cr And now, from sin released,
Behold your Father's face,
f His praises sound,
As in His light
With sweet delight
Ye do abound.

mf Ye Saints, who toil below,
 Adore your heavenly King,
cr And onward as ye go
 Some joyful anthem sing;
mf Take what He gives,
 And praise Him still
 Through good and ill
 Who ever lives!

f My soul, bear thou thy part,
Triumph in God above,
And with a well-tuned heart
Sing thou the songs of love!
Let all thy days
Till life shall end,
Whate'er He send,
Be filled with praise! Amen.



f YE servants of God,
Your Master proclaim,
And publish abroad
His wonderful Name;
The Name all-victorious
Of Jesus extol;
His kingdom is glorious,
And rules over all.

God ruleth on high,
Almighty to save;
And still He is nigh,
His presence we have;

ff The great congregation
His triumph shall sing,
Ascribing salvation
To Jesus our King.

f Salvation to God
Who sits on the throne,
Let all cry aloud
And honour the Son.
The praises of Jesus
The Angels proclaim,
p Fall down on their faces

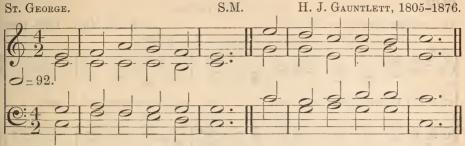
And worship the Lamb.

f Then let us adore
And give Him His right;
All glory and power,
All wisdom and might,
cr All honour and blessing,

With Angels above;

f And thanks never ceasing, And infinite love. Amen.







mf Y^E servants of the Lord,
Each in his office wait,
Observant of His heavenly word,
And watchful at His gate.

f Let all your lamps be bright,
And trim the golden flame;
Gird up your loins, as in His sight,
p For awful is His Name.

mf Watch, 'tis your Lord's command;
And while we speak, He's near;
Mark the first signal of His hand,
And ready all appear.

O happy servant he
In such a posture found!
cr He shall His Lord with rapture see,
And be with honour crowned.

f Christ shall the banquet spread
 With His own royal hand,
 And raise that favoured servant's head
 Amidst the Angelic band. Amen.

Children's Hymns.

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7.6.7.6., with Refrain.

W. H. Monk, 1823-1889. ALL THINGS BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL. Verse 1, and the Refrain after Verses 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7. =108. f All things bright and beau - ti - ful, All crea-tures great and small. Lord God made them All things wise and won - der-ful, The all.

f A LL things bright and beautiful,
All creatures great and small,
All things wise and wonderful,
The Lord God made them all.

mf Each little flower that opens,
Each little bird that sings,
He made their glowing colours,
He made their tiny wings.
All things bright, etc.

The rich man in his castle,
The poor man at his gate,
God made them, high or lowly,
And ordered their estate.
All things bright, etc.

The purple-headed mountain,
The river running by,
The sunset and the morning,
That brightens up the sky;
All things bright, etc.

The cold wind in the winter,
The pleasant summer sun,
The ripe fruits in the garden,—
He made them every one;
All things bright, etc.

The tall trees in the greenwood,
The meadows where we play,
The rushes by the water
We gather every day;
All things bright, etc.

He gave us eyes to see them,
And lips that we might tell
f How great is God Almighty,
Who has made all things well.
All things bright, etc.



GLORY.

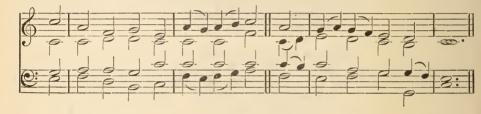
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Anon.







M ROUND the throne of God in mf Because the Saviour shed His Blood heaven To wash away their sin;

Thousands of children stand, Children whose sins are all forgiven, A holy, happy band;

Singing glory, glory, glory!

Bathed in that pure and precious flood,

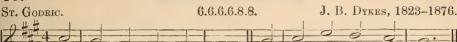
Behold them white and clean, Singing glory, glory, glory!

mf What brought them to that world mf On earth they sought their Saviour's above, grace,

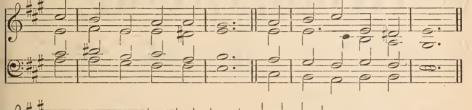
That heaven so bright and fair,
Where all is peace and joy and love—
How came those children there?
Singing glory, glory, glory!

On earth they loved His Name; So now they see His blessèd face, And stand before the Lamb; Singing glory, glory, glory!

Amen.









mf BEHOLD a little Child,
Laid in a manger bed;
The wintry blasts blow wild
Around His infant head.

p But Who is this so lowly laid?
f 'Tis He by Whom the worlds were made.

P Alas, in what poor state
The Son of God is seen;
Why doth the Lord so great
Choose out a home so mean?

cr That we may learn from pride to

And follow His humility.

mf Where Joseph plies his trade,
Lo! Jesus labours too,
The hands that all things made
An earthly craft pursue;

p That weary men in Him may rest, cr And faithful toil through Him be blest.

mf Among the doctors see
The Boy so full of grace;
Say, wherefore taketh He
The scholar's lowly place?

cr That Christian boys, with reverence meet,
May sit and learn at Jesus' feet.

mf Christ, once Thyself a boy,
Our boyhood guard and guide;
Be Thou its light and joy,
And still with us abide,

cr That Thy dear love, so great and free, May draw us evermore to Thee. Amen.





f BRIGHTLY gleams our banner,
Pointing to the sky,
Waving on Christ's soldiers

To their home on high!

mf Marching through the desert,

Gladly thus we pray,

f Still, with hearts united,
Singing on our way,—
Brightly gleams, etc.

mf Jesus, Lord and Master, At Thy sacred feet,

f Here, with hearts rejoicing, See Thy children meet.

p Often have we left Thee, Often gone astray; Keep us, mighty Saviour,

In the narrow way.

Brightly gleams, etc.

mf Pattern of our childhood, Once Thyself a Child, Make our childhood holy, Pure, and meek, and mild. p In the hour of dangerWhither can we flee,cr Save to Thee, dear Saviour,Only unto Thee?

f Brightly gleams, etc.

mf All our days direct us
In the way we go;
Crown us still victorious
Over every foe:

p Bid Thine Angels shield us
When the storm-clouds lour;
Pardon Thou and save us

In the last dread hour. Brightly gleams, etc.

mf Then with Saints and Angels
May we join above,

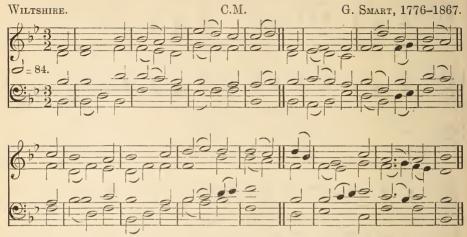
Offering prayers and praises
At Thy throne of love.

p When the march is over, Then come rest and peace,

cr Jesus in His beauty!
Songs that never cease!

Brightly gleams, etc. Amen.

(937)



mf BY cool Siloam's shady rill
How sweet the lily grows!
How sweet the breath beneath the hill
Of Sharon's dewy rose!

Lo, such the child whose early feet
The paths of peace have trod;
Whose secret heart with influence sweet
Is upward drawn to God.

p By cool Siloam's shady rill
 The lily must decay;
 The rose, that blooms beneath the hill,
 Must shortly fade away.

O Thou, Whose infant feet were found Within Thy Father's shrine, Whose years, with changeless virtue crowned, Were all alike divine:

cr Dependent on Thy bounteous breath,We seek Thy grace alone,In childhood, manhood, age, and death,To keep us still Thine own.





OME, Holy Spirit, come;
Oh hear an infant's prayer:
Stoop down, and make my heart Thy home,
And shed Thy blessing there.

Thy light, Thy love impart,
And let it ever be
A holy, humble, happy heart,
A dwelling-place for Thee.

mf Let Thy rich grace increase
 Through all my early days,
 The fruits of righteousness and peace,
 To Thine eternal praise.

f To God the Father, Son,
And Holy Ghost, be given

Eternal praise by Saints on earth
And Angel-choirs in heaven. Amen.



f COME, sing with holy gladness,
High Alleluias sing;
Uplift your loud Hosannas
To Jesus, Lord and King:
Sing, boys, in joyful chorus
Your hymn of praise to-day;
p And sing, ye gentle maidens,
Your sweet responsive lay.

mf 'Tis good for boys and maidens
Sweet hymns to Christ to sing;
'Tis meet that children's voices
Should praise the children's King:
f For Jesus is salvation,
And glory, grace, and rest;
To babe, and boy, and maiden
The one Redeemer blest.

mf O boys, be strong in Jesus!
To toil for Him is gain;
And Jesus wrought with Joseph With chisel, saw, and plane.
O maidens, live for Jesus,
Who was a maiden's Son!
Be patient, pure, and gentle,
And perfect grace begun.

f Soon in the golden city
The boys and girls shall play,
And through the dazzling mansions
Rejoice in endless day.
p O Christ, prepare Thy children

To pass the burnished portals,
And sing the eternal song.



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f DAY by day we magnify Thee,
When our hymns in school we
Daily work begun and ended [raise;
With the daily voice of praise.

mf Day by day we magnify Thee,

p Not in words of praise alone;

cr Truthful lips and meek obedience Show Thy glory in Thine own.

mf Day by day we magnify Thee,
When, as each new day is born,
On our knees at home we bless Thee
For the mercies of the morn.

. mf Day by day we magnify Thee,

When, for Jesus' sake, we tryEvery wrong to bear with patience,Every sin to mortify.

mf Day by day we magnify Thee,
In our hymns before we sleep;
p Angels hear them, watching by us,
Christ's dear lambs all night to keep.

mf Day by day we magnify Thee,
dim Till our days on earth shall cease,
Till we rest from these our labours,
Waiting for Thy Day in peace;

mf Then, on that eternal morning,

With Thy great redeemed Host,

cr May we fully magnify Thee—
f Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!



WARFARE.

6.5.6.5.

L. J. HUTTON, 1852-1888.



May also be sung to "St. John Baptist," No. 520.

mf D^O no sinful action,
Speak no angry word;
Ye belong to Jesus,
Children of the Lord.

Christ is kind and gentle, Christ is pure and true; And His little children Must be holy too.

There's a wicked spirit
Watching round you still,
And he tries to tempt you
To all harm and ill.

But ye must not hear him, Though 'tis hard for you To resist the evil, And the good to do.

For ye promised truly, In your infant days, To renounce him wholly, And forsake his ways.

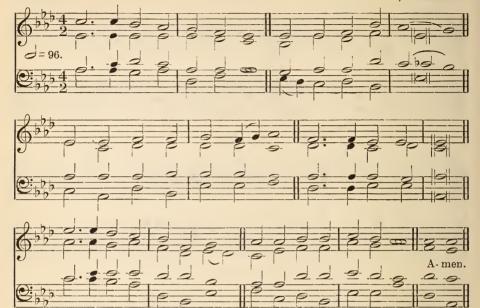
Ye are new-born Christians, Ye must learn to fight With the bad within you, And to do the right.

Christ is your own Master,
He is good and true,
And His little children
Must be holy too. Amen.





L. J. HUTTON, 1852-1888.



mf EVERY morning the red sun Rises warm and bright,

dim But the evening cometh on,

p And the dark, cold night.

f There's a bright land far away,
Where 'tis never-ending day.

mf Every spring the sweet young flowers
Open bright and gay,

dim Till the chilly autumn hours

p Wither them away.

f There's a land we have not seen, Where the trees are always green. mf Little birds sing songs of praise
All the summer long,

p But in colder, shorter days They forget their song.

f There's a place where Angels sing Ceaseless praises to their King.

mf Christ our Lord is ever near Those who follow Him;

p But we cannot see Him here, For our eyes are dim;

f There is a most happy place, Where men always see His face.

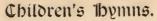
p Who shall go to that bright land?

mf All who do the right;

Holy children there shall stand

In their robes of white;

f For that heaven, so bright and blest, dim Is our everlasting rest. Amen.









mf FAIR waved the golden corn
In Canaan's pleasant land,
cr When full of joy, some shining morn,
Went forth the reaper band.

f To God so good and great

Their cheerful thanks they pour,

Then carry to His temple-gate

The choicest of their store.

mf For thus the holy word,

Spoken by Moses, ran:

"The first ripe ears are for the Lord,

The rest He gives to man."

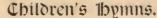
Like Israel, Lord, we give
Our earliest fruits to Thee,
And pray that, long as we shall live,
We may Thy children be.

Thine is our youthful prime,
And life and all its powers;
Be with us in our morning time,
And bless our evening hours.

cr In wisdom let us grow,
As years and strength are given,
That we may serve Thy Church below,
f And join Thy Saints in heaven.

Amen.

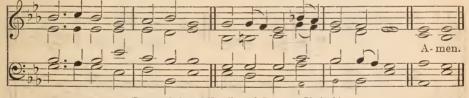






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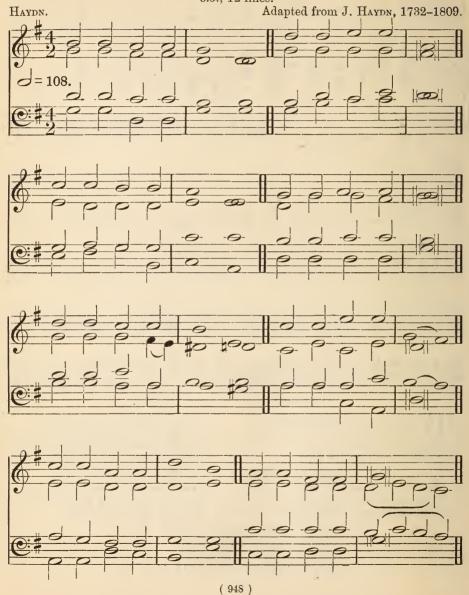


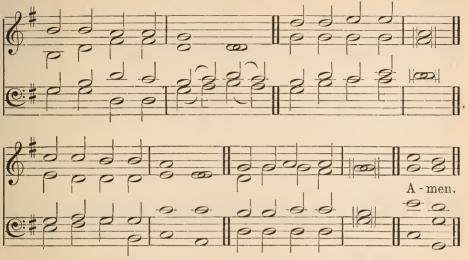


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- p CENTLE Jesus, meek and mild, Look upon a little child; Pity my simplicity, Suffer me to come to Thee.
- mf Fain I would to Thee be brought;
 Dearest God, forbid it not;
 Give me, dearest God, a place
 In the kingdom of Thy grace.
- f Hold me fast in Thine embrace,
 Let me see Thy smiling face:
 Give me, Lord, Thy blessing give;
 Plead for me and I shall live:
- mf I shall live the simple life, Free from sin's uneasy strife; Sweetly ignorant of ill, Innocent and happy still.
- p Keep me from the great offence, Guard my helpless innocence;
- cr Hide me, from all evil hide, Self, and stubbornness, and pride. Amen.

6.5., 12 lines.





onf COLDEN harps are sounding,

Angel voices sing,

Cr Pearly gates are opened,

Opened for the King;

Jesus, King of Glory,

Jesus, King of Love,

Is gone up in triumph

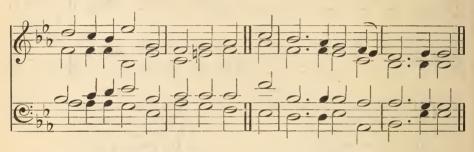
To His Throne above.

All His work is ended,
Joyfully we sing;
Jesus hath ascended!
Glory to our King!

mf He Who came to save us,
p He Who bled and died,
f Now is crowned with glory,
At His Father's side.
Never more to suffer,
Never more to die;
Jesus, King of Glory,
Has gone up on high!
mf All His work is ended,
f Joyfully we sing;
Jesus hath ascended!
Glory to our King!

p Praying for His children
In that blessèd place,
cr Calling them to glory,
Sending them His grace;
His bright home preparing,
Faithful ones, for you;
f Jesus ever liveth,
Ever loveth too.
mf
All His work is ended,
Joyfully we sing;
Jesus hath ascended!
Glory to our King! Amen.





May also be sung to "Alstone," No. 643.

and wilt God, Thou condescend

To be my Father and my Friend;

cr I a poor child, and Thou so high,

f The Lord of earth, and air, and sky?

Art Thou my Father? let me be A meek, obedient child to Thee; And try in word, and deed, and thought,

To serve and please Thee as I ought.

mf Art Thou my Father? canst Thou bear To hear my poor imperfect prayer? Or wilt Thou listen to the praise That such a little one can raise?

Art Thou my Father ?—I'll depend Upon the care of such a Friend; And only wish to do and be Whatever seemeth good to Thee.

Art Thou my Father? then at last, cr When all my days on earth are passed, f Send down and take me in Thy love To be Thy better child above.







p HERE we suffer grief and pain, Here we meet to part again; mf In heaven we part no more.

f Oh that will be joyful,
Joyful, joyful, joyful,
Oh that will be joyful,

Oh that will be joynil, When we meet to part no more.

mf Little children will be there,
Who have sought the Lord by
prayer

From every * Sunday School. Oh that will be joyful, etc.

mf All who love the Lord below,
When they die to heaven will go,
And sing with Saints above.
f Oh that will be joyful, etc.

f Oh how happy we shall be,
For our Saviour we shall see
Exalted on His throne.
Oh that will be joyful, etc.

f There we all shall sing with joy, And eternity employ
In praising Christ the Lord.
Oh that will be joyful, etc.

Amen.



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Children's Ibynuns.

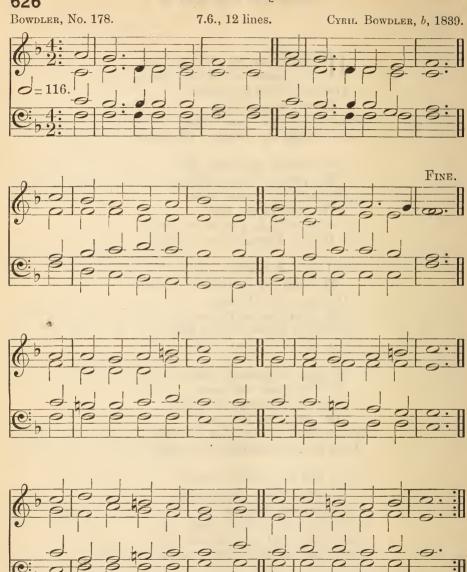
P HUSHED was the evening hymn,
The temple courts were dark;
The lamp was burning dim
Before the sacred ark;
f When suddenly a Voice Divine
Rang through the silence of the shrine.

The old man, meek and mild,
The priest of Israel, slept;
His watch the temple-child,
The little Levite, kept;
And what from Eli's sense was sealed
The Lord to Hannah's son revealed.

mf Oh! give me Samuel's ear,
The open ear, O Lord,
Alive and quick to hear
Each whisper of Thy word,
Like him to answer at Thy call,
And to obey Thee first of all.

Oh! give me Samuel's heart,
A lowly heart that waits
Where in Thy house Thou art,
Or watches at Thy gates
By day and night, a heart that still
Moves at the breathing of Thy will.

Oh! give me Samuel's mind,
A sweet unmurmuring faith,
Obedient and resigned
To Thee in life and death,
cr That I may read with childlike eyes
Truths that are hidden from the wise. Amen.



mf I LOVE to hear the story
Which Angel voices tell,
p How once the King of Glory
Came down on earth to dwell.
I am both weak and sinful,
cr But this I surely know,
The Lord came down to save me,
Because He loved me so.
mf I love to hear the story
Which Angel voices tell,
How once the King of Glory
Came down on earth to dwell.

mf I'm glad my Blessèd Saviour
Was once a Child like me,
To show how pure and holy
His little ones might be;
cr And if I try to follow
His footsteps here below,
f He never will forget me,
Because He loves me so.
mf I love to hear the story
Which Angel voices tell,
How once the King of Glory
Came down on earth to dwell.

f To sing His love and mercy
My sweetest songs I'll raise;

mf And though I cannot see Him
I know He hears my praise;
For He has kindly promised
That even I may go

cr To sing among His Angels,
Because He loves me so.

mf I love to hear the story
Which Angel voices tell,
How once the King of Glory
Came down on earth to dwell.





mf THINK when I read that sweet story of old,
When Jesus was here among men,
How He called little children as lambs to His fold;
I should like to have been with Him then.

I wish that His hands had been placed on my head,
That His arm had been thrown around me,
And that I might have seen His kind look when He said,
"Let the little ones come unto Me."

- P Yet still to His footstool in prayer I may go, And ask for a share in His love,
- cr And if I now earnestly seek Him below,
 I shall see Him and hear Him above:
- mf In that beautiful place He is gone to prepare
 For all who are washed and forgiven;
 And many dear children are gathering there,
 For of such is the kingdom of heaven.
 - p But thousands and thousands who wander and fall Never hear of that heavenly home;
- mf I should like them to know there is room for them all, And that Jesus has bid them to come.
- cr I long for that blessèd and glorious time,
 The fairest and brightest and best,
 When the dear little children of every clime
 Shall crowd to His arms and be blest.



GIDEON.





mf TT is a thing most wonderful, Almost too wonderful to be, That God's own Son should come from heaven. And die to save a child like me.

And yet I know that it is true; He chose a poor and humble lot, And wept, and toiled, and mourned, and died. For love of those who loved Him not.

I cannot tell how He could love A child so weak and full of sin: His love must be most wonderful. If He could die my love to win. I sometimes think about the Cross. And shut my eyes, and try to see

The cruel nails, the crown of thorns, And Jesus crucified for me:-

But, even could I see Him die, I could but see a little part Of that great Love, which, like a fire. Is always burning in His heart.

It is most wonderful to know His love for me so free and sure: But 'tis more wonderful to see

My love for Him so faint and poor.

cr And yet I want to love Thee, Lord: Oh, light the flame within my heart, And I will love Thee more and more Until I see Thee as Thou art.

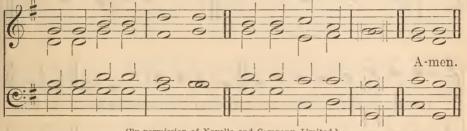


NORTH COATES.

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T. R. Matthews, b. 1826.





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mf JESU, high in glory,
Lend a listening ear;
When we bow before Thee,
Children's praises hear.

Though Thou art so holy,

Heaven's Almighty King,

Thou wilt stoop to listen

When Thy praise we sing.

We are little children,
Weak and apt to stray;
Saviour, guide and keep us
In the heavenly way.

Save us, Lord, from sinning;
Watch us day by day;
Help us now to love Thee;
Take our sins away:

Then, when Jesus calls us

To our heavenly home,
We would gladly answer,

f "Saviour, Lord, we come." Amen.



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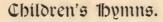
JESU, tender Shepherd, hear me, Bless Thy little lamb to-night; Through the darkness be Thou near me,

Watch my sleep till morning light.

All this day Thy hand has led me,
And I thank Thee for Thy care;
Thou hast clothed me, warmed and
fed me,

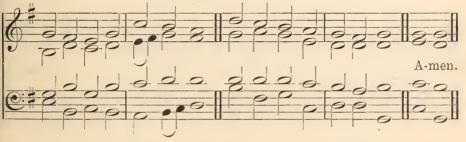
Listen to my evening prayer.

Let my sins be all forgiven,
Bless the friends I love so well;
Take me, when I die, to heaven,
Happy there with Thee to dwell. Amen.









mf LAMB of God, I look to Thee,
Thou shalt my example be:
Thou art gentle, meek, and mild,
Thou wast once a little Child.

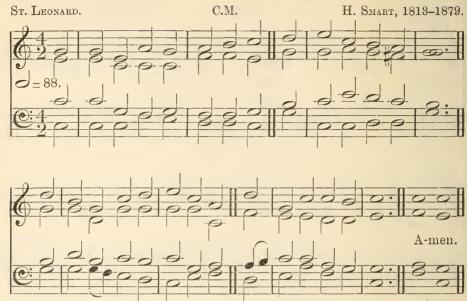
Fain I would be as Thou art; Give me Thy obedient heart; Thou art pitiful and kind, Let me have Thy loving mind.

Meek and lowly may I be; Thou art all humility: Let me to my betters bow, Subject to Thy parents Thou. Let me above all fulfil God my Heavenly Father's will; Never His good Spirit grieve, Only to His glory live.

Thou didst live to God alone, Thou didst never seek Thine own, Thou Thyself didst never please, God was all Thy happiness.

Loving Jesu, gentle Lamb,
 In Thy gracious hands I am;
 Make me, Saviour, what Thou art;
 Live Thyself within my heart.

f I shall then show forth Thy praise, Serve Thee all my happy days; Then the world shall always see Christ, the Holy Child, in me. Amen.



omf LORD, I would own Thy tender care,
And all Thy love to me;
The food I eat, the clothes I wear,
Are all bestowed by Thee.

'Tis Thou preservest me from death And dangers every hour; I cannot draw another breath Unless Thou give me power. Nor am I absent from Thy sight
In darkness or by day.

mf My health, and friends, and parents

To me by God are given; [dear,
I have not any blessing here

But what is sent from heaven.

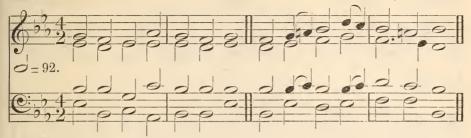
Such goodness, Lord, and constant care
A child can ne'er repay;

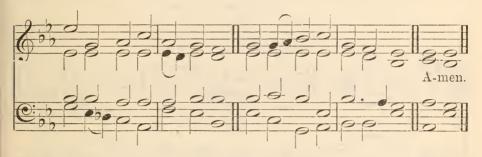
f But may it be my daily prayer
To love Thee and obey. Amen.

Ross.

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S. Wesley, 1766-1837.



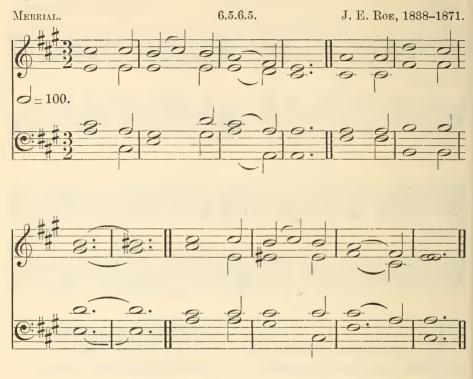


- p L OVING Shepherd of Thy sheep, cr Keep Thy lamb, in safety keep; mf Nothing can Thy power withstand,
 - p Bought with Blood, and bought for

None can pluck me from Thy hand.

- cr Thine, and only Thine, I'd be, [Thee,
 p Holy, harmless, humble, mild;
 Jesus Christ's obedient child.
- Loving Saviour, Thou didst give
 Thine own life that we might live,
 And the hands outstretched to bless
 Bear the cruel nails' impress.

- f I would bless Thee every day,
 Gladly all Thy will obey,
 Like Thy Blessèd ones above
 Happy in Thy precious love.
- Loving Shepherd, ever near,
 Teach Thy lamb Thy voice to hear,
 Suffer not my steps to stray
 From the straight and narrow way.
- mf Where Thou leadest I would go, Walking in Thy steps below,
- cr Till before my Father's throne
- f I shall know as I am known. Amen.





May also be sung to "Caswall," No. 411.

P NOW the day is over, Night is drawing nigh; Shadows of the evening Steal across the sky;

Now the darkness gathers, Stars begin to peep, Birds and beasts and flowers Soon will be asleep.

Jesu, give the weary
Calm and sweet repose;
With Thy tenderest blessing
May my eyelids close.

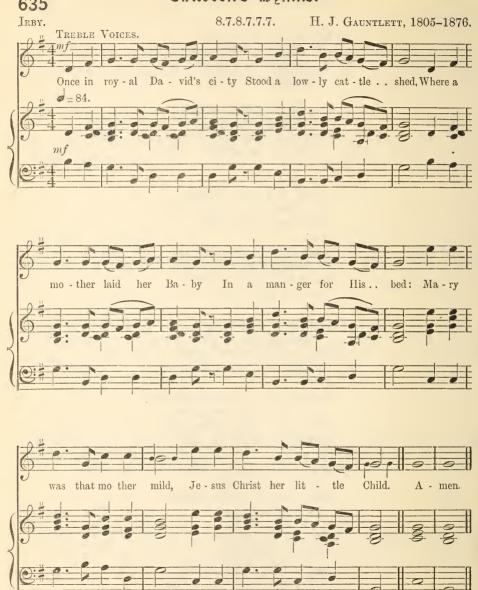
Grant to little children Visions bright of Thee; Guard the sailors tossing On the angry sea.

Comfort every sufferer
Watching late in pain;
Those who plan some evil
From their sins restrain.

Through the long night-watches
May Thine Angels spread
Their white wings above me,
Standing round my bed.

cr When the morning wakens,
Then may I arise
Pure, and fresh, and sinless
In Thy holy eyes.

f Glory to the Father,
Glory to the Son,
And to Thee, Blest Spirit
Whilst all ages run. Amen.



Mf ONCE in royal David's city
Stood a lowly cattle shed,
Where a mother laid her Baby
In a manger for His bed:
Mary was that mother mild,
Jesus Christ her little Child.

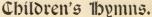
mf He came down to earth from heaven
Who is God and Lord of all,
And His shelter was a stable,
And His cradle in a stall;
With the poor, and mean, and lowly,
Lived on earth our Saviour holy.

mf And, through all His wondrous childhood,
He would honour and obey,
Love, and watch the lowly maiden
In whose gentle arms He lay:
Christian children all must be
Mild, obedient, good as He.

For He is our childhood's Pattern,
Day by day like us He grew;
He was little, weak, and helpless,
Tears and smiles like us He knew;
And He feeleth for our sadness,
And He shareth in our gladness.

f And our eyes at last shall see Him,
Through His own redeeming love,
For that Child so dear and gentle
Is our Lord in heaven above;
And He leads His children on
To the place where He is gone.

mf Not in that poor lowly stable,
With the oxen standing by,
cr We shall see Him; but in heaven,
Set at God's right hand on high;
When like stars His children crowned,
All in white shall wait around. Amen.







mf SWEETLY sang the Angels in the clear calm night,
On their white wings resting in the heavenly light;
Sent by God the Father, Who our love has sought,
Unto men and children tidings glad they brought.

f Children, blend your voices, etc.

mf To the gentle shepherds it was first revealed, Watching 'mid the darkness in the open field, That in David's city, on that holy morn, In a lowly stable Christ, our King, was born.

f Children, blend your voices, etc.

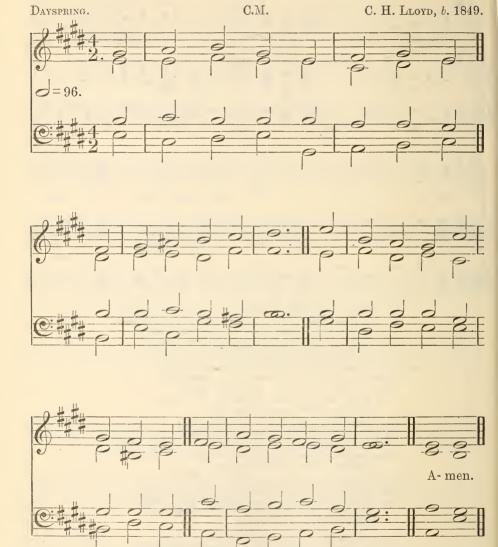
mf Gladdened by the tidings, hastily they sped
To the crowded city and the manger-bed;
There they found the Saviour, with His mother mild;
Him they loved and worshipped though a lowly child.

f Children, blend your voices, etc.

mf In His simple childhood, and His sacred youth,
All His ways were holy, all His words were truth;
For our sins He suffered, and through grief untold,
All His lambs He purchased for His sacred fold.

Children, blend your voices, etc.

p Jesu, meek and gentle, make us like to Thee;
 Loving, true, and tender, Thou wouldst have us be.
 cr Blessings rich and holy, at this Christmastide,
 Pour Thou out upon us, Saviour, King, and Guide.
 f Children, blend your voices, etc. Amen.



May also be sung to "St. Peter," No. 572.

mf THE morning bright with rosy light

Has waked me from my sleep;

Father, I own Thy love alone

Thy little one doth keep.

p All through the day, I humbly pray,
Be Thou my guard and guide;
My sins forgive, and let me live,
Lord Jesus, near Thy side.

Oh make Thy rest within my breast,

cr Great Spirit of all grace;

Make me like Thee, (f) then shall I be

Prepared to see Thy face. Amen.



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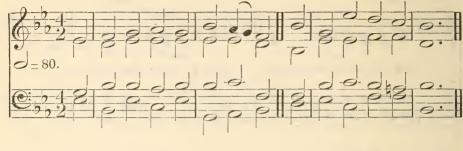
THE wise may bring their learning,
The rich may bring their gold;
And some may bring their greatness,
And glories new and old.
We too would bring our treasures
To offer to the King;
We have no wealth or wisdom,
What shall we children bring?

We'll bring Him hearts that love Him,
We'll bring Him thankful praise,
And young souls meekly striving
To walk in holy ways.
And these shall be the treasures
We offer to the King,
And these are gifts that even
The poorest child may bring.

We'll bring the little duties
We have to do each day,
We'll try our best to please Him
At home, at school, at play.
And better are these treasures
To offer to our King,
Than richest gifts without them,
Yet these a child may bring. Amen.

HORSLEY.

C.M. W. Horsley, 1774-1858.





mf THERE is a green hill far away,
Without a city wall,

p Where the dear Lord was crucified, Who died to save us all.

p We may not know, we cannot tell,
What pains He had to bear,
mf But we believe it was for us
He hung and suffered there.

p He died that we might be forgiven, He died to make us good,

mf That we might go at last to heaven, Saved by His precious Blood.

p There was no other good enough
To pay the price of sin,

f He only could unlock the gate
Of heaven, and let us in.

mf Oh, dearly, dearly has He loved,And we must love Him too,And trust in His redeeming Blood,And try His works to do. Amen.



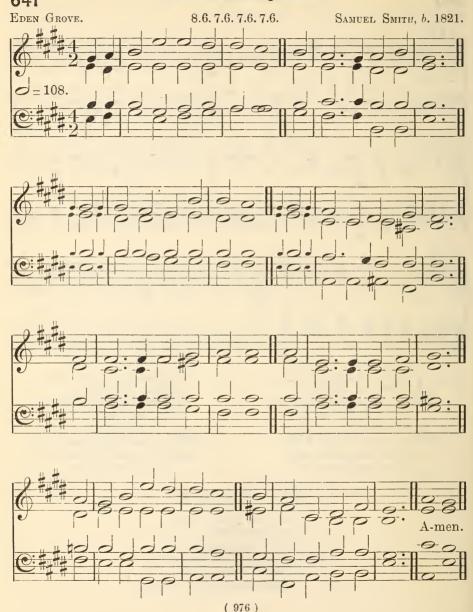
mf THERE is a happy land,
Far, far away,
Where Saints in glory stand
Bright, bright as day.
cr Oh how they sweetly sing,
Worthy is our Saviour King,

f Loud let His praises ring, Praise, praise for aye. mf Come to this happy land,
Come, come away;
Why will ye doubting stand?
Why still delay?

cr Oh we shall happy be, When, from sin and sorrow free,

f Lord, we shall live with Thee, Blest, blest for aye.

mf Bright in that happy land
Beams every eye;
Kept by a Father's hand,
Love cannot die.
cr On then to glory run,
Be a crown and kingdom won,
And bright above the sun,
Reign, reign for aye. Amen.



mf THERE'S a Friend for little children
Above the bright blue sky,
A Friend Who never changes,
Whose love will never die:
Unlike our friends by nature,
Who change with changing years,
This Friend is always worthy
The precious Name He bears.

There's a Rest for little children
Above the bright blue sky,
Who love the blessed Saviour
And to the Father cry,—
A rest from every trouble,
From sin and danger free,
Where every little pilgrim
Shall rest eternally.

mf There's a Home for little children
Above the bright blue sky,
Where Jesus reigns in glory,
A home of peace and joy;
No home on earth is like it,
Nor can with it compare,
For every one is happy,
Nor can be happier there.

cr There's a Crown for little children
Above the bright blue sky;
And all who look for Jesus
Shall wear it by-and-by,
A crown of brightest glory,
Which He will then bestow
On all who love the Saviour,
And walk with Him below.

f There's a Song for little children
Above the bright blue sky,
And a harp of sweetest music,
And a palm of victory:
And all above is treasured,
And found in Christ alone:
Oh come, dear little children,
That all may be your own! Amen.

MARGARET. Irregular. T. R. MATTHEWS, b. 1826. (By permission of Novello and Company, Limited.)

(978)

mf THOU didst leave Thy throne and Thy kingly crown, When Thou camest to earth for me;

p But in Bethlehem's home there was found no room For Thy holy Nativity.

cr Oh come to my heart, Lord Jesus!

There is room in my heart for Thee.

f Heaven's arches rang when the Angels sang, Proclaiming Thy royal degree;

p But of lowly birth camest Thou, Lord, on earth, And in great humility.

cr Oh come to my heart, Lord Jesus!

There is room in my heart for Thee.

mf The foxes found rest, and the bird its nest In the shade of the forest tree;

p But Thy couch was the sod, O Thou Son of God, In the deserts of Galilee.

cr Oh come to my heart, Lord Jesus!

There is room in my heart for Thee.

mf Thou camest, O Lord, with the living word
That should set Thy children free;

p But with mocking scorn, and with crown of thorn They bore Thee to Calvary.

cr Oh come to my heart, Lord Jesus!

There is room in my heart for Thee.

f When heaven's arches shall ring, and her choirs shall sing At Thy coming to victory,

Let Thy voice call me home, saying, "Yet there is room— There is room at My side for thee!"

And my heart shall rejoice, Lord Jesus,

When Thou comest and callest for me. Amen.

ALSTONE.

L.M.

C. E. WILLING, b. 1830.





mf IIIE are but little children weak, Nor born in any high estate: What can we do for Jesus' sake Who is so high and good and great? p When deep within our swelling hearts The thoughts of pride and anger rise, When bitter words are on our tongues, And tears of passion in our eyes;

We know the Holy Innocents mf Then we may stay the angry blow, Then we may check the hasty word, Laid down for Him their infant life. And Martyrs brave and patient Saints p Give gentle answers back again, Have stood for Him in fire and strife. f And fight a battle for our Lord.

We wear the cross they wore of old, mf With smiles of peace and looks of love Our lips have learned like vows to make:

We need not die; we cannot fight; What may we do for Jesus' sake.

Light in our dwellings we may make.

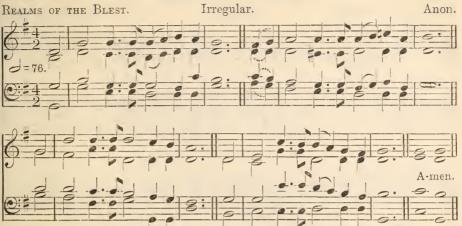
Bid kind good-humour brighten there, And do all still for Jesus' sake.

Oh! day by day each Christian child mf There's not a child so small and weak Has much to do, without, within; But has his little cross to take, A death to die for Jesus' sake, His little work of love and praise

A weary war to wage with sin.

That he may do for Jesus' sake. Amen.

(980)



May also be sung to "Tabor," No. 437.

mf WE speak of the realms of the blest,
Of that country so bright and so fair;
And oft are its glories confessed;

But what must it he to be those?

p But what must it be to be there?

mf We speak of its pathways of gold, Of its walls decked with jewels most rare, Its wonders and pleasures untold;

p But what must it be to be there?

mf We speak of its freedom from sin,
From sorrow, temptation, and care,
From trials without and within;

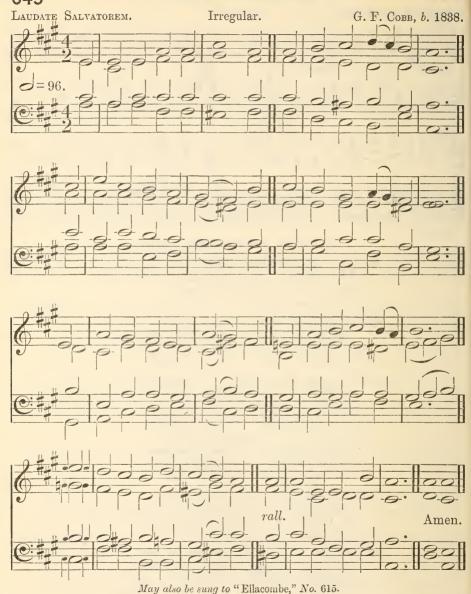
But what must it be to be there?

f We speak of its anthems of praise,
With which we can never compare
The sweetest on earth we can raise;
But what must it be to be there?

mf We speak of its service of love,
Of the robes which the glorified wear,
The Church of the First-born above;
But what must it be to be there?

mf Do Thou, Lord, midst pleasure or woe, Still for heaven our spirits prepare;

cr And shortly we also shall know
And feel what it is to be there. Amen.



f W'E thank Thee, O our Father,
For all Thy loving care;
We thank Thee that Thou mad'st the world
So very bright and fair.
We thank Thee for the sunshine,
And for the pleasant showers;
And we thank Thee, O our Father,
We thank Thee for the flowers.

mf Out in the sunny meadows,
And in the woodlands cool,
And under every hedgerow,
And by each reedy pool,
And on the lonely moorland,
And by the broad highway;
All pure, and fresh, and stainless,
They spring up every day.

And in the dusty city,

Where busy crowds pass by,

And where the tall dark houses

Stand up and hide the sky,

And where through lanes and alleys

No pleasant breezes blow,

cr Even there, O God, our Father,

Thou mak'st the flowers grow.

or in the fields they dwell,
Always the same sweet message
The sweet young flowers tell.

cr For they are all so wonderful,
They show Thy power abroad;
And they are all so beautiful,

p They tell Thy love, O God. Amen.



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f WHILE the sun is shining
Brightly in the sky,
Ere his rays declining
Tell that night is nigh;
Ere the shadows falling,
Lengthen on our way,
Hark! a voice is calling,
"Work while it is day."

mf Work for God in heaven,
Seek the Saviour's face,
Plead to be forgiven,
Strive to grow in grace;
Watch against temptation,
Watch, and fight, and pray,
Each in his own station,
"Work while it is day."

f Work, but not in sadness,
For your Lord above;
He will make it gladness
With His smile of love.

mf When that Lord returning
Knocketh at the gate,
cr Let your lights be burning.

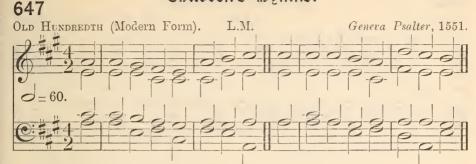
cr Let your lights be burning, Be like men who wait.

f Happy then the meeting,
When you see His face;
Welcome then the greeting
From the Throne of grace—

"Good and faithful servant
Of My Father blest,
Now your work is ended,
Enter into rest." Amen.

Also the following:
Hark! hear ye not the Angel-song—87

Jesu, meek and gentle-441 The sun is sinking fast-33





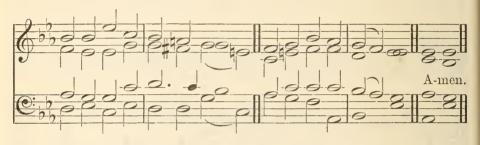
GRACE BEFORE MEAT.

P B^E present at our table, Lord,
 Be here and everywhere adored,
 Thy creatures bless, and grant that we
 May feast in Paradise with Thee. Amen.

GRACE AFTER MEAT.

mf We thank Thee, Lord, for this our food,For life and health, and every good:May manna to our souls be given,The Bread of Life, sent down from heaven. Amen.





PART I.

P FATHER, hear Thy children's call:
Humbly at Thy feet we fall,
Prodigals, confessing all:
We beseech Thee, hear us.

Christ, beneath Thy Cross we blame All our life of sin and shame, Penitent, we breathe Thy Name: We beseech Thee, hear us.

Holy Spirit grieved, and tried, Oft forgotten and defied, Now we mourn our stubborn pride: We beseech Thee, hear us.

Love that caused us first to be, Love that bled upon the Tree, Love that draws us lovingly: We beseech Thee, hear us. We Thy call have disobeyed, Have neglected, and delayed, Into paths of sin have strayed: We beseech Thee, hear us.

Sick, we come to Thee for cure, Guilty, seek Thy mercy sure, Evil, come to be made pure: We beseech Thee, hear us.

Blind, we pray that we may see, Bound, we pray to be made free, Stained, we pray for sanctity: We beseech Thee, hear us.

Hearing every contrite sigh, Bidding sinful souls drawnigh, Willing not that one should die: We beseech Thee, hear us.

PART II.

p By the gracious saving call
 Spoken tenderly to all
 Who have shared man's guilt and fall:
 We beseech Thee, hear us.

By the nature Jesus wore, By the stripes and death He bore, By His life for evermore: We beseech Thee, hear us.

By the love that longs to bless, Pitying our sore distress, Leading us to holiness: We beseech Thee, hear us.

By the love so calm and strong, Patient still to suffer wrong, And our day of grace prolong: We beseech Thee, hear us,

By the love that speaks within, Calling us to flee from sin, And the joy of goodness win: We beseech Thee, hear us.

By the gifts that show Thee near, By the stripes of love we fear, Warning us Thy voice to hear: We beseech Thee, hear us,

By the love that bids Thee spare, By the heaven Thou dost prepare, By Thy promises to prayer: We beseech Thee, hear us.

PART III.

p Teach us what Thy love has borne, That, with loving sorrow torn, Truly contrite we may mourn: We beseech Thee, hear us. Gifts of light and grace bestow, Help us to resist the foe, Fearing what indeed is woe: We beseech Thee, hear us.

Let not sin within us reign, May we gladly suffer pain, If it burn away our stain: We beseech Thee, hear us.

May we to all evil die, Fleshly longings crucify, Fix our hearts and thoughts on high: We beseech Thee, hear us.

Grant us Faith to know Thee near, Hail Thy grace, Thy judgment fear, And through trial persevere: We beseech Thee, hear us.

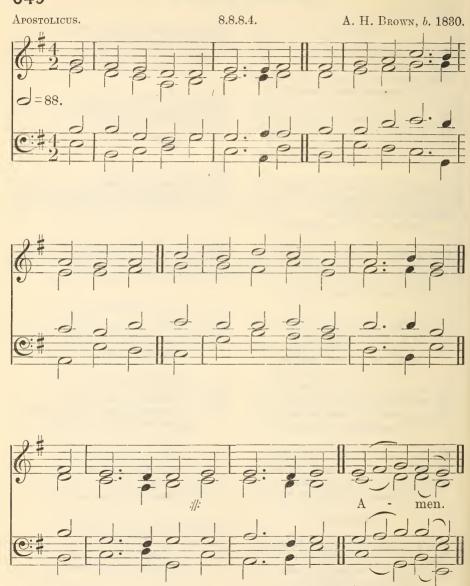
Grant us Hope from earth to rise, And to strain with eager eyes Towards the promised heavenly prize: We beseech Thee, hear us.

Grant us Love Thy love to own, Love to live for Thee alone, And the power of grace make known: We beseech Thee, hear us.

All our weak endeavours bless, As we ever onward press, Till we perfect holiness: We beseech Thee, hear us.

Lead us daily nearer Thee,
Till at last Thy face we see,
Crowned with Thine own purity:
We beseech Thee, hear us.

Amen.



- mf G OD of all grace, Thy mercy send;
 Let Thy protecting arm defend;
 Save us and keep us to the end.

 p Have mercy, Lord.
- mf And through the coming hours of night,Fill us, we pray, with holy light;Keep us all sinless in Thy sight.p Grant this, O Lord.
- mf May some bright messenger abide
 For ever by Thy servants' side,
 A faithful guardian and our guide.
 p Grant this, O Lord.
- mf From every sin in mercy free,

 Let heart and conscience stainless be,

 That we may live henceforth for Thee.

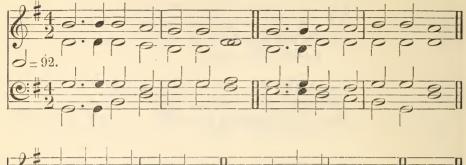
 p Grant this, O Lord.
 - mf We would not be by care opprest,
 But in Thy love and wisdom rest;
 Give what Thou seest to be best.
 p Grant this, O Lord.
 - mf While we of every sin repent,Let our remaining years be spentIn holiness and sweet content.p Grant this, O Lord.
 - mf And when the end of life is near,
 May we, unshamed and void of fear,
 Wait for the Judgment to appear.
 p Grant this, O Lord. Amen.

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LITANY, No. 2.

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PART I.

of GOD the Father, God the Son,
God the Spirit, Three in One,
Hear us from Thy heavenly throne:

p Save us, Holy Trinity.

mf Jesu, Master, Saviour, hear,
We Thy little ones draw near,
Lambs Thou holdest ever dear:
Hear us, Holy Jesu.

Tender Shepherd, all the day
Watching lest Thy weak ones stray,
In our perils we would pray:
Hear us, Holy Jesu.

We have wandered from Thy side, Wayward in our childish pride, But Thine arms are open wide: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

All Thy tenderness reveal
To Thy children as we kneel,
Holy sorrow let us feel:
Hear us, Holy Jesu.

All our past forgetfulness,
All our sins we now confess,
With Thy word of pardon bless:
Hear us, Holy Jesu.

Give that word in answer now,
While we low before Thee bow,
Thou canst save and only Thou:
Hear us, Holy Jesu.

Thou alone canst lead us on, All the days till all be done, Till the crown be fully won: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

Give us, Lord, Thy Light to show, Where Thy lambs may safely go, Where there lurks no secret foe: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

Who didst tread the way before, Wearied with Thy burden sore, That Thou mightest save the more: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

PART II.

mf By Thy childhood's stainless years,
By Thy human pains and fears,
By Thy burden and Thy tears:
Save us, Holy Jesu.

By Thy days of lonely pain,
When the tempter sought to gain
All Thy will, but all in vain:

Save us, Holy Jesu.

By Thy days of ceaseless care, By Thy nights of lowly prayer, Lead us all Thy work to share: Save us, Holy Jesu. By the shadows o'er Thy way,
Darkening to that dreadful day,
When Thou would'st not turn away:
Save us, Holy Jesu.

By the days of bitter strife, When Thy foes, 'mid passions rife, Spurned Thy love and sought Thy life: Save us, Holy Jesu.

By Thy Cross and Passion borne, By the mocking and the scorn, Wicked blows and crown of thorn: Save us, Holy Jesu.

By Thy loneliness of woe,
By Thy griefs which none may know.
Pains no human word may show:
Save us, Holy Jesu.

By Thy dying, by Thy cry, Rising through the darkened sky To the Father's throne on high: Save us, Holy Jesu.

Lord of mercy, loving still, Longing yet each heart to fill, Raise our spirits, guide our will: Save us, Holy Jesu.

From all ills our souls defend, Holy days in mercy send, From all dangers to the end: Save us, Holy Jesu. Amen.



PART I.

- mf OD the Father, God the Son, God the Spirit, Three in One, p Spare us, Holy Trinity.
 - f God of God, and Light of Light, King of Glory, Lord of might, p Hear us, Holy Jesu.
 - p Very Man, Who for our sake Didst true Flesh of Mary take, Hear us, Holy Jesu.
- mf Shepherd, Whom the Father gave His lost sheep to find and save, p Hear us, Holy Jesu.
- mf Priest and Victim, Whom of old Type and prophecy foretold, p Hear us, Holy Jesu.
- f King of Salem, Priest Divine, Bringing forth Thy Bread and Wine, p Hear us, Holy Jesu.
- mf Paschal Lamb, Whose sprinkled Blood Saves the Israel of God. p Hear us, Holy Jesu.
- mf Manna, found at dawn of day, Pilgrim's Food in desert-way, p Hear us, Holy Jesu.
- mf Offering pure, in every place p Hear us, Holy Jesu.

PART II.

- p By the mercy, that of yore Shadowed forth Thy gifts in store, Save us, Holy Jesu.
 - By the love, on that last night That ordained the better rite, Save us, Holy Jesu.

- By the Death, that could alone For the whole world's sin atone Save us, Holy Jesu.
- By the wounds, that ever plead For our help in time of need, Save us, Holy Jesu.

PART III.

- p That we may remember still Kedron's brook and Calvary's hill, Grant us, Holy Jesu.
- mf That our thankful hearts may glow As Thy precious Death we show, p Grant us, Holy Jesu.
- mf That with humble contrite fear, We may joy to feel Thee near, p Grant us, Holy Jesu.
- cr That in faith we may adore, Praise, and love Thee more and more, p Grant us, Holy Jesu.
- p That Thy sacred Flesh and Blood Be our true life-giving Food, Grant us, Holy Jesu.
- mf That in all our words and ways We may daily show Thy praise, p Grant us, Holy Jesu.
- p That, as death's dark vale we tread, Pledge and means of heavenly grace, cr Thou may'st be our strengthening Grant us, Holy Jesu. [Bread,
 - mf That, unworthy though we be, We may ever dwell with Thee, p Grant us, Holy Jesu.







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of OD the Father, seen of none, God the Sole-begotten Son, God the Spirit, with Them One,

Description Spare us, Holy Trinity.

By the prayer Thou thrice didst pray,
That the cup might pass away,
So Thou mightest still obey:
Hear us, Holy Jesu.

p Jesu, Who for us didst bear Scorn and sorrow, toil and care, Hearken to our lowly prayer: Hear us, Holy Jesu. By the kiss of treachery,
To Thy foes betraying Thee,
By Thy harsh captivity:
Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By that hour of agony,
Spent while Thine Apostles three
Slumbered in Gethsemane:
Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By the words of Caiaphas,
Dooming Thee for all Thy race,
By the spitting on Thy face:
Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By those sad rebuking eyes, Moving Peter's tears and sighs, When he had denied Thee thrice: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By Thy being bound in thrall, When they led Thee, one and all, Unto Pilate's judgment-hall: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By the scourging Thou hast borne, By the purple robe of scorn, By the reed and crown of thorn: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By the insult of the Jews When Barabbas they would choose, And would Christ, their King, refuse: cr Thou, Whose death hath been our life: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By Thy going forth to die, When they raised their wicked cry, "Crucify Him, Crucify!" Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By the Cross which Thou didst bear, By the cup they bade Thee share, Mingled gall and vinegar: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By Thy nailing to the Tree, By the title over Thee, By the gloom of Calvary: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By the parting of Thy clothes, By the mocking of Thy foes, As they watched Thy dying woes: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

By Thy seven words then said, By the bowing of Thy head, By Thy numbering with the dead: Hear us, Holy Jesu.

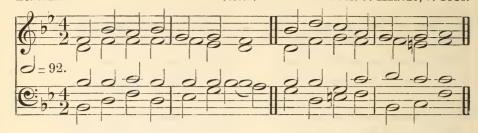
When temptation sore is rife, When we faint amidst the strife. p Save us, Holy Jesu.

While on stormy seas we toss, cr Let us count all things as loss, f But Thee only on Thy Cross: p Save us, Holy Jesu.

mf So, with hope in Thee made fast, When death's bitterness is past, f We may see Thy face at last! p Save us, Holy Jesu. Amen. LONSDALE.

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F. A. J. HERVEY, b. 1846.





HEAVENLY Father, from Thy throne
Look in love and pity down,
On each kneeling, little one;
Father, Lord, deliver us.

Jesus, Saviour undefiled Once on earth a helpless Child, Thou on little ones hast smiled; Jesu, Lord, deliver us.

Blessèd Spirit, gentle Dove, From Thy home in heaven above, Come and fill our hearts with love; Holy Ghost, deliver us.

Heavenly Father, Spirit, Son, Glorious Godhead, Three in One, Thou canst hear, and Thou alone; Three in One, deliver us. By the great and tender love
Thou didst once for sinners prove,
Love which brought Thee from
above;

Jesu, Lord, deliver us.

When the evil spirits throng,
Whispering words and thoughts of
Let our prayer be all along, [wrong,
Jesu, Lord, deliver us.

When they tempt our feet to stray From Thy pure and perfect way, Teach us from our heart to say, Jesu, Lord, deliver us.

When we yield our feeble breath, When the awful hour of death Calls us to the tomb beneath, Jesu, Lord, deliver us.

cr When Thy voice shall bid us rise,
f When we meet Thee in the skies,
dim By Thy perfect Sacrifice,
Jesu, Lord, deliver us Amen.





May also be sung to No. 650.

P HOLY Ghost! great Gift of grace,
Great Restorer of our race,
Make my soul Thy dwelling-place;
Holy Spirit, hear me!

Be my Guide from day to day, Lest when tempted I should stray, From the holy narrow way; Holy Spirit, warn me!

Light of heaven! softly shine Into this poor heart of mine; Make and keep me always Thine; Holy Spirit, lead me!

When my frequent falls distress, And I seem to love Thee less, Raise me from my sinfulness; Holy Spirit, save me! Quicken what the world would kill; Gently bend my stubborn will, And Thy purposes fulfil; Holy Spirit, guide me!

Come, blest Spirit! Heavenly Dove, Dearest pledge of Jesu's love, Fix my trust on Him above; Holy Spirit, help me!

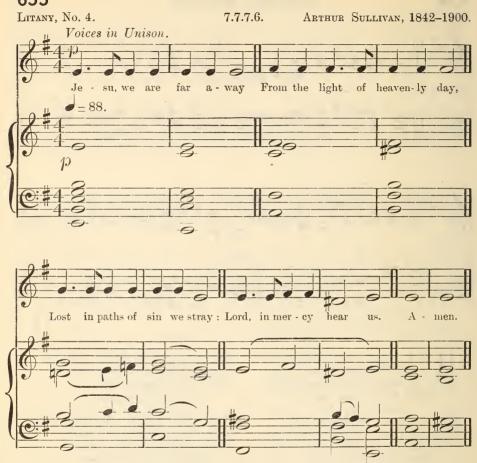
Breathe Thy sweetness o'er my heart; Bid each vexing care depart; Make me tender as Thou art; Holy Spirit, bless me.

Keep me humble, that in me [be; Thou my Guide and Strength may'st Give me light and purity;

Holy Spirit, keep me! Amen.

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May also be sung to No. 648.

JESU, we are far away
From the light of heavenly day,
Lost in paths of sin we stray:
Lord, in mercy hear us.

Deeper has the darkness grown; Saviour, come to seek Thine own, Leave, Oh leave us not alone: Lord, in mercy hear us.

Thou our great Example art,
Thou canst needful grace impart
To the wayward, earth-bound heart:
Lord, in mercy hear us.

Foolish, weak, and sad we lie; Guard us with Thy loving eye, Be our helper, always nigh: Lord, in mercy hear us.

Help us to bewail our sin,
And, in heavenly strength, begin
Daily victories to win:

Lord, in mercy hear us.

Keep us lowly that we may,
Ever watchful, turn away
From the snares our tempters lay:
Lord, in mercy hear us.

On our darkness shed Thy light, Lead our wills to what is right, Wash our evil nature white: Lord, in mercy hear us,

May Thy wisdom be our guide, Comfort, rest, and peace provide Near to Thy protecting side: Lord, in mercy hear us.

May the world seem only dross,
May we welcome shame and loss,
Willingly endure the cross:

Lord, in mercy hear us.

When oppressed with trouble sore, Teach our hearts to feel the more For the pangs our Saviour bore: Lord, in mercy hear us.

May we true devotion feel
To our God, and holy zeal
For our fellow-creatures' weal
Lord, in mercy hear us.

May we selfishness deny,
And the body mortify,
Doing deeds of charity:

Lord, in mercy hear us.

Make us earnest when we pray, Diligent from day to day,
Meaning, doing, what we say:

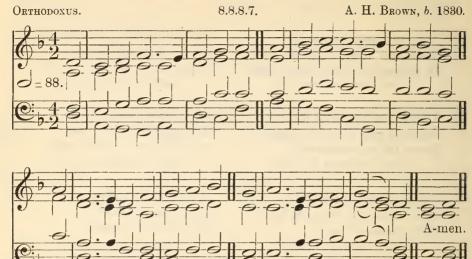
Lord, in mercy hear us.

Fix our hearts on things on high, Let no evil thoughts come nigh, Purge from sin our memory: Lord, in mercy hear us.

May Thy grace within the soul Nature's waywardness control, Guiding towards the heavenly goal: Lord, in mercy hear us.

cr So at last, from sin set free,
What we long for, may we see,
f And for ever blessèd be:
p Lord, in mercy hear us.

Amen.



mf T ORD, to our humble prayers attend, Let Thou Thy peace from heaven de-And to our souls salvation send. scend. Have mercy, Lord, upon us.

mf Rule in our hearts, Thou Prince of Peace, mf In time of war be near to aid, The welfare of Thy Church increase, And bid all strife and discord cease. Have mercy, Lord, upon us.

mf To all who meet for worship here, Do Thou in faithfulness draw near; Inspire with faith and godly fear.

p Have mercy, Lord, upon us.

mf Oh let Thy priests be clothed with might, mf Let voyagers by land and sea To rule within Thy Church aright, That they may serve as in Thy sight.

p Have mercy, Lord, upon us.

mf The sovereign ruler of our land Protect by Thine almighty hand, And all around the throne who stand. Have mercy, Lord, upon us.

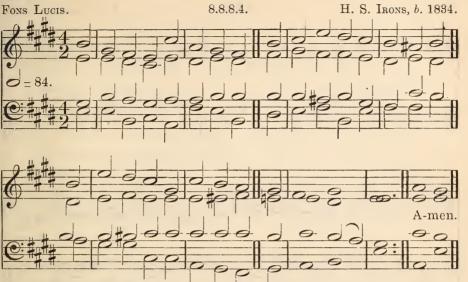
Strong be the arm for battle made, Prostrate be every foeman laid. Have mercy, Lord, upon us.

mf Let clouds and sunshine bless the earth, Give fruits and flowers a timely birth, Our harvest crown with peaceful mirth, Have mercy, Lord, upon us.

In danger's hour in safety be; The suffering and the captive free. Have mercy, Lord, upon us.

mf Around us let Thine arm be cast, Till wrath and danger are o'erpast. And tribulation's bitter blast. Have mercy, Lord, upon us. Amen.





May also be sung to "St. Gabriel," No. 31.

CHRIST! our Light, O Fount of light! p The sun hath sunk, the night is here, Our sin is dark, and dark our night, cr Oh may that Sun, Whose radiance clear er Hear these our prayers, and on us shine, Thou Light Divine.

mf Thy sovereign power did us create, Thy grace renewed our lost estate,

p To us, to all, with loving mind, Jesu, be kind.

mf 'Tis faith that brings us to Thy knee, The hope of one day seeing Thee, 'Tis love undying draws us near, Good Master! hear.

mf Our toil is done, and evening's hour Finds us protected by Thy power; f Thus grateful thanks to Thee we pay For this Thy day.

Warms Angel hosts to warmest praise, Send forth His rays.

p Put, gracious Saviour! far away The known and unknown faults of day, That we with cleansed mind and breast May seek our rest.

mf On Thee be every burden cast; With Thee each waking hour be passed; May every act and thought fulfil Thy kingly will.

May these tired limbs, from night's long

Rise for the morning's work refreshed; And may our bodies ever be Pure homes for Thee.

Six days our weekly tasks we ply; p The seventh we seek Thy rest on high. cr Lord! while earth's joys and duties call, Be Thou our All.

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E. Bunnett, b. 1834.





May also be sung to No. 648.

PIRIT blest, Who art adored
With the Father and the Word,
One eternal God and Lord:
Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Holy Spirit, heavenly Dove, Dew descending from above, Breath of life, and Fire of love: Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Source of strength and knowledge Wisdom, godliness sincere, [clear, Understanding, counsel, fear: Hear us, Holy Spirit. Source of meekness, love, and peace, Patience, pureness, faith's increase, Hope and joy that cannot cease: Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Spirit guiding to the right, Spirit making darkness light, Spirit of resistless might: Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Thou by Whom the Virgin bore
Him, Whom heaven and earth adore,
Sent our nature to restore
Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Thou, Whom Jesus from His throne
Gave to cheer and help His own,
That they might not be alone:
Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Thou Whose grace the Church doth fill,
Showing her God's perfect will,
Making Jesus present still:
Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Coming with Thy power to save,
Moving on Baptismal wave,
Raising us from sin's dark grave:
Hear us, Holy Spirit.

All Thy seven-fold gifts bestow,
Gifts of wisdom God to know,
Gifts of strength to meet the foe:
Hear us, Holy Spirit.

All our evil passions kill,

Bend aright our stubborn will,

Though we grieve Thee, patient still:

Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Come, to raise us when we fall,
And, when snares our souls enthrall,
Lead us back with gentle call:
Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Come, to strengthen all the weak,
Give Thy courage to the meek,
Teach our faltering tongues to speak:
Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Come, to aid the souls who yearn

More of truth divine to learn,

And with deeper love to burn:

Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Keep us in the narrow way,
Warn us when we go astray,
Plead within us when we pray:
Hear us, Holy Spirit.

Holy, loving, as Thou art,

cr Come, and live within our heart,

f Never from us to depart:

Hear us, Holy Spirit. Amen.

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