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FOUNT OF BLESSING,

A CHOICE COLLECTION OF SACRED MELODIES,

SUITABLE FOR

Sunday-Schools, Bible-Classes, Prayer and Praise Meetings, Gospel Temperance Meetings, and the Home Circle.



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AGAIN "we come with songs to greet you," and, in offering "FOUNT OF BLESSING" to our Sunday Schools, feel confident that we have produced a book that will commend itself for the purity of thoughts and words it contains, as well as the simplicity and beauty of the music.

Believing that it can be placed in the hands of the children with perfect safety, and will aid, to a great extent, the officers and teachers in their efforts to inculcate lessons of truth and righteousness, and that all will find profit by singing from its pages, we earnestly invoke the blessing of the Head of the Church on the truths it contains, and invite your examination of its contents.

We name a few songs for trial, as follows: -

Fount of Blessing, 3	Onward, Pressing Onward, . 38	Stilling the Tempest, 130
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Thanking our many friends for their kind assistance in contributing both words and music, and for their friendly advice, we submit our "Fount of Blessing" to the favorable consideration of all.

R. G. STAPLES, AUTHOR.

"I will bless the Lord at all times."-PSALMS 34: 1. R. G. STAPLES. Affetuoso. 1. I would love thee God and Fa-ther, My Re-deem-er and my King; I would love thee for with-2. I would love thee; look up - on me, Ev - er guide me with thine eye; I would love thee; if not 3. I would love thee, God and Fa-ther, My Re-deem-er and my King; I would love thee, for with-Life but a bit - ter thing. would love thee. nour - ished By thy love, my soul would die. would love thee; may thy bright ness Life but a bit - ter thing. I would love thee. I have vowed it: thee Let me live and cling to thee; Fain I'm long-ing for thy fav - or, Gracious Spirit comfort me. Daz-zle my re-joic-ing eyes; I would love thee; may thy goodness Watch from heav'n o'er all I prize. On thy love my heart is set; While I love thee, I will nev - er My Redeemer's blood forget.





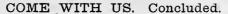


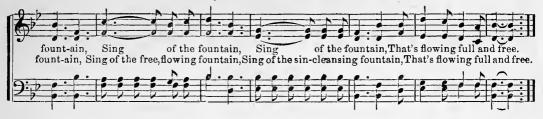


- When in the judgment I shall stand,
 My only plea is Jesus;
 I shall be safe at God's right hand—
 My only plea is Jesus. Cho.
- 4 And evermore, in heaven, with song,
 I'll praise the blessed Jesus;
 While endless ages roll along,
 I'll praise the blessed Jesus. Cho.

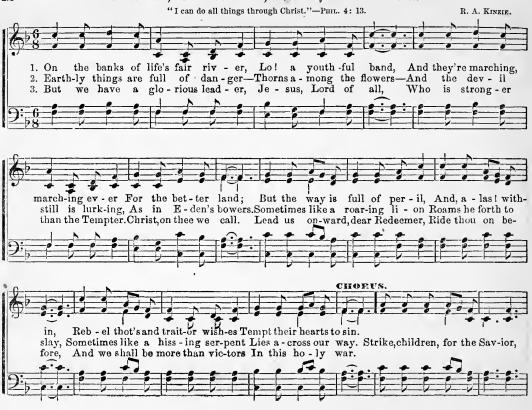








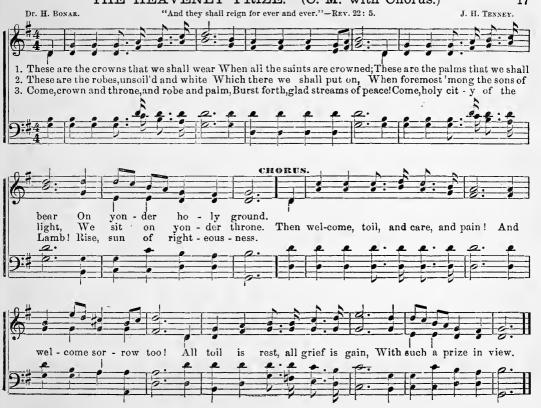






DAILY PRAYER.









SOMETHING TO CHERISH "God is no respecter of persons."-Acrs 10: 34. J. B. F. J. B. FERGUSON. 1. There is nev - er a path-way so lone - ly But in it there is something to love: Some bright 2. There was nev-er a man so de - grad - ed But that eyes smil-ing on - ly in love Will find spot, cover'd over with blossoms, Or some start winkling brightly above; Some beautiful cloud with silver something in Him worthy lov-ing, That's the gift of our Fa-ther a-bove; Some part of a jew-el al-most D. S. But there's something to cherish e'en there. D. S. But the marks of God's image are there. lin - ing, Some song-bird that singeth sweet and clear; There was nev-er a pathway so lone-ly, hid - den, Some gleam of the soul cre - a - ted fair; There was nev-er a form so for - sak-en.

THE TIDE IS ROLLING ON.

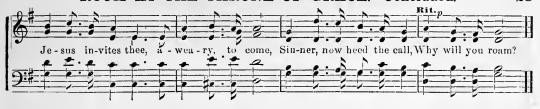
"Take heed, lest at any time your hearts be overcharged with drunkenness."-LUKE 21: 34. May be sung as a song and chorus. C. B. HOLMES. 1st. time. com-ing ver - y near We have wait - ed long The glo - rious day to see, When Co-lum-bia's sons from rum's de-bas - ing pow'r [Omit.] Shall The glo-rious tide is roll-ing, roll-ing on With strong, re - sist - less might, Come join our ranks and help the cause a - long, [Omit.] For we Raise the stand-ard high and shout a - loud for joy, And the bat - tle ne'er give o'er, Till the de - mon dread, with its de - bas-ing pow'r, [Omit. 1 Shall be 2d. time. ev - er-more be free. bat-tle for the right. Then shout a-loud for joy, and hail the glorious day When the bat-tle shall be driv-en from our shore. Repeat softly. And our native land from intemp'rance shall be free, For the tide is rolling on. shall be won, rolling.rolling on.

KNOCKING AT THE DOOR.

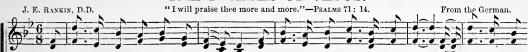


ROOM AT THE THRONE OF GRACE.





THE PRAISES OF JESUS.



- 1. Come join in the praises of Je sus! He's fair er than Sharon's sweet rose; 'Twas he tast-ed 2. Oh, sweet was the day when he found me, And sweet were the words that he said; With the chords of his
- 3. But sweet-er the day I shall greet him When clad in that vest-ure of light; Caught up in the
- 4. Come join, then, with me in his prais -es. His love while in song we pro -claim; The rapt-u rous





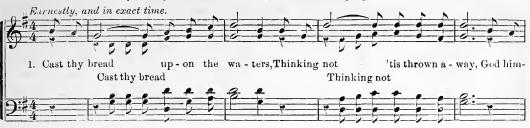
death to re - lease us, 'Tis he that has vanquish'd our foes, 'Tis he that has vanquish'd our foes. love has he bound me, And life giv - en me from the dead. And life giv - en me from the dead. air, I shall meet him, Nor go ev - er-more from his sight, Nor go ev - er-more from his sight, joy which it rais - es, May all find at length in his name. May all find at length in his name.



JESUS BLESSED LITTLE CHILDREN.



"Cast thy bread upon the waters: for thou shalt find it after many days."-Eccl. 11: 1. R. G. STAPLES.





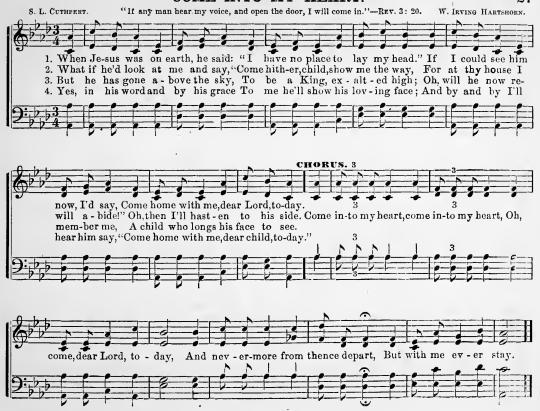
- 2 Cast thy bread upon the waters; Wildly though the billows roll, They but aid thee as thou toilest, Truth to spread from pole to pole.
- 3 Cast thy bread upon the waters; Why wilt thou still doubting stand? Bounteons shall God send the harvest, If thou sow'st with liberal hand.
- 4 Give, then, freely of thy substance— O'er this cause the Lord doth reign: Cast thy bread, and toil with patience, Thou shalt labor not in vain.

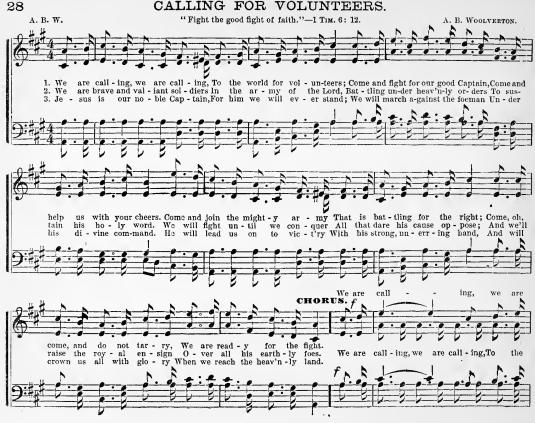
SECOND HYMN.

- Hark I ten thousand harps and voices Sound the notes of praise above; Jesus reigns, and heaven rejoices, Jesus reigns, the God of love.
- 2 King of glory! reign forever!
 Thine an everlasting crown;
 Nothing from thy love shall sever
 Those whom thou hast made thine own.
- 3 Savior, hasten thine appearing! Bring, oh, bring the glorious day, When the awful summons hearing, Heaven and earth shall pass away.

Dedicated to the family of Rev. M. R. Watkinson, deceased, who was a zealous worker in his Master's service.









ALL AROUND ARE KIND AND LOVING.











IN THE SWEET BY AND BY.



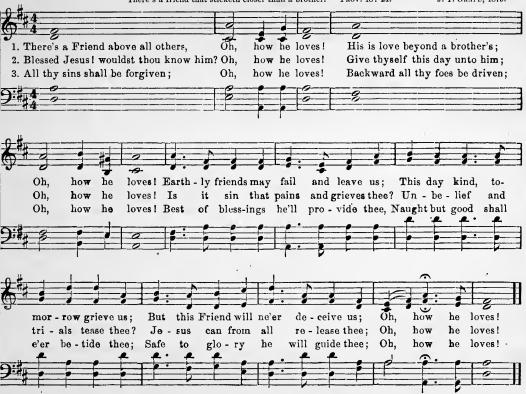


bout me, Draw me clos - er, Lord, to thee.

"There's a friend that sticketh closer than a brother."—Prov. 18: 24.

J. T. GRAPE, 1879.

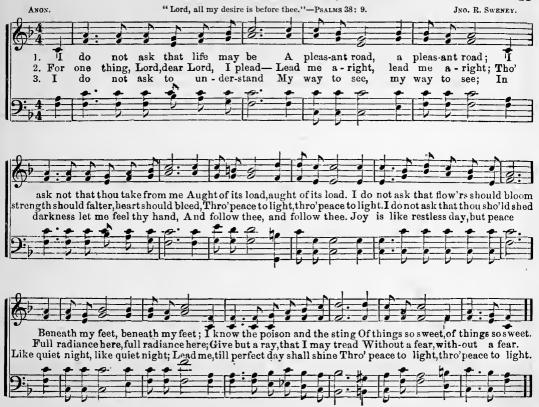
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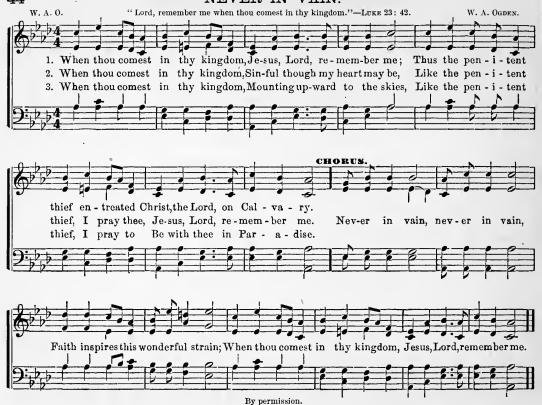




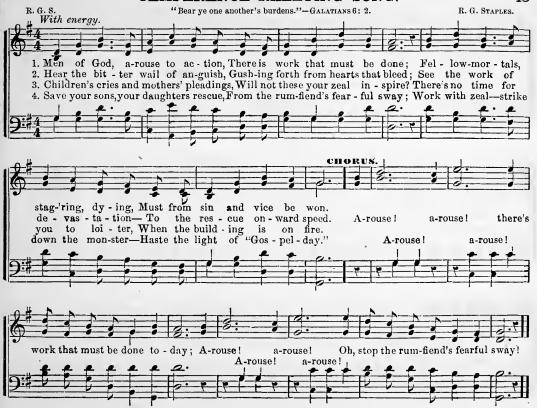
· From the land of endless day, Comes that low, sweet voice entreating, Come, my child, come home to-day.

LEAD ME ARIGHT.





TEMPERANCE RALLYING SONG.







SUFFERING SAVIOR, SAVE ME NOW.

"And when they had platted a crown of thorns, they put it upon his head, and a reed in his right hand: and bowed the knee Words of 3d and 4th verses by D. H. L. before him, saying: Hail! King of the Jews!"—MATT. 27: 29. D. HAYDEN LLOYD.

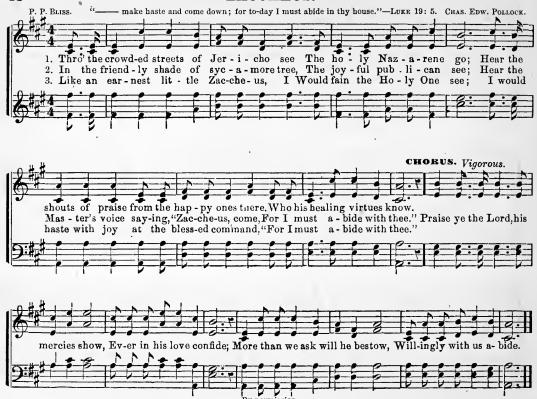


- 1. Suff'ring Savior, with thorn crown, Bruis'd and bleeding, sinking down; Heavy-la-den, wea-ry, worn,
- 2. Pre-cious Sav-ior, this for me, So un-wor-thy, all for me! Ho-ly Je-sus, pure and mild,





- 3 Fain would I to thee be brought,
 Gracious Lord, forbid it not;
 In the kingdom of thy grace
 Give thy wandering child a place—
 By thy grace oh, save me!
- 4 Should I stray away from thee, Jesus, wilt thou rescue me? For a sinner born to die; I am trusting, and will cry, Lord, save me, ch, save me!









WHAT SHALL I ANSWER?



LOOK AWAY FROM SELF.

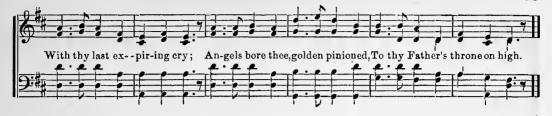


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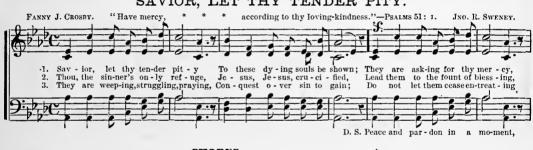
Last stanza, doom'd to drink,

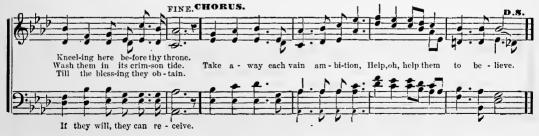
ON THE CRUEL CROSS FOR ME.



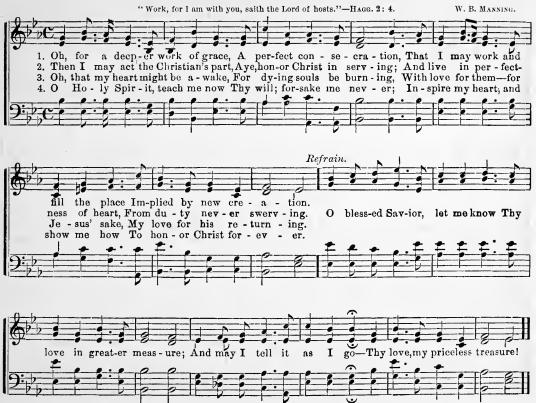


SAVIOR, LET THY TENDER PITY.





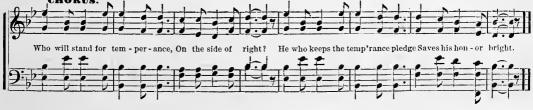












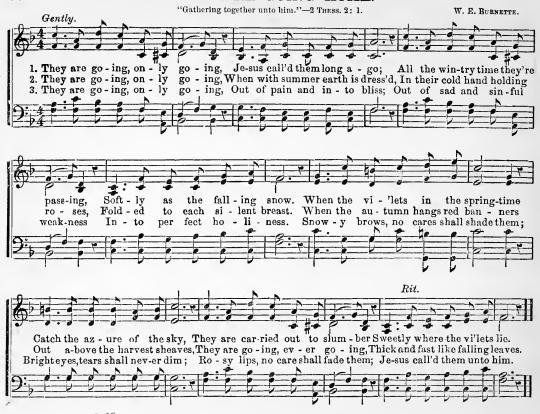


PASSING UNDER THE ROD.

Rev. W. T. Dale. "For whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth, and scourgeth every son he receiveth."-Heb. 12: 6. Frank M. Davis. Slow, with feeling. 1. When bowed with af-flic-tions and woes here be-low, As on in my way to bright Canaan I 2. 'Mid tri - als and loss - es that fall on me here, When mingling the cup of thanksgiving and 3. When weeping I stand o'er the spoils of the grave, My friends all de-part-ed be-yond the dark hear a sweet voice—'tis the voice of my God: "I love thee. I love thee, pass under the rod." tears, I hear the same voice, the sweet voice of my God: "I love thee. I love thee, pass under the rod." wave, I hear the sweet voice of my Fa-ther and God: "I love thee, I love thee, pass under the rod." Refrain. Pass un - der the rod, pass un-der the rod, I love thee, I love thee, pass un - der the rod. From "Last Words," by permission.



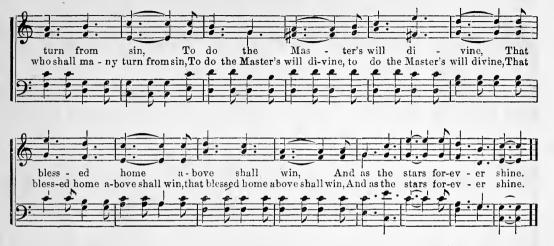
THEY ARE GOING HOME.

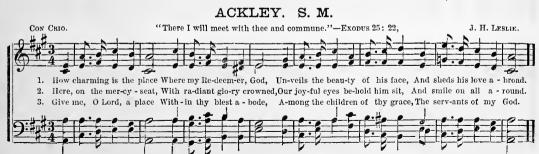




THEY SHALL SHINE AS THE STARS.







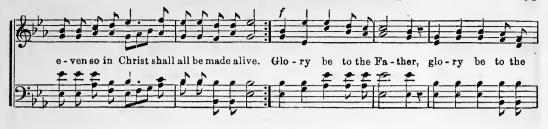


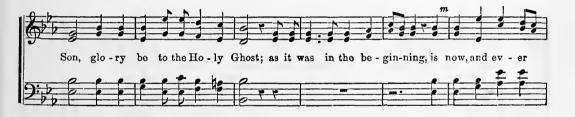




THE RESURRECTION. (Anthem.)

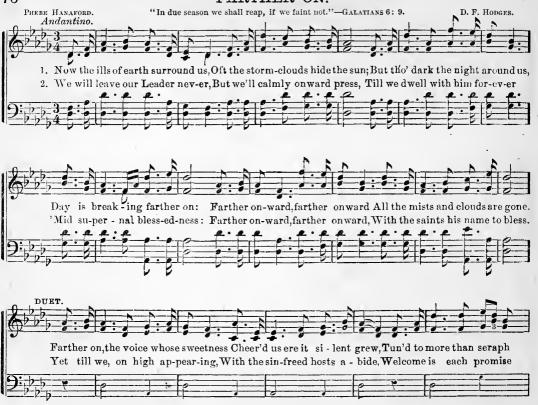








FARTHER ON.





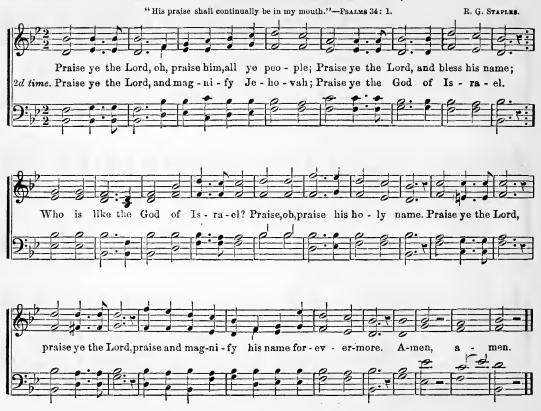
- Open thou the blood-filled fountain; Cleanse my guilty soul within:
- : Tarry, thou forgiving Savior, Wash me wholly from my sin.: ||
- But the grave has closed above them, And I linger here the last:
- :I am lonely: tarry with me Till the dreary night is past: By permission.
- Swift the night of death advances; Shall it be the night of rest?
- : Tarry with me, O my Savior; Lay my head upon thy breast.: ||

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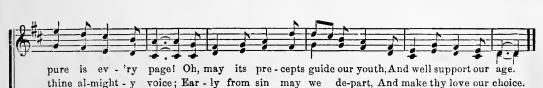
PRAISE YE THE LORD. (Anthem.)

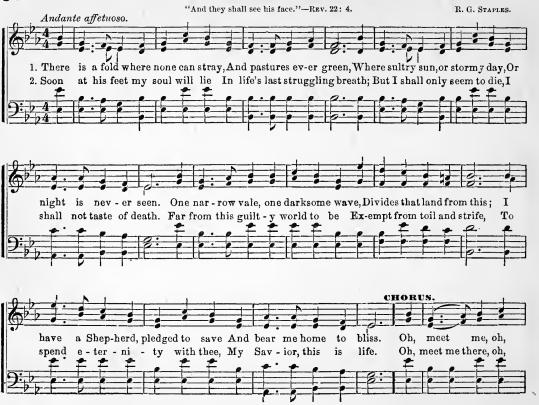


VICTORY THROUGH JESUS.*

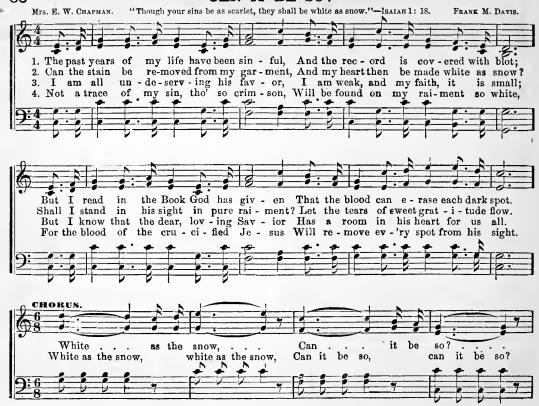
LOOK EVER UPWARD.













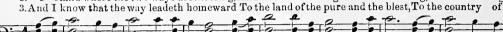
YES, FLASH THE NEWS ALONG THE LINE. 88 Rev. Elisha A. Hoffman. "This is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith."—I John 5: 4. SOPRANO SOLO. Allegretto. CHAS. EDW. PRIOR. 1. How goes the bat-tle, com-rades? What is the news from the front to-day? Are you gaining ground for 2. How are the prospects, comrades? Is there a hope that the foe will yield? In the name of Jesus. 3. Praise God for glorious vic - t'ry One more is sav'd from the ranks of sin! Come and join the holy with energy. Je - sus? Do the hosts of give way? sin for - ward! On, and gain for Christ the field. Yes, flash the news a - long the line: Anar - my! Oh, ye friends of Christ, fall in! flash the news a - long the line: Vic-to-ry, oth-er glorious vic-to-ry! Flash! flash the news along the line, vic-to-ry a-gain.

STILL THERE'S ROOM FOR OTHERS. 89 R. A. GLENN. "And the servant said: It is done as thou hast commanded, and yet there is room."-Luke 14: 22. R. G. Staples, 1. Come and join our great command, Still there's room for others; Marching to the promis'd land, Still there's room for others. 2. Je - sus bids you welcomethere, Still there's room for others; Of his glo-ry you may share, Still there's room for others. 3. They that will not bear the cross Must be lost for - ev - er; Christ will count all such as dross; They'll be lost for - ev - er. Mill - ions safe have land-ed there, Still there's room for others; Palms of vict'ry now they bear, Still there's room for others. Wel-come, will the an-gels sing, Still there's room for others; There we'll meet the host redeem'd, Still there's room for others. Who will hear the word "Depart," You are lost for - ev - er; When he says, "I knew you not," You are lost for - ev - er. Still there's room for others; Palms of vic - t'ry now they bear, Still there's room for others. Room, room, 3d v. Lost! Who'll be lost for - ev - er; Hear the sol-emn word "Depart," Lost, yes, lost for - ev - er. lost!



know not-the way is so misty- The joys or the gricfs it shall bring, What clouds are o'er-

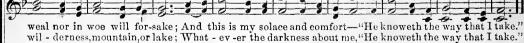
I stand where the two ways are meeting, And know not the right from the wrong; No beek-on-ing





hanging the future, What flow'rs by the roadside shall spring; But there's One who will journey beside me, Norin fin - gers di-rect me. No welcome floats to me in song; But my guide will soon give me a token, By ev - er-fair Summer, To the eit - v of peace and of rest; And there shall be healing for sickness, And

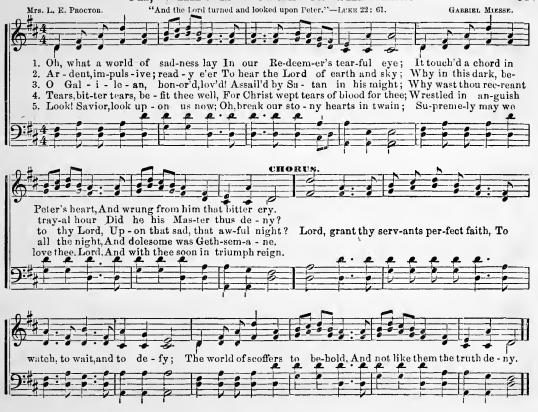




fountains, life's fever to slake; What matters beside? I go heav'n ward, "He knoweth the way that I take."



OH, WHAT A WORLD OF SADNESS.



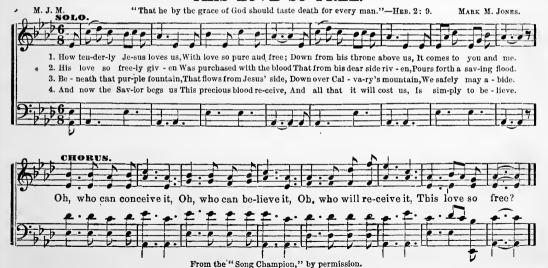


SCATTER SEEDS OF KINDNESS.



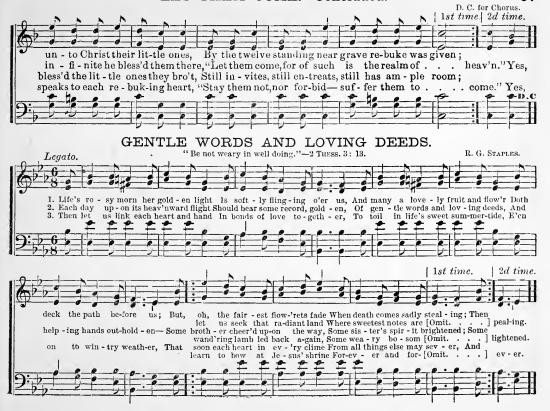


THIS LOVE SO FREE.



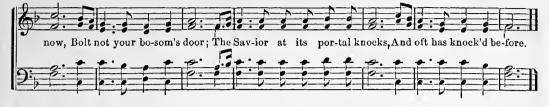
LET THEM COME.



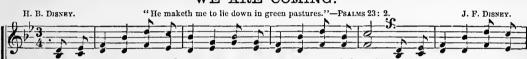


SILENT WATCHES.





WE ARE COMING.



- 1. We are marching onward, upward, We are trav'ling toward the prize, And if Je sus is ou
- 2. We will wash our robes, and make them Pure and spotless as the Throne, So that when we reach that 3. We will drink the liv-ing wa-ter, We will lie in pas-tures green; We will live to live here-



FINE. CHORUS.

D. S.

watchword, We will reach the up-per skies.

ha - ven, We shall know as we are known. We are com-ing, blessed Savior, To thy con-se-cra-ted cross, af - ter, When we reach the great un-seen.



Je - sus, Count-ing all things else as loss.

'T WAS RUM THAT SPOILED MY BOY.







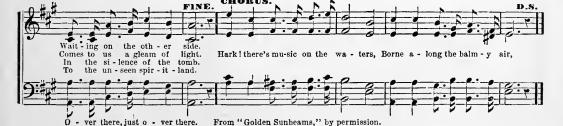


- 1. There's a band of an-gel watch ers Just a cross the foam-ing tide—
 2. Wait ing there with smiling fa ces, In their robes of spot-less white,
- 3. O'er our earth-ly homes are gath-ered Many a shad-ow, many a gloom, 4. But these scenes will soon be o - ver; Soon we'll join the ransomed band;

While far out up - on the riv - er For the loved ones who are sleep - ing Soon we'll clasp the forms that bind us



D. S. An - gel voic-es ring-ing, ring - ing,

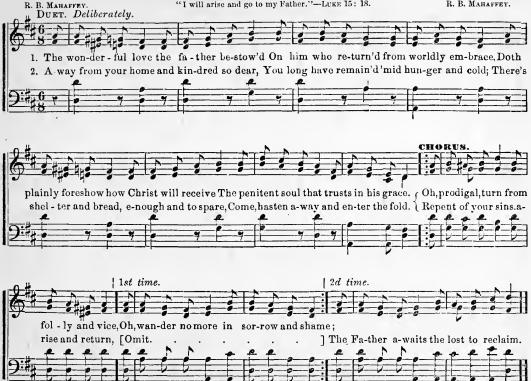


THY HEART.

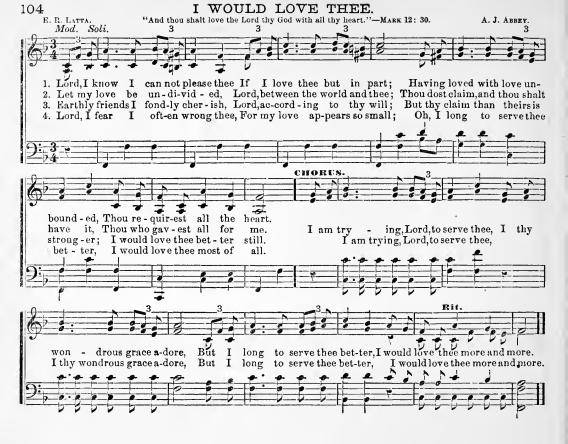


"I will arise and go to my Father."-LUKE 15: 18.

R. B. MAHAFFEY.



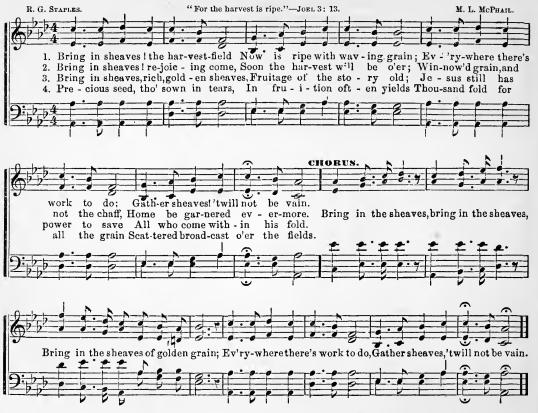
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BRING IN THE SHEAVES.

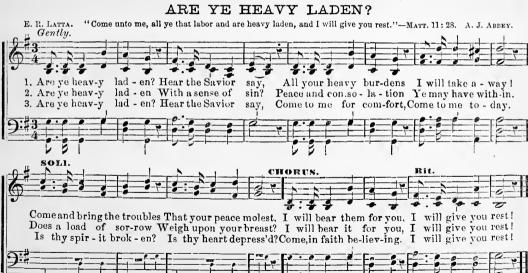










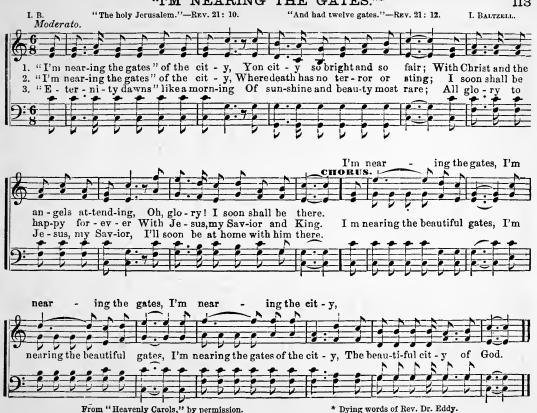


"WHAT SHALL I DO TO BE SAVED?"







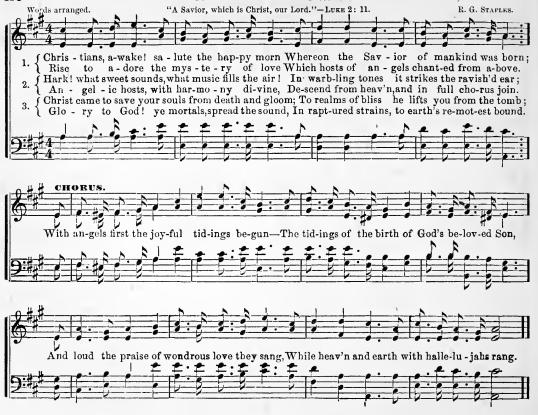


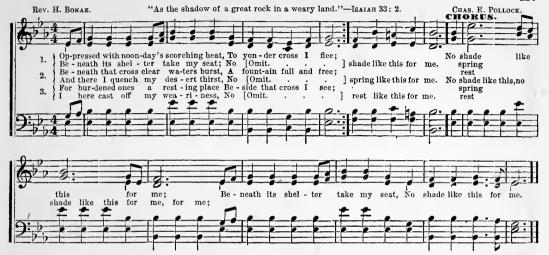
THE KINDNESS OF JESUS.

"In whom we have redemption through his blood."-Eph. 1: 7. Mrs. B. A. PERRIGO. J. T. GRAPE. DUET. 1. Have you heard of the kind-ness of Je-sus? Have you read of his won - drous love? How he 2. Have you heard of the roll - ing riv - er That flows from our Father's great throne? Where 3. Have you heard how that heav-en-ly cit - y Is bright with the glo - ry of God? came all the way from glo-ry, To ask us to mansions a - bove? To give us a place with the wa-ters are clear-er than crys-tal; A stream flowing onward and on, By which grows the tree ev-erneed for the moon to shine in it. Its sky by the sun ne'er is trod. Its day is a day nev - er bless - ed, A share in the realms of the sky; A pledge, and a promise for - ev - er, That And leaves that will heal all the peo - ple Who last - ing, With fruit for the na-tions so free; end . ing. Its light is un - min-gled with gloom; A place for the per-fect and ho - ly, Where



CHRISTMAS MORN.

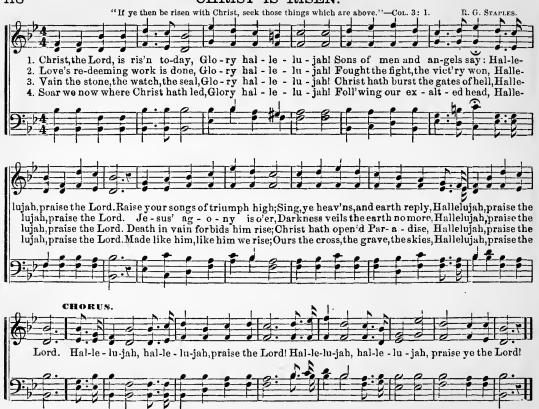


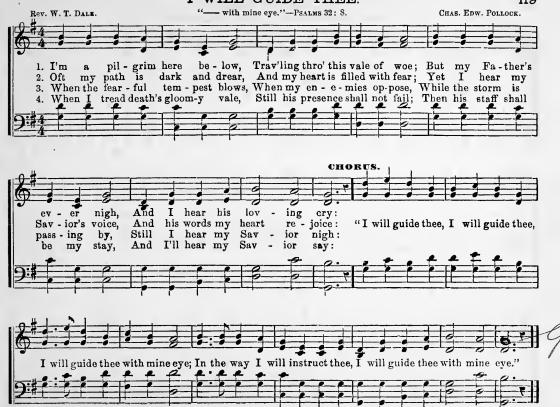


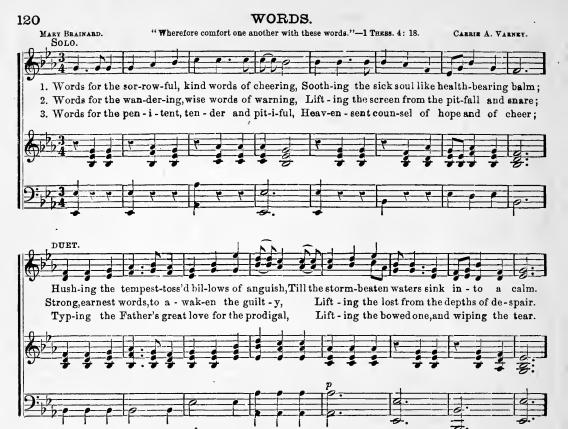
- 1 THERE is a fountain filled with blood, Drawn from Immanuel's veins; And sinners, plunged beneath that flood, Lose all their guilty stains.
- 2 The dying thief rejoiced to see
 That fountain in his day;
 Oh, may I there, though vile as he,
 Wash all my sins away.
- 3 Thou dying Lamb, thy precious blood Shall never lose its power, Till all the ransomed church of God Are saved, to sin no more.
- 4 E'er since, by faith, I saw the stream Thy flowing wounds supply, Redeeming love has been my theme, And shall be till I die.—Cowper.

- 1 And can I yet delay,
 My little all to give?
 To tear my soul from earth away,
 For Jesus to receive?
- 2 Nay, but I yield, I yield!
 I can hold out no more:
 I sink, by dying love compelled,
 And own thee conqueror!
- 3 Come, and possess me whole,
 Nor hence again remove:
 Settle and fix my wav'ring soul
 With all thy weight of love.
- 4 My one desire be this,
 Thine only love to know;
 To seek and taste no other bliss,
 No other good below.—C. Wesley.

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











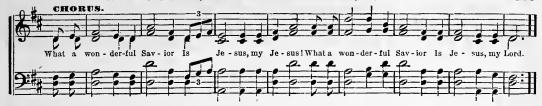
H. R. PALMER. "Behold. I stand at the door and knock."-REV. 3: 20. H. R. PALMER. 1. Christ is knock-ing at my sad heart; Shall I let him in? Pa-tient-ly plead-ing with 2. Shall I send him the lov - ing word; Shall I let him in? Meek-ly ac - cept-ing my 3. Yes, I'll o - pen this proud heart's door; Yes, I'll let him in; Glad - ly I'll welcome him my sad heart, Oh, shall I let him in? Cold and proud is my heart with sin; Dark and cheerless is gracious Lord; Oh, shall I let him in? He can in - fi - nite love impart; He can par - don this ev - er-more, Oh, ves, I'll let him in! Bless - ed Sav - ior, a-bide with me; Cares and tri - als will with - in: Christ is bid - ding me turn un - to him, Oh, shall let bid him for - ev - er reb - el heart: Shall I de - part. Or shall in? let him light - er be: safe if I'm on - ly with thee; Oh, bless - ed Lord, come in. am By permission.

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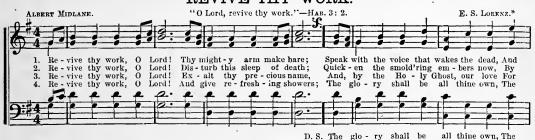


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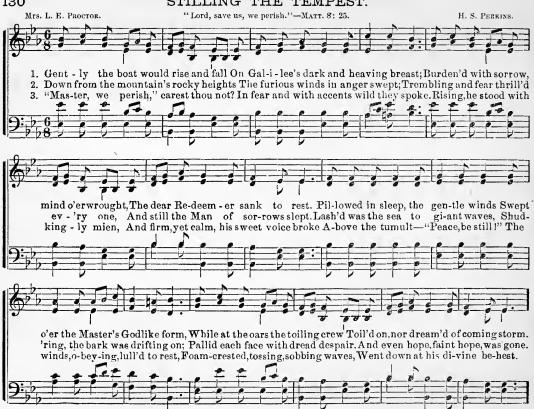








STILLING THE TEMPEST.





EVENING HYMN.





DEPTH OF MERCY.

- Depth of mercy! can there be Mercy still reserved for me?
 Can my God his wrath forhear?
 Me, the chief of sinners, spare?
- 2 Now incline me to repent, Let me now my sins lament; Now my foul revolt deplore, Weep, believe, and sin no more.
- 3 There for me the Savior stands; Shows his wounds, and spreads his hands; God is love! I know, I feel, Jesus weeps, and loves me still.

OVER THE RIVER.

"I will give thee a crown of life."-REV. 2: 10.

C. A. FYKE.



2. There's a heav-en-ly mansion, a home of delight, Where sin and where death may come never; The Ho-ly of ho-lies, where

3. There's a robe and a crown in that beau-ti-ful land Which Je - sus, the glo - ri ous giv - er, Shall be-stow upon those who are

4. Then we'll fear not the darkness that hides the bright shore, For Christ shall be there to deliver, And guide us in safe-tv. tho'





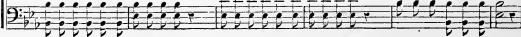
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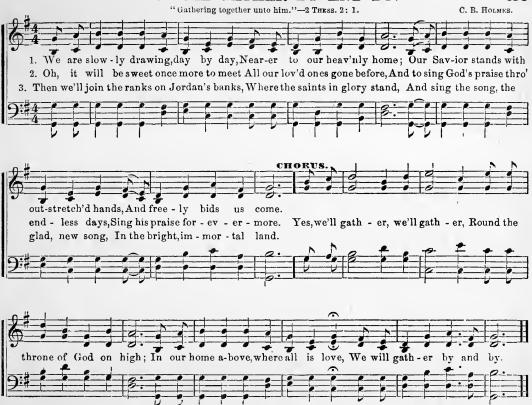
bil-lows may roar, By the light of his love, the dark wa-ters o'er. 'Tis on -ly a-cross the dark riv -er so cold.



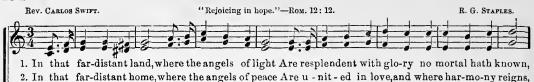


An-gels will welcome us home. Angels are waiting to welcome us home; On-ly a-cross the dark riv-er so cold.





VISION OF HOPE.







Where the praise of the Lord is their holy de-light, As with melodies sweet they encored his throne, Where the Father of all, in his in finite grace, Sweetly smiles on the children his bounty sustains,



D.S. Who once vis-it-ed earth, and in bit-ter-ness area, To re-deem my dark sout from its sin and its woes.

D.S. To partake of his full-ness of glo-ry in heaven, And to sit at his side on his beau-ti-ful throne.

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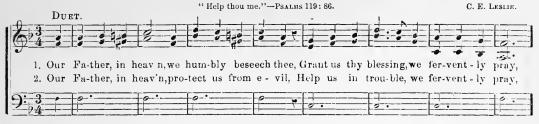
I've a Sav-ior, whose glo-ry outshines all beside, From whose bosom the full-ness of love o - ver-flows, I've a mansion of bliss, which my Savior has giv'n, Who with blood seal'd my pardon and made me his own,



THE GOLDEN LAND.









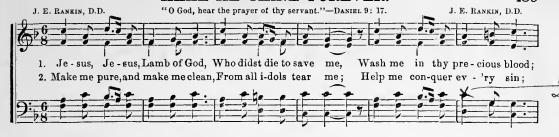


ACROSS THE WAY.

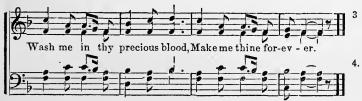
"And the city had no need of the sun, neither the moon to shine in it, for the glory of God did lighten it, and the Lamb is the light thereof."-REV. xxi: 23. ELIZA M. SHERMAN. R. G. STAPLES. 1. Soft-ly fall the twilight shadows O'er a land of cloudless ray: Brightly from the many mansions Sweetest sounds of angel music Floateth o'er the gates of day, From the bright and glorious mansions CHORUS. Shines the light across the way,) Sweetly, soft - - - ly sounds the anthem O'er the gold - - en Just across the shining way. Sweetly, softly sounds the anthem O'er the gold - en no sin nor sor-row In our home . . gates of day: There shall be . . a-cross the way. There shall be no sin nor sor-row gates of day: In our home a-cross the way. 2 In that pure and pearly city 3 Oh! the pleasures that await us All our cares forever cease. When the burden is laid down, For upon its towers and bulwarks And the cross exchanged forever Rests the blessing of God's peace. For the glories of the crown. We shall join the heavenly anthem "Glory be to God forever," When our tears are wiped away. Yet across the shining way That forever, ever soundeth. Swecter, fuller sounds the anthem Softly o'er the gates of day. O'er the golden gates of day.

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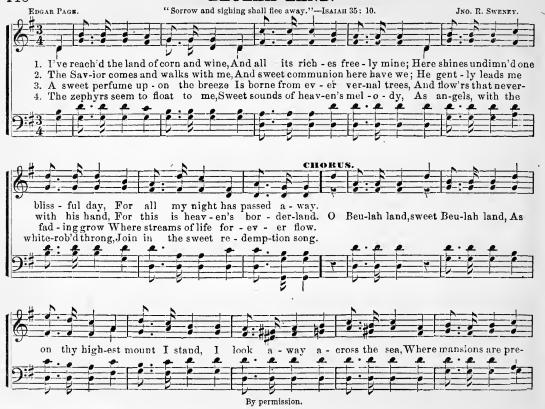


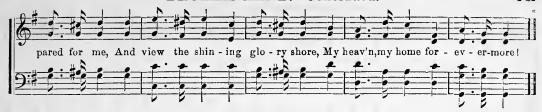




- 3 What thou hast for me to do, Lord, do thou reveal me; Day by day my heart renew; By thy spirit seal me.
- Naught that is, or is to come, From thy love divide me; Be thou still my rest and home, 'Neath thy shadow hide me.

BEULAH LAND.









- 1. Oh, how sweet is the tho't of our life and death, Since Je-sus our Lead-er and Light will be;
- 2. With a heart full of sin and a mind de filed, Un fit ed for life or e ter ni ty,
- 3. When I came before God with his own dear name, His suff'ring and death was my on ly plea;
- 4. Blessed Sav-ior, all words are too weak to show The love and o be-dience I owe to thee;



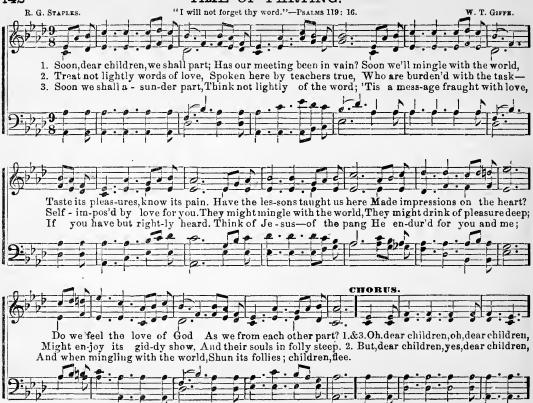
He hath o-pened the por - tal of

glo - ry wide, For Je - sus was punished in-stead me. Je-sus stoop'd from his glo-ry, that he might be Ac-curs - ed and punished in-stead me. There I wept for my sin, but he bore the blame: Dear Je-sus was punished in-stead me.

And my full heart sends up all its love and praise, Because thou wast punished in-stead me.







BEAUTIFUL REALM OF DELIGHT.

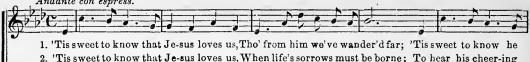
"And the building of the wall of it was of jasper, and the city was pure gold, like unto clear glass."-REV. 21: 18. R. G. STAPLES. M. J. MUNGER. 1. Have you heard of the land where the ran-somed dwell? Beau-ti - ful realmof de - light: 2 Have you heard of its streets that are paved with gold? Beau-ti-ful realm of de - light; 3. Have you heard of its riv - ers - its crys-tal streams? Beau-ti - ful realm of de - light; 4. All its walls are of jas - per- of pearl its gates, Beau-ti - ful realm of de - light; 'Tis a land of rare splendor. Oh, who can tell Of this won-der-ful cit-y light? "There the saints of all a - ges" the face be-hold Of their Sav - ior, who giv-eth it light. Of the sun that shines brightly, with healing beams, Nev-er set - ting in darkness of night. There a crown of re-joic-ing the saint a-waits When he en-ters its "por-tals of light." Refrain. Beau - ti - ful, beau - ti - ful cit beau - ti - ful. bcau-ti - ful cit the beau - ti - ful, Zi the beau - ti - ful. Zi - - on,



'TIS SWEET TO KNOW THAT JESUS LOVES US.

W. L. T. "Having loved his own, which were in the world, he loved them unto the end."—John 13: 1. Will. L. Thompson.

Andante con espress.



3. 'Tis sweet to hear the voice of Je-sus, Hear his welcome "Come to me;" Come, all ye wea - ry





O - ver all he's kind - ly watching,

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will for-give us, Oh, how kind his mer-cies are!

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THE BEAUTIFUL RIVER.





"The word "And" may be omitted, and the tie (

HE WEPT. S. M.

[Tune, Olmutz.]

DID Christ o'er sinners weep, And shall our cheeks be dry? Let tears of penitential grief Burst forth from every eye.

The son of God in tears
The wondering angels see,
Be thou astonished, O, my soul!
He shed those tears for thee.

He wept that we might weep;
Each sin demands a tear;
In heaven alone no sin is found,
And there's no weeping there.
Beddome.

[Tune, Sweet By and By.]

- 1 Wz speak of the realms of the blest, That country so bright and so fair; And oft are its glories confessed, But what must it be to be there! To be there, to be there, But what must it be to be there!
- 2 We speak of its pathways of gold, Of its walls decked with jewels so rare, of its wonders and pleasures untold, But what must it be to be there! To be there, to be there, etc.
- 3 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!
 To be there, to be there, etc.

[S. M. Tune, Laban.]

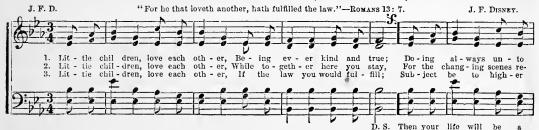
- 1 A CHARGE to keep I have, A God to glorify, A never-dying soul to save, And fit it for the sky.
- 2 To serve the present age,
 My calling to fulfil;
 Oh, may it all my powers engage
 To do my Master's will.
- 3 Arm me with jealous care,
 As in thy sight to live;
 And oh, thy servant, Lord, prepare
 A strict account to give.
- 4 Help me to watch and pray,
 And on thyself rely,
 Assured if I my trust betray,
 I shall forever die.—C.Wesley.

THROUGH THE DARK VALLEY.

R. G. STAPLES. "Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil."-PSALMS 23: 4. CHAS. H. CARBOLL. Largo. Con espression. 1. Thro' the dark valley and the shadow of death, Her spir - it has pass'd to its home in the skies: 2. Thro' the chill waters and a - cross the dark flood The boatman has car-ried our schoolmate and friend: Soon to mingle with dust, low the green sod beneath, Her bod - y shall rest till Christ bids it a - rise. But 'tis sweet to re-flect, that thro' Christ's precious blood, On banks of deliv'rance, her joys never end. Yes, down the dark val-ley, but not all a-lone, Tho' ruth-less-ly sev-er'd from dear ones be-low;



LOVE EACH OTHER. (Infant Class.)



D. S. Then you'll cross the dark-some D. S. You may shine in spark-ling



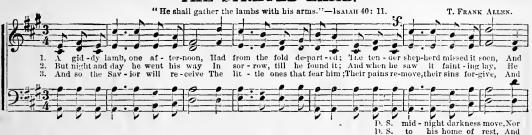
riv - er, O - ver to the oth- or shore. beau-ty With the gems that deck his crown.

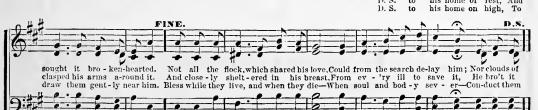
WE ARE PASSING AWAY.





THE STRAYED LAMB.





fear of suff-'ring stay him. pit - ied and for - gave it. dwell with him for - ev - er.

EACH DAY A LITTLE NEARER.

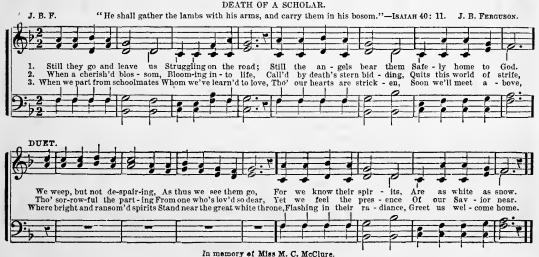


- 2. Oh, song of light and dawn of bliss, Sound o ver earth and fill these skies, Nor ev er, ev er, ev er cease Thy
- 3. Glad song of this dis burden'd earth, Which ho-ly voic-es then shall sing, Praise for cre a-tion's sec-ond birth, And

D. S. Dear land be-yond, to which I go, That * From "Precious Jewels," by permission.



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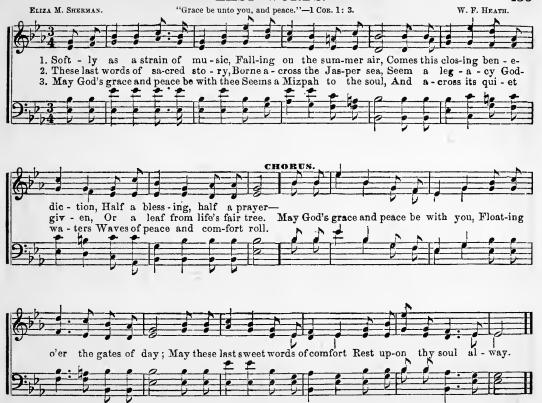
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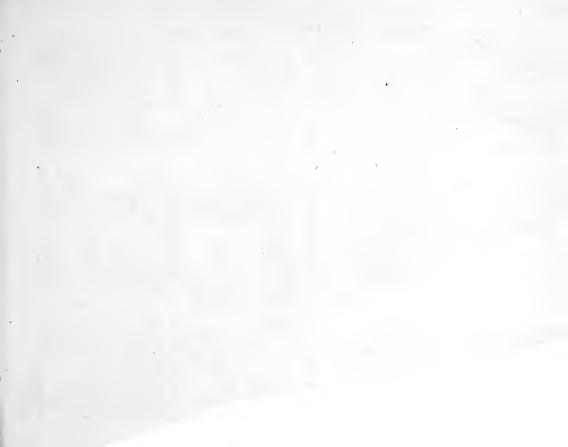
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