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INTRODUCTORY NOTE.

HIS book has been prepared for those who are looking for a collection of hymns fit for children to use, set to tunes which are, musically, of an order higher than is often found in Sunday-School hymn-books, and yet not above the ability and comprehension of young people.

The number of entirely new tunes in "Hosanna" is large enough to provide variety, and the tunes

which are more or less known are of the very best.

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Special attention is called to the large number of hymns appropriate to Christmas and other festival services, and to the richness of the book in hymns of praise and prayer. A study of the Index of Snbjects will commend the book to thoughtful superintendents, as much as its musical merit will find favor

with musicianly pianists and organists in the schools.

THE "AMEN."

The regular use of the "Amen" at the close of hymns is growing in favor. The editor recommends that the "Choral Amen" be uniformly used, and offers the following suggestion as to the selection of the form appropriate for each tune. (Of course, a general rule like this is not to be accepted as inflexible.)

After tunes in the key of G, or in higher keys, up to B flat, sing in lower keys, down to C, sing A - men. it thus (using the key in which the tune is written):





THE ARRANGEMENT

of the hymns and tunes is a departure from the usual one. The majority of those in the first third of the book are intended for the younger children, and for the primary classes. The remainder contains such as, both on account of the sentiment of the hymns and the difficulty of the tunes, are more appropriate for older pupils and classes; and it will be found on a careful examination of "Hosanna," that there are no less than eighty hymns which properly may find a place in the mid-week service or in the Christian Endeavor or Epworth League meeting.

A. T. S.

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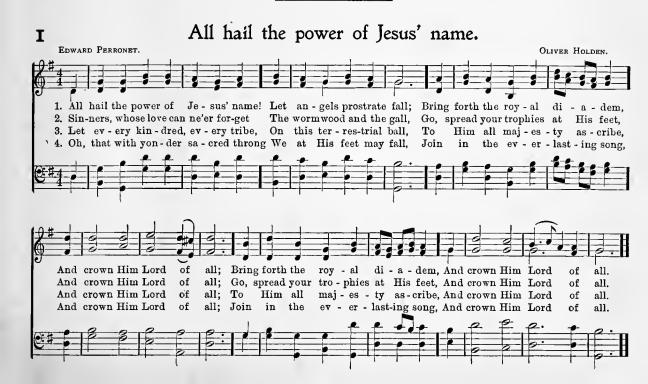
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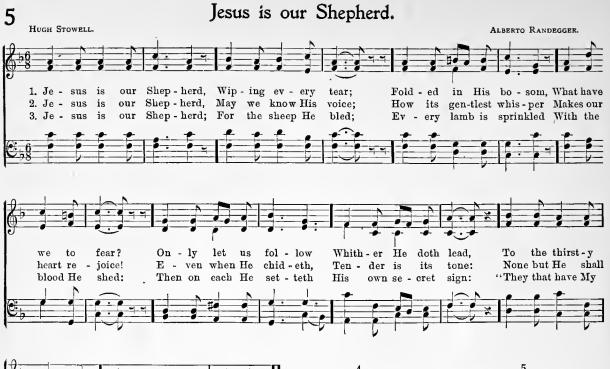
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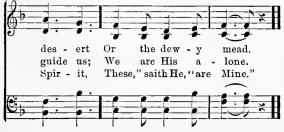
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Jesus is our Shepherd;
Guarded by His arm,
Though the wolves may ravin,
None can do us harm;
When we tread death's valley,
Dark with fearful gloom,
We will fear no evil,
Victors o'er the tomb.

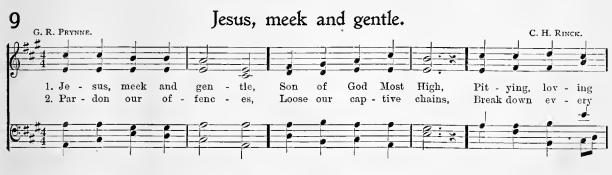
Jesus is our Shepherd;
With His goodness now
And His tender mercy
He doth us endow;
Let us sing His praises
With a gladsome heart,
Till in heaven we meet Him,
Never more to part.





I think, when I read that sweet story of old.—Concluded.







- 3 Give us holy freedom,
 Fill our hearts with love;
 Draw us, Holy Jesus,
 To the realms above.
- 4 Lead us on onr journey, Be Thyself the Way Through terrestrial darkness To celestial day.







Be - cause He loved me

Be-cause He loves me

me.

me.

for - get

The Lord came down to save

nev - er will

And though I cannot see Him,

For He has kindly promised
That even I may go
To sing among His angels,
Because He loves me so.—Cho.

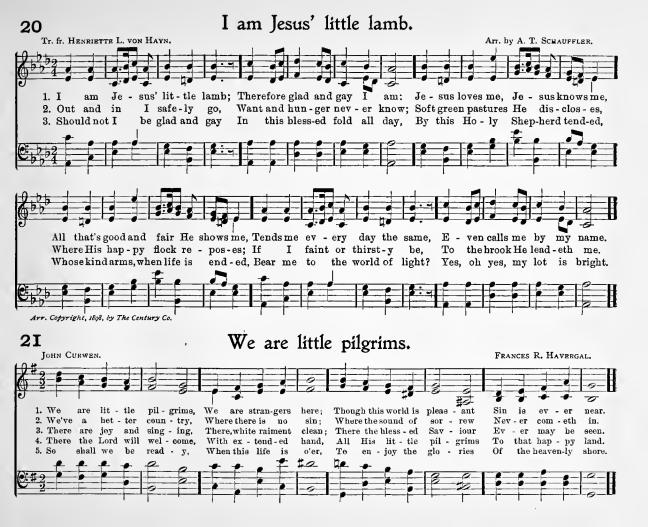
I know He hears my praise;





There is no love like the love of Jesus.



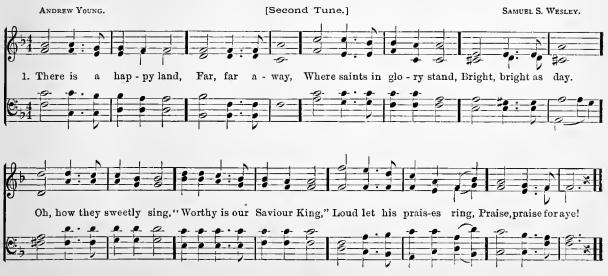


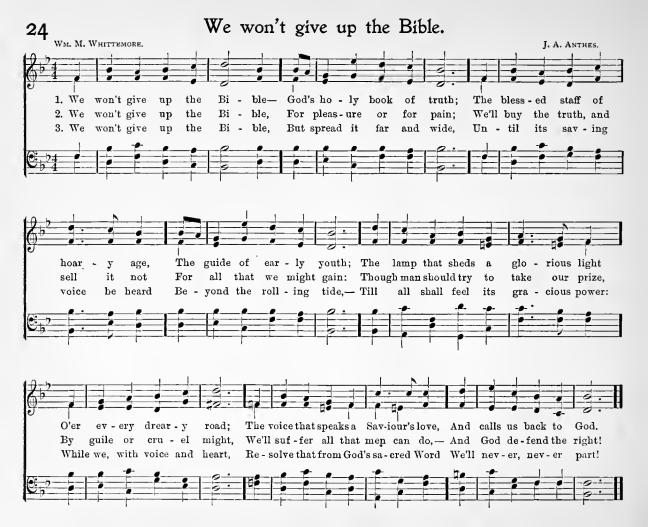






There is a happy land.











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Gracious Saviour, gentle Shepherd.



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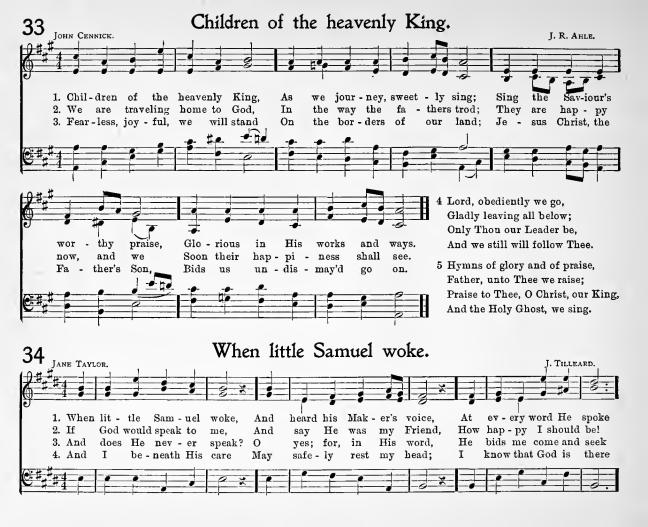
Glory be to God the Father!-Concluded.

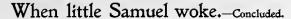




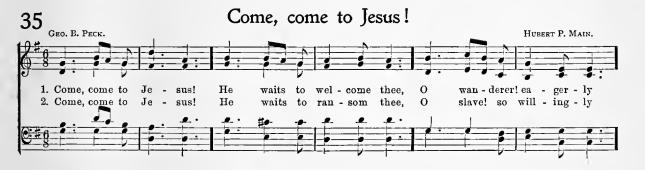


- It bids my trembling heart rejoice It dries each rising tear; It tells me in a 'still, small voice' To trust and never fear.
- 5 Jesus, the name I love so well,
 The name I love to hear!
 No saint on earth its worth can tell
 No heart conceive how dear!











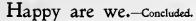
- 3 Come, come to Jesus!

 He waits to lighten thee,
 O burdened! trustingly
 Come, come to Jesus!
- 4 Come, come to Jesus!

 He waits to give to thee,
 O blind! a vision free;
 Come, come to Jesus!
- 5 Come, come to Jesus!

 He waits to shelter thee,
 O wearied! blessedly
 Come, come to Jesus!
- 6 Come, come to Jesus! He waits to carry thee, O lamb! so lovingly, Come, come to Jesus!





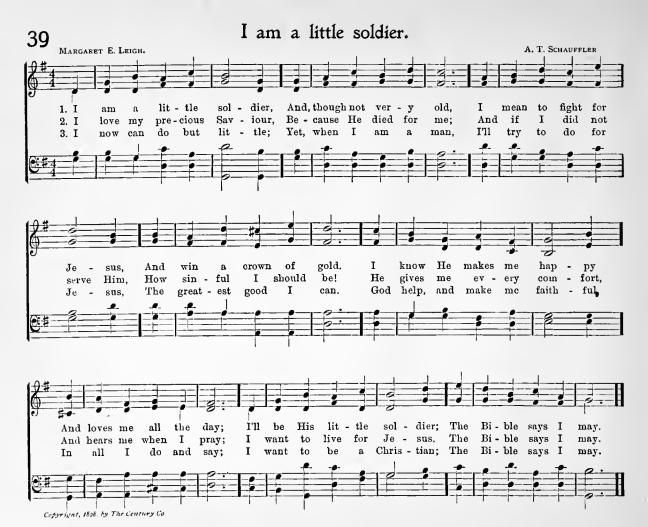






- 4 As the Saviour Jesus,
 When a little child,
 Gentle was, and holy,
 Pure, and meek, and mild,
- 5 He shall be our copy; We will try to be Patient and obedient, Loving, kind as He.

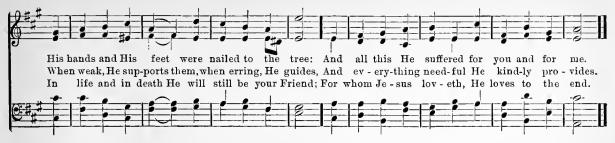
- 6 Father, God, our Father, Guide us every hour; Keep us safe, and shield us From temptation's power.
- 7 So, when night returneth, Holier may we be, Kept from sin and sorrow, All the nearer Thee.

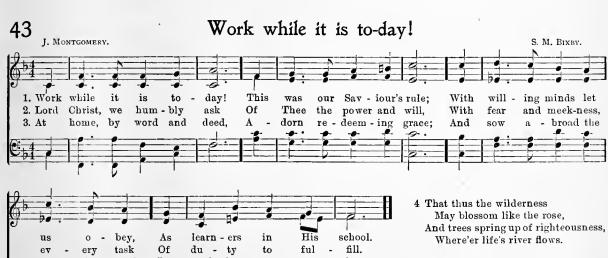






How loving is Jesus.—Concluded.





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- 5 For Thee our all to spend, Still may we watch and pray, And, persevering to the end, Work while it is to-day.



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Let us with a gladsome mind.—Concluded.



His work completes the great de-sign,

And fills the soul with joy

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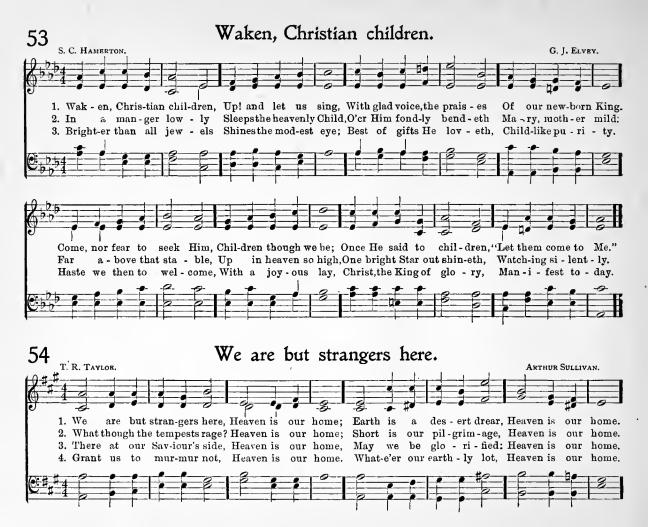
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Thou that once, by mother's knee.



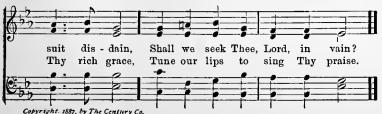
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We are but strangers here.—Concluded.







4 Send some message from Thy word, That may joy and peace afford; Let Thy Spirit now impart Full salvation to each heart.

Now we seek Thee, here we stay; Lord, we know not how to go, Till a blessing Thou bestow.



58 O'er Bethlehem's hill, in days of old. M. G. PEARSE. W. W. GILCHRIST. Unison. 1. O'er Bethlehem's hill, in days of old, Came wise men from a - far, Bring-ing their cost-ly gifts of gold, 2. The sil - ver lamp through all the night Led on their wea-ry way. Un - til up - on His low - ly home 3. So. gra-cious Spir - it, by Thy light Shine Thou up - on our way, To guide our feet to Christ the Lord. For they had seen His star: In prince-ly pomp, with pres-ents meet, They came to wor-ship at His feet. Was shed its gen-tle And there they found the in-fant King, And on the ground fell wor-ship-ing. ray; Who would our hom - age He who is the chil-dren's King Will not dis-dain what chil-dren bring, pay; REFRAIN. - ry, praise, and Thee iour! hon Be nn - to our Copyright, 1887, by The Century Co.

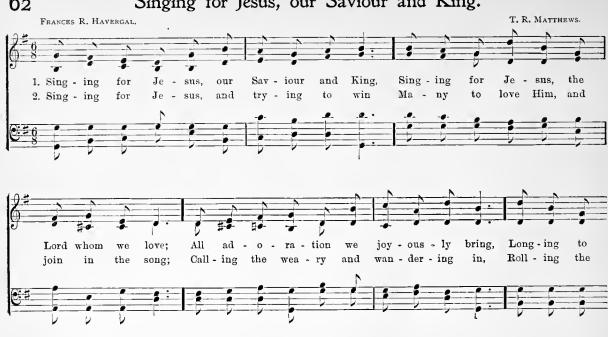


Perfect praise to learn at length, When He gives us perfect strength.



Saviour, blessed Saviour.







- 3 Singing for Jesus, our Shepherd and Guide, Singing for gladness of heart that He gives; Singing for wonder and praise that He died, Singing for blessing and joy that He lives.
- 4 Singing for Jesus, yes, singing for joy; Thus will we praise Him and tell out His love, Till He shall call us to brighter employ, Singing for Jesus, for ever above.



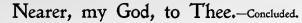


Nearer, my God, to Thee.

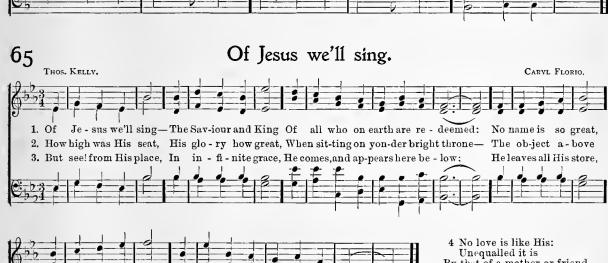


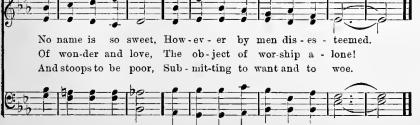












By that of a mother or friend, What tongue cannot teach,

What thought cannot reach,—

'Tis love without measure or end.

5 To Jesus alone, Who sits on the throne,

Be glory, dominion, and power; To Jesus be given All honor in heaven,

By angels and saints evermore.

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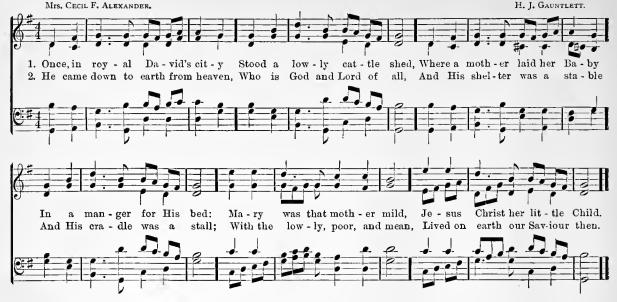
My voice shalt Thou hear. Concluded.





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Once in royal David's city.



He would honor and obey. Love, and watch the lowly maiden In whose gentle arms He lay: Christian children all must be Mild, obedient, good as He.

3 And thro' all His wondrous childhood. 4 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. 5 Not in that poor lowly stable, With the oxen standing by,

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.

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1 One there is, above all others, Well deserves the name of friend:

His is love beyond a brother's, Costly, free, and knows no end: They, who once His kindness prove Find it everlasting love. .

One there is above all others.

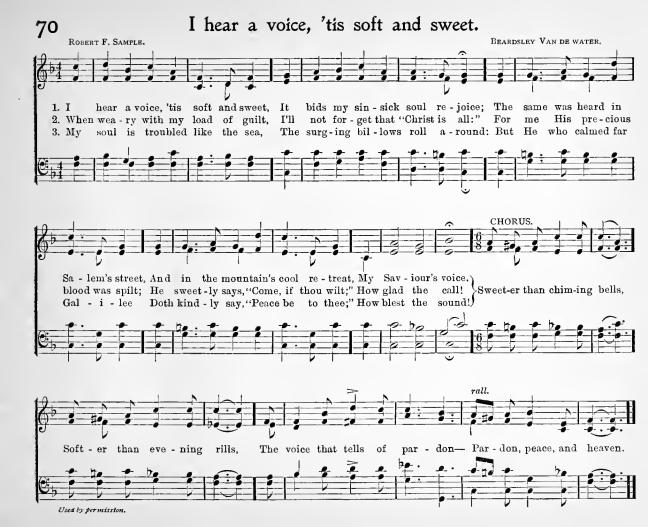
2 Which of all our friends, to save us, Could or would have shed his blood? But our Jesus died to have us

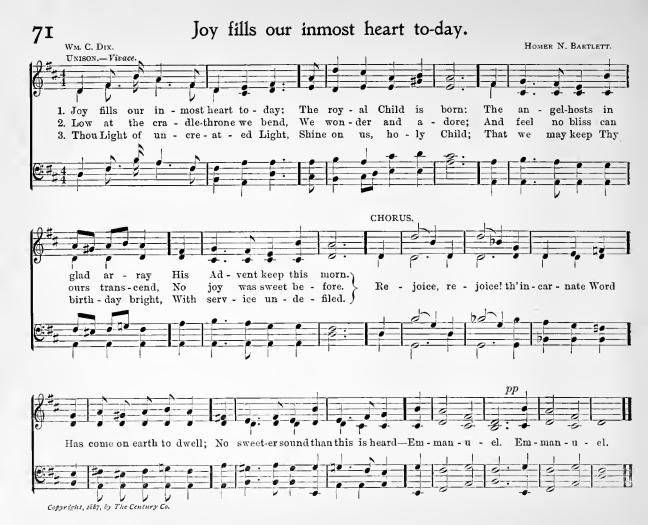
Reconciled in Him to God: This was boundless love indeed! Jesus is a friend in need.

3 Oh, for grace our hearts to soften! Teach us, Lord, at length to love;

We, alas! forget too often What a Friend we have above:

But when home our souls are brought, We will love Thee as we ought.







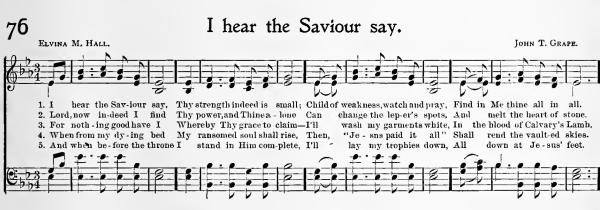






I love to tell the story.—Concluded.











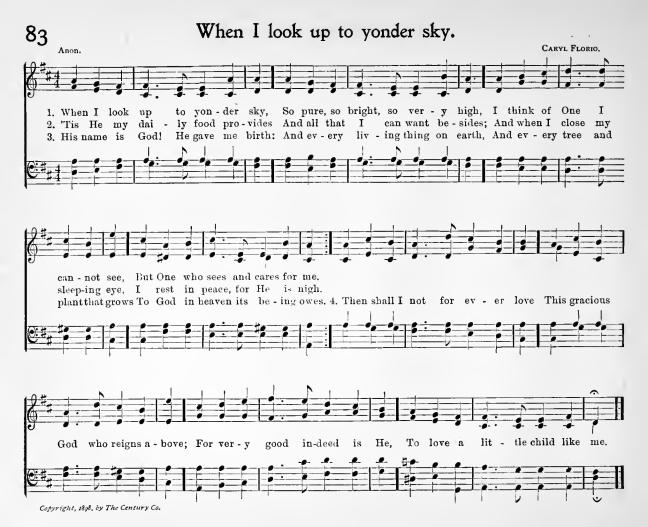


2. Then do not be troub-led, let not your heart fear, Though veiled from our vis-iou, His Spir-it is near:

3. All glo-ry and praise to Je-ho-vah our King! Take the cup of sal-va-tion, and joy-ful-ly sing;

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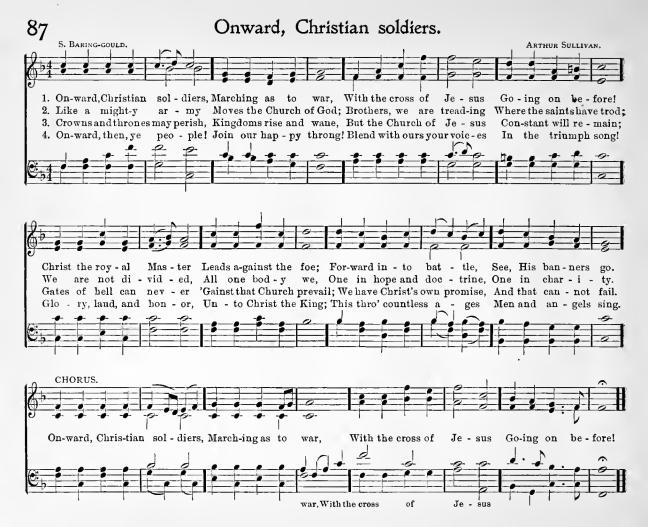














- 4 But O above all, Thy kindness we praise, From sin and from thrall which saves the lost race; Thy Son Thou hast given the world to redeem, And bring us to heaven, whose trust is in Him.
- 5 Wherefore of Thy love we sing and rejoice, With angels above we lift up our voice: Thy love each believer shall gladly adore, For ever and ever, when time is no more.

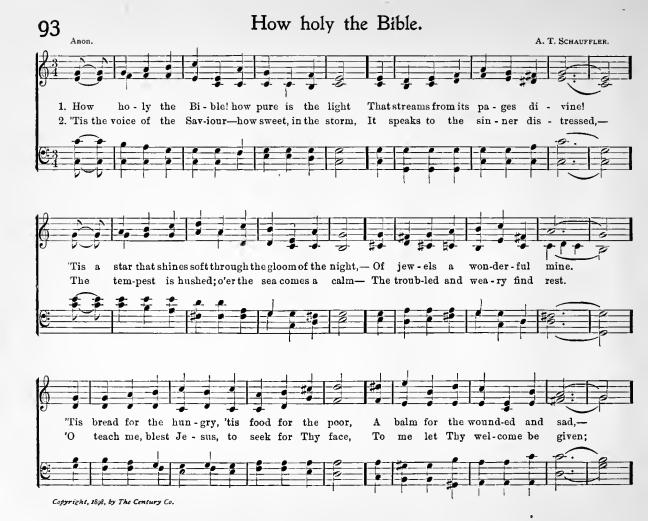
God eternal, Lord of all!





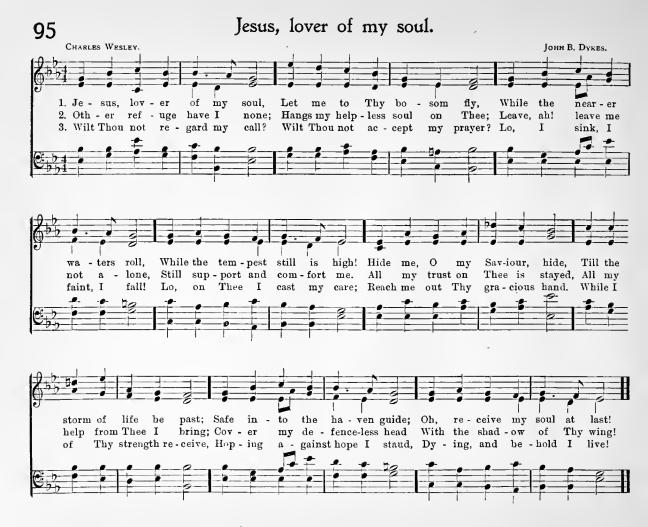






How holy the Bible.—Concluded.





Just as God leads me I would go. 96 LAMPERTUS GEDICKE. WM, F. SHERWIN, would not ask to choose my way, Con - tent with God leads me would go; His hands; That which He 2. Just God leads, I $_{\mathrm{am}}$ con - tent; rest me calm-ly in Fa - ther's will; When rea-son's will re - sign; to 3. Just God leads, I trust me $\mathbf{m}\mathbf{v}$ He leads, my will be - stow, As - sured He will not let me stray. what He commands. I would that He should de - creed and sent- That which His will for me ful - fill: That which His love or rays de - cep - tive shine, His coun - sel would I yet I make, And step by step glad - ly take, A child in Him con - fid - ing. path gra - cious will all ful - fill; That I should do His Inliv - ing or in the light. Him re - sign - ing. right, Be - fore He brought me Mvto

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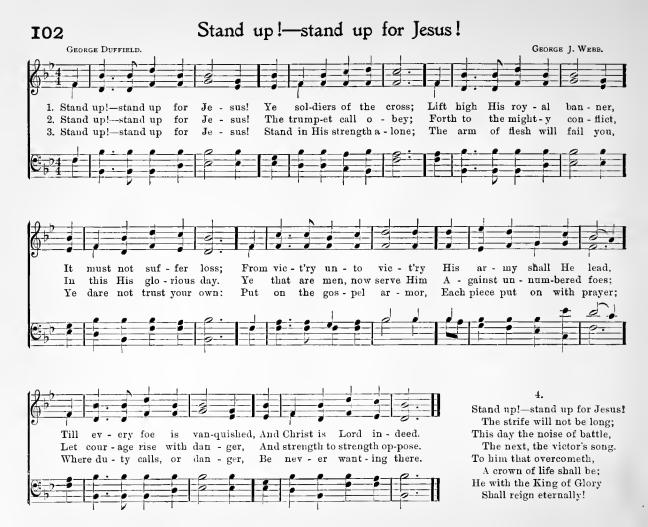


Jerusalem, the golden.





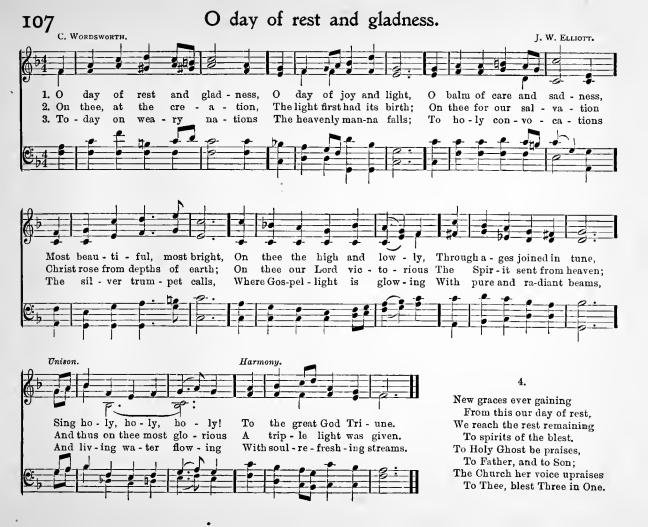




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Ring out, O bells.—concluded.





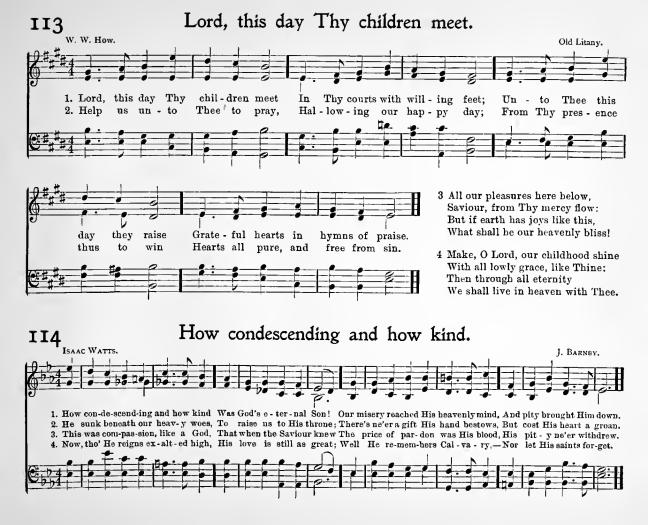
4. And so, thro' all the length of days, Thy goodness fail- eth nev- er: Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise Within Thy house for ev- er.











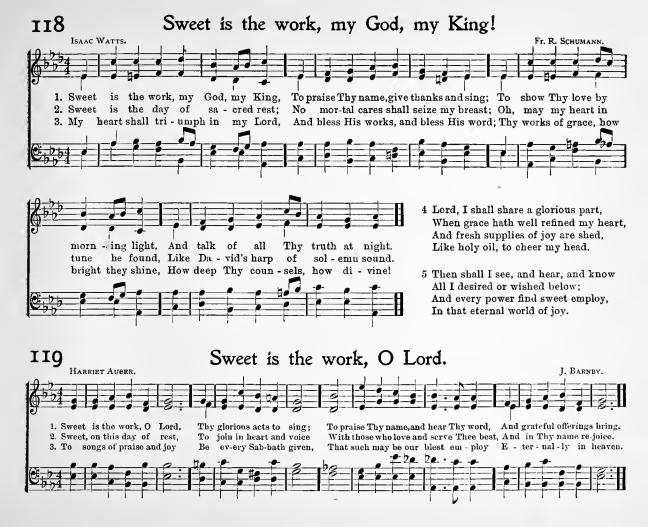








- 3 Thy love, O how faithful! so tender, so pure!
 Thy promise, faith's anchor, how steadfast and sure!
 That love, like sweet sunshine, my cold heart can warm;
 That promise make steady my soul in the storm.
- 4 O then, blessed Jesus, who once for me died,
 Made clean in the fountain that gushed from Thy side,
 I'll see Thy full glory, Thy face shall behold,
 And praise Thee with raptures forever untold.



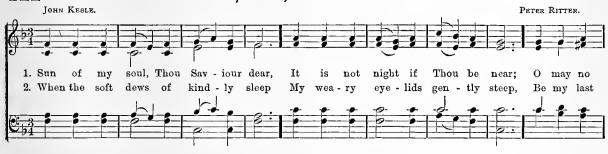


God make my life a little light.—Concluded.



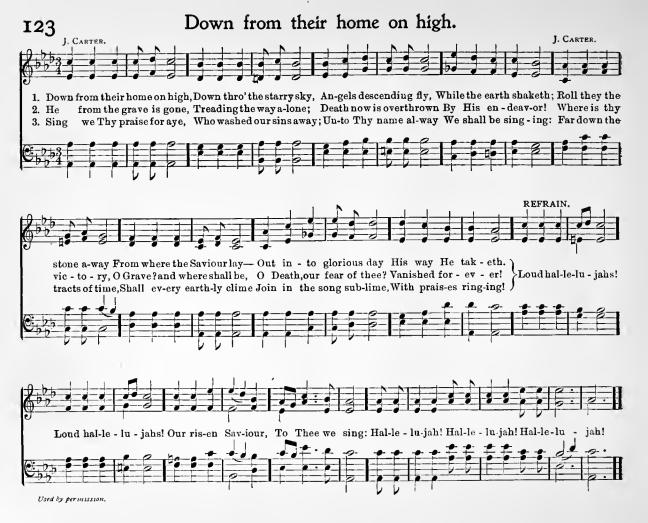
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Sun of my soul, Thou Saviour dear.

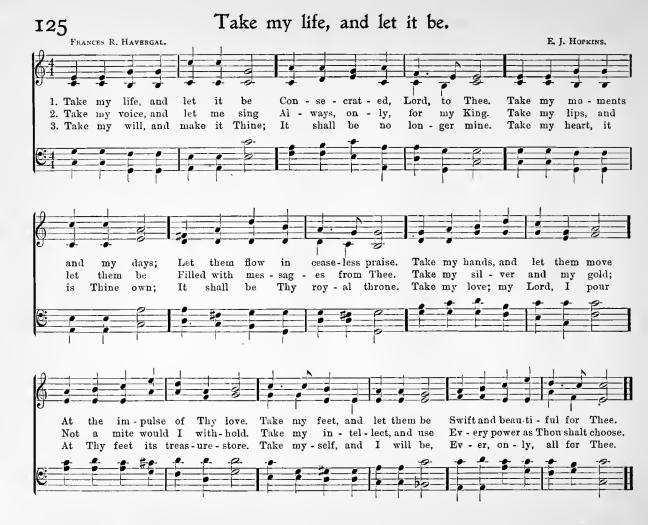


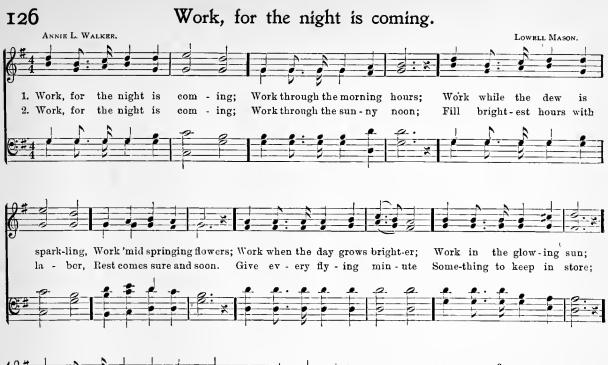


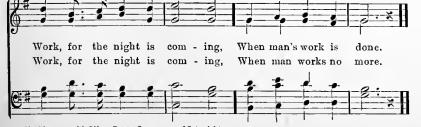
- 3 Abide with me from morn till eve, For without Thee I cannot live; Abide with me when night is nigh, For without Thee I dare not die.
- 4 If some poor wandering child of Thine Have spurned to-day the voice divine, Now, Lord, the gracious work begin; Let him no more lie down in sin.











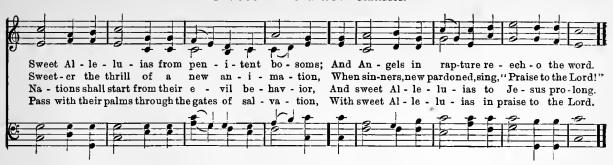
3. Work, for the night is coming,

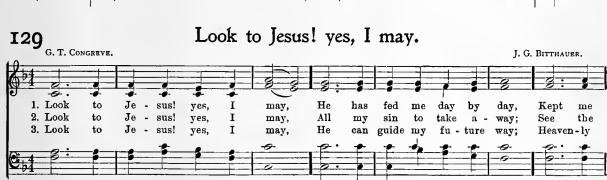
Under the sunset skies;
While their bright tints are glowing,
Work, for daylight flies.
Work till the last heam fadeth,
Fadeth to shine no more;
Work while the night is darkening,
When man's work is o'er.

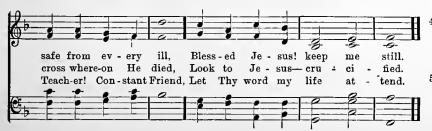
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Sweet Alleluias!—Concluded.

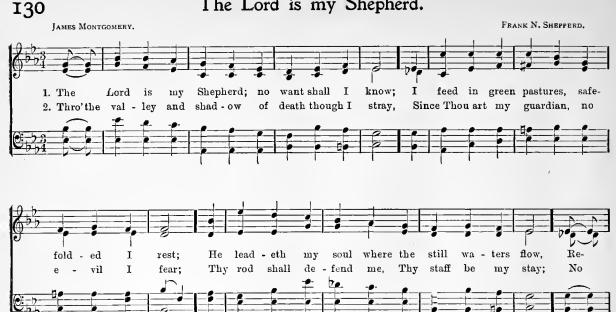






- 4 Look to Jésus! yes, I may, For His Holy Spirit pray, He can cleanse my soul with blood, Draw my wandering heart to God.
- 5 Look to Jesus! yes, I may, Now to heaven He points the way, Let me there, when life is o'er, Look, and love Him evermore.

The Lord is my Shepherd.





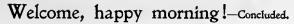
- 3 In the midst of affliction my table is spread; With blessings unmeasured my cup runneth o'er: With perfume and oil Thou anointest my head; O what shall I ask of Thy providence more?
- 4 Let goodness and mercy, my bountiful God, Still follow my steps till I meet Thee above;
- I seek, by the path which my forefathers trod Thro' the land of their sojourn, Thy kingdom of love.













The strife is o'er, the battle done.





He closed the yawning gates of hell;
The bars from heaven's high portals fell;
Let hymns of praise His triumphs tell.
Alleluia!

5.

Lord, by the stripes which wounded Thee, From death's dread sting Thy servants free, That we may live and sing to Thee, Alleluia!

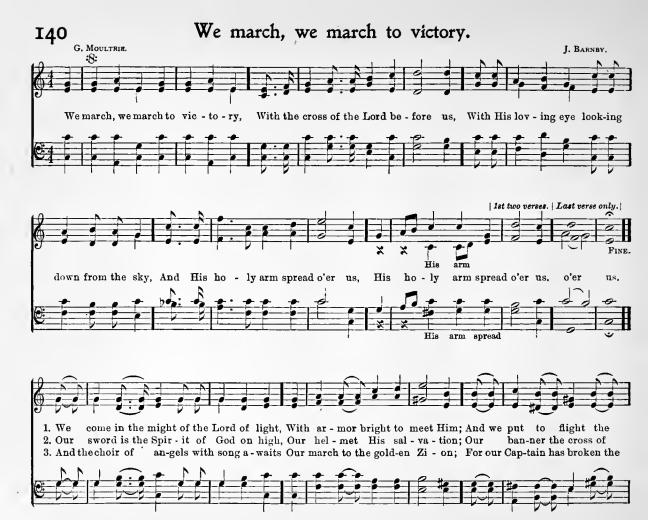


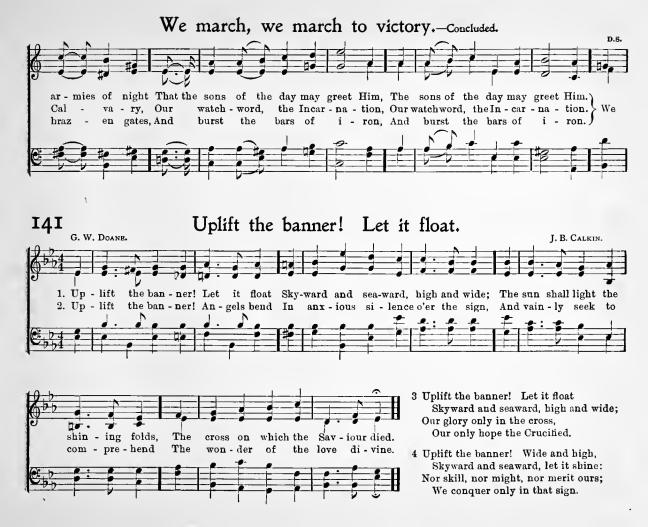


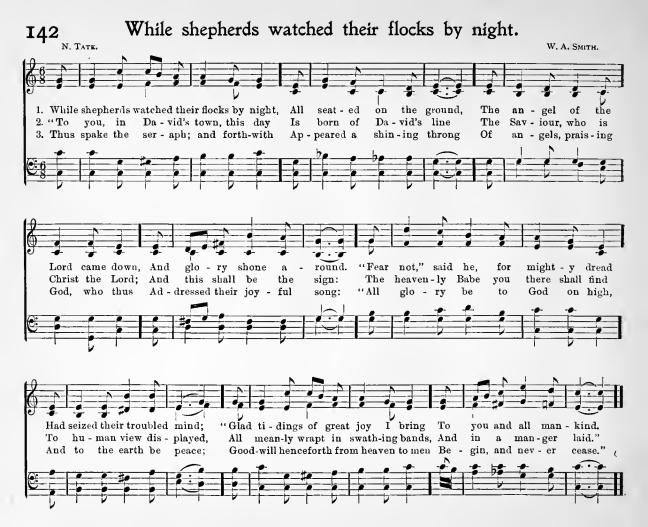
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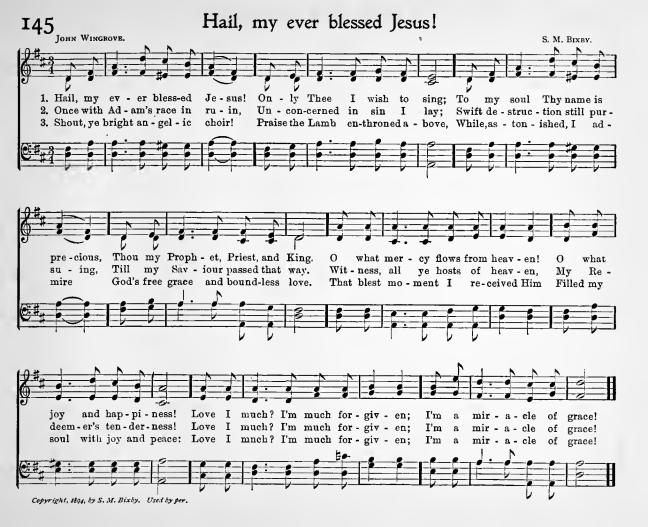












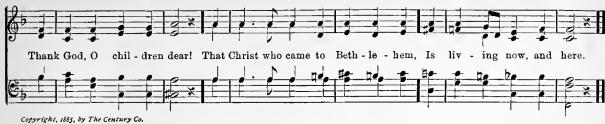


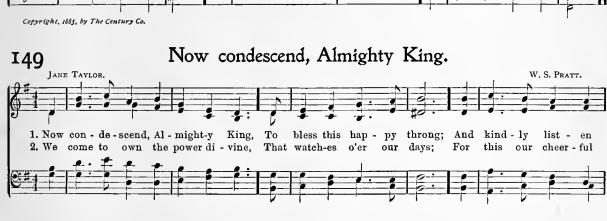


Good news on Christmas morning.

FRANCES J HATTON. Mrs. MARY M. DODGE. For Christ once born in Beth - le - hem. Good news, O chil-dren dear! 1. Good news on Christmas morning, 3. Good news on Christmas morning, Good news, O chil-dren glad! Rare gifts are yours to give the Lord liv - ing now, and here! 2. Good news on Christ-mas morn - ing, Good news, O chil - dren sweet! wise men had. 4. Good news on Christ-mas morn - ing, Good news, O chil - dren fair! to find the Ho - ly Child Is light-ed for your feet. 5. Thank God on Christmas morn - ing, Still doth the one good Shepherd hold The feeb-lest in His care.

Good news on Christmas morning.—Concluded.







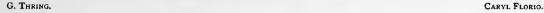
- 3 We come to learn Thy holy word, And ask Thy tender care; Before Thy throne, Almighty Lord, We bend in humble prayer.
- 4 May we in safety pass this day, From sin and danger free; And ever walk in that sure way Which leads to heaven and Thee.

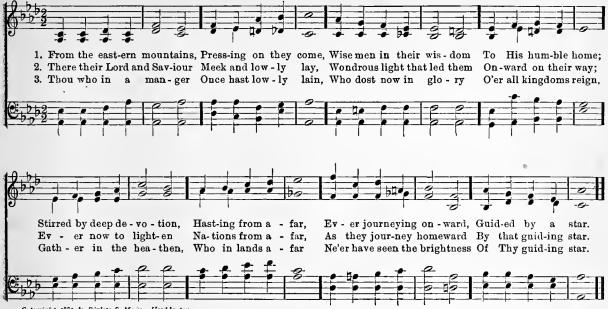












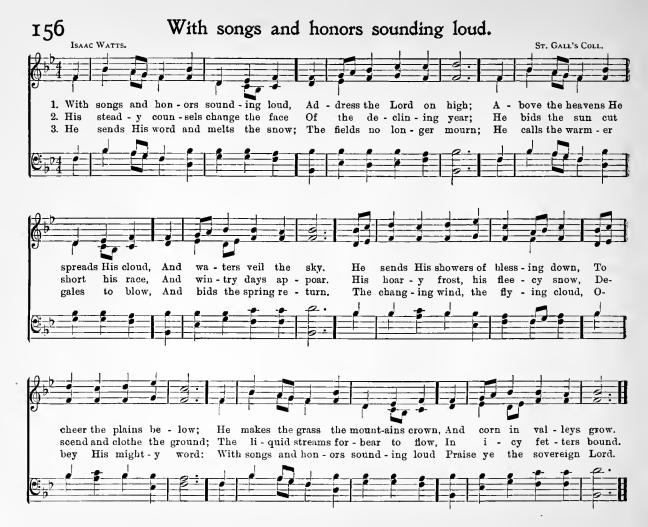
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- 4 Gather in the outcasts,
 All who've gone astray,
 Throw Thy radiance o'er them
 Guide them on their way;
 Those who never knew Thee,
 Those who've wandered far,
 Lead them by the brightness
 Of Thy guiding star.
- 5 Onward through the darkness
 Of the lonely night,
 Shining still before them
 With Thy kindly light,
 Guide them, Jew and Gentile,
 Homeward from afar,
 Young and old together,
 By Thy guiding star—
- 6 Until every nation,
 Whether bond or free,
 'Neath Thy starlit banner,
 Jesus, follows Thee
 O'er the distant mountains
 To that heav'nly home
 Where no sin nor sorrow
 Evermore shall come.



Ye soldiers of the Lord, arise!—Concluded.

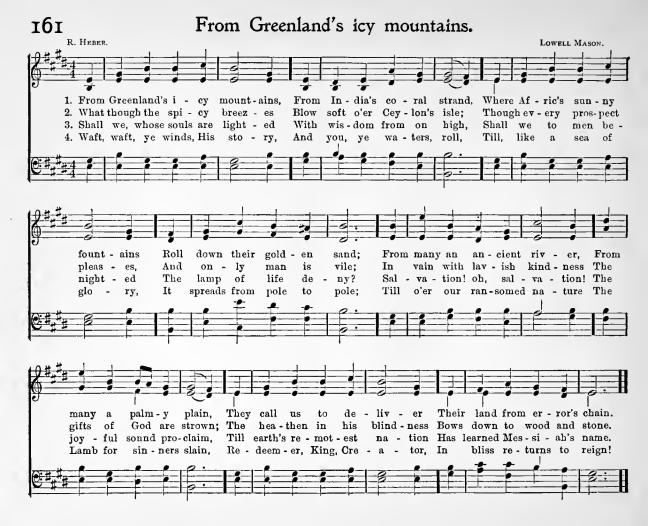










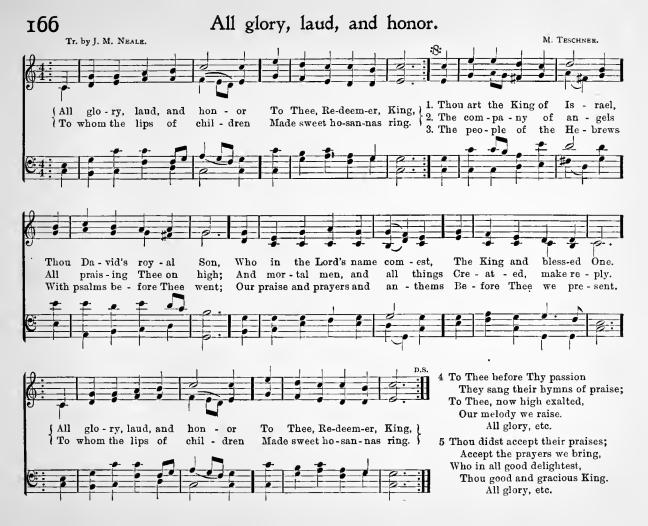


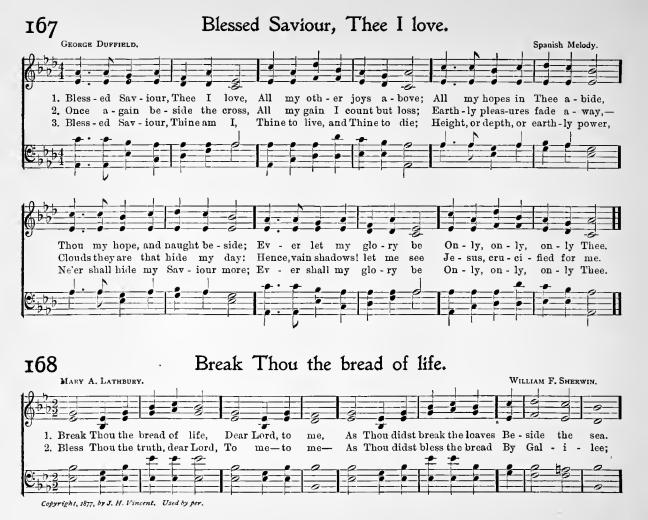
Courage, brother! do not stumble. 162 ARTHUR SULLIVAN. N. MACLEOD. 1. Cour-age, brother! do not stumble, Though thy path be dark as night; There's a star to guide the hum-ble: 2. Per - ish pol - i - cy and cunning, Per - ish all that fears the light; Wheth-er los-ing, wheth-er win-ning, 3. Sim - ple rule and saf- est guid-ing, In - ward peace and in-ward light, Star up-on our path a - bid-ing, "Trust in God, and do the right." Let the road be long and drear-y, And its end far out of sight; "Trust in God, and do the right." Some will hate thee, some will love thee, Some will flat - ter, some will slight; "Trust in God, and do the right." Cour-age, brother! do not stum-ble, Though thy path be dark as night; Foot it bravely-strong or wea-ry: "Trust in God, trust in God, do the right." Trust in God, and the right." Cease from man, and look a-bove thee: "Trust in God, trust in God, God, and Trust in There's a star to guide the humble: "Trust in God, trust iu God, Trust in God. and do the right."

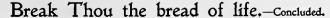


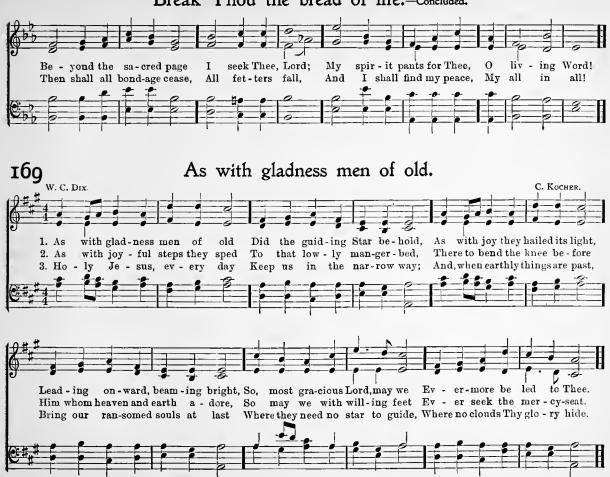












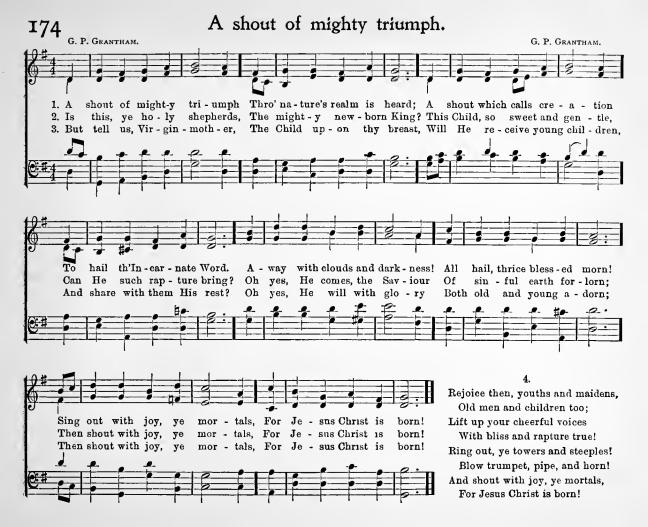










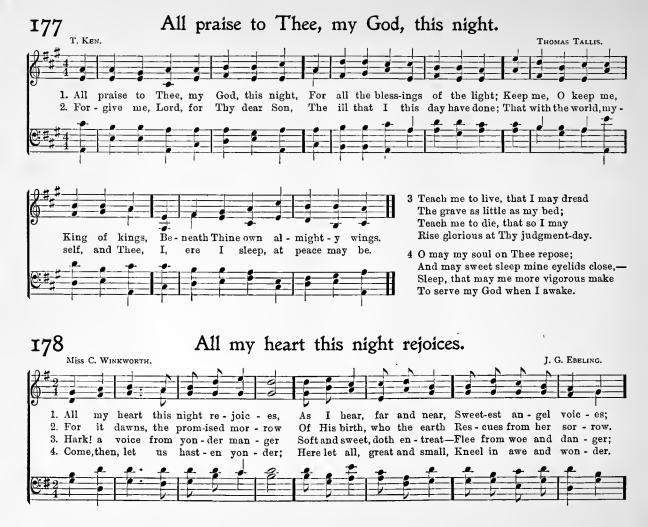




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The Homeland! O the Homeland!





All my heart this night rejoices.—Concluded.

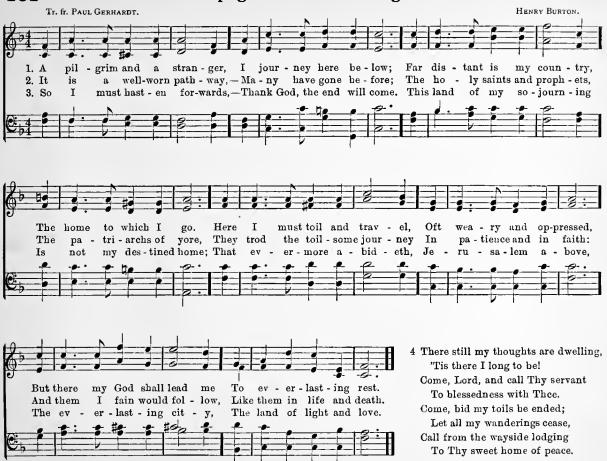


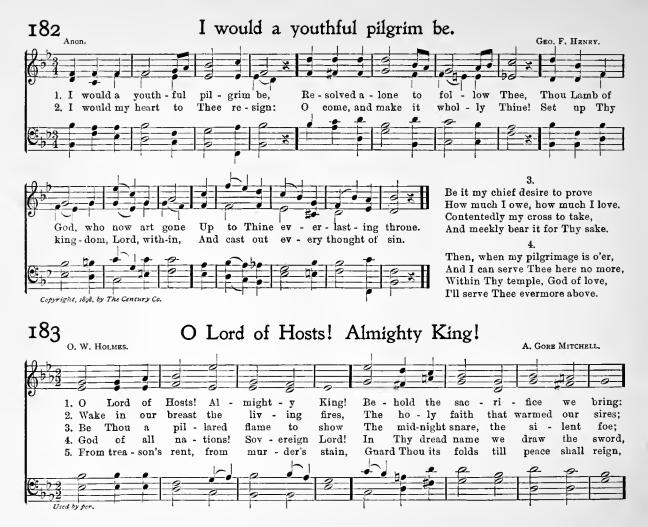


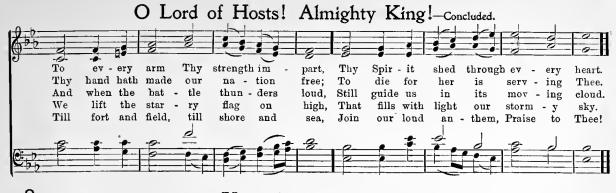
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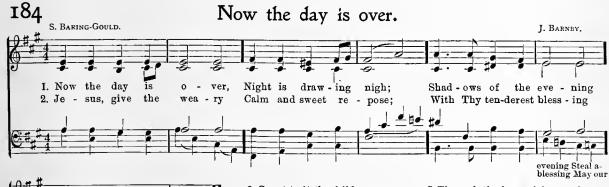
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A pilgrim and a stranger.



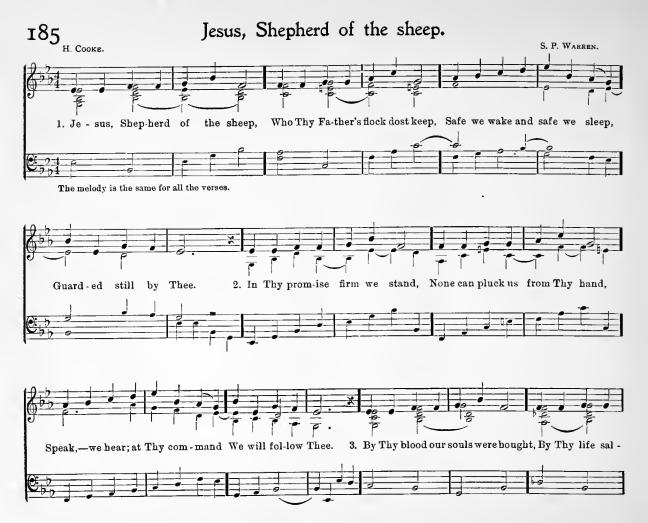








- 3 Grant to little children
 Visions bright of Thee,
 Guard the sailors tossing
 On the deep, blue sea.
- 4 Comfort every sufferer
 Watching late in pain;
 Those who plan some evil
 From their sins restrain.
- 5 Through the long night watches, May Thine angels spread Their white wings above me, Watching round my bed.
- 6 When the morning wakens, Then may I arise Pure, and fresh, and sinless In Thy holy eyes.



Jesus, Shepherd of the sheep.—Concluded.





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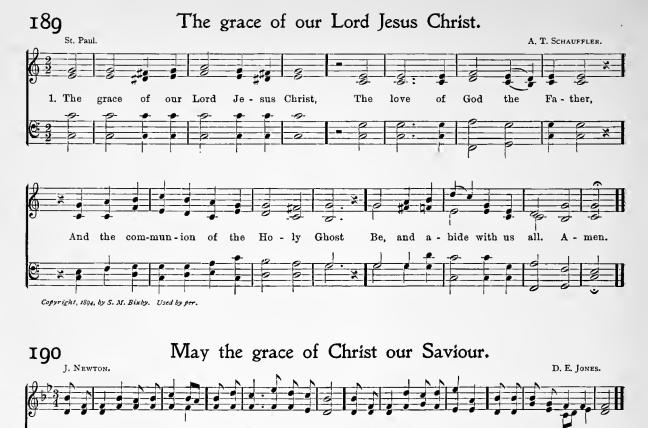
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1 Father of heaven, bless
Missions, with great success,
We humbly pray!
Soon may the gospel sound
Through all the world around,
Till earth's remotest bound
Shall own Thy sway.

Father of heaven, bless.

2 O'er every hill and plain, Washed by the mighty main, Echo the call! Till gods of wood and stone Shall all be overthrown, And Jesus reigns alone, Supreme o'er all! 3 Then spread the gospel's light
Till nations all unite
Beneath His sway!
And let us, as we sing
Praise to our Saviour King,
Our grateful offerings bring,
To haste the day!

Major's "Book of Praise."



- 1. May the grace of Christ, our Saviour, And the Father's boundless love, With the Ho-ly Spir-it's fa-vor, Rest up-on us from a-bove!

 2. Thus may we a-bide in un-ion With each oth-er, and the Lord; And pos-sess, in sweet communion, Joys which earth cannot af-ford.



A mourning class, a vacant seat. 192

- 1 A mourning class, a vacant seat. Tell us that one we loved to meet Will join our youthful throng no more, Till all these changing scenes are o'er. 3 God tells us by this mournful death,
- 2 No more that voice we loved to hear Shall fill a teacher's listening ear;

No more its tones shall join to swell The songs that of a Saviour tell.

How vain and fleeting is our breath, And bids our souls prepare to meet The trial of His judgment-seat.

Anon.

Praise God.

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.

THOMAS KEN.

194 Tune- BOYLSTON.

- 1 Blest he the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love; The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above.
- 2 Before our Father's throne We pour our ardent prayers, Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one-Our comforts, and our cares.
- 3 We share our mutual woes, Onr mutual burdens bear. And often for each other flows The sympathizing tear.

IOHN FAWCETT.

195 Tune-STATE STREET.

- I I LOVE Thy kingdom, Lord-The house of Thine abode-The Church our blest Redeemer saved With His own precious blood.
- 2 I love Thy church, O God! Her walls before Thee stand, Dear as the apple of Thine eye, And graven on Thy hand.
- 3 For her my tears shall fall: For her my prayers ascend, To her my cares and toils be given Till toils and cares shall end. TIMOTHY DWIGHT.

196 Tune-NETTLETON.

- I COME, Thou Fount of every blessing, Tune my heart to sing Thy grace, Streams of mercy, never ceasing. Call for songs of loudest praise. Teach me some melodious sonnet, Sung by flaming tongues above: Praise the mount—I'm fixed upon it! Mount of Thy redeeming love.
- 2 Oh, to grace how great a debtor Daily I'm constrained to be! Let Thy goodness, like a fetter Bind my wandering heart to Thee. Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it-Prone to leave the God I love; Here's my heart! oh, take and seal it! Seal it for Thy courts above. ROBERT ROBINSON.

197 Tune-OUI ON THE OCEAN.

I WE are out on the ocean sailing, Homeward bound we sweetly glide; We are out on the ocean sailing, To a home beyond the tide.

CHORUS.

All the storms will soon be over, Then we'll anchor in the harbor; We are out on the ocean sailing, To a home beyond the tide.

- 2 Millions now are safely landed, Over on the golden shore: Millions more are on their journey, Yet there's room for millions more.
- 3 Spread your sails while heavenly breezes Gently waft your vessel on; All on board are sweetly singing, Sweet salvation is the song.

CHARLES DUNBAR.

198 Tune-EVEN ME.

- I LORD. I hear of showers of blessing. Thou art scattering full and free! Showers the thirsty land refreshing; Let some portion fall on me,
- Chorus.—Even me! even me! Let some portion fall on me.
- 2 Pass me not, O tender Saviour! Let me love and cling to Thee; I am longing for Thy favor; Whilst Thou'rt calling, oh, call me, Even me!
- 3 Pass me not, O mighty Spirit Thou canst make the blind to see; Witnesser of Jesus' merit. Speak the word of power to me. Even me!
- 4 Have I long in sin been sleeping? Long been slighting, grieving Thee? Has the world my heart been keeping? Oh, forgive and rescue me, Even me!
- 5 Pass me not! this lost one bringing, Tis but one more, Lord, for Thee! All my heart to Thee is springing; Blessing others, oh, bless me, Even me!

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Elizabeth Codner.

199 Tune-HE LEADETH ME.

I HE leadeth me! O blessed thought, O words with heavenly comfort fraught! Whate'er I do, where'er I be, Still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.

REFRAIN.

He leadeth me, He leadeth me, By His own hand He leadeth me; His faithful follower I would be, For by His hand He leadeth me.

- 2 Sometimes 'mid scenes of deepest gloom, Sometimes where Eden's bowers bloom By waters still, o'er troubled sea,-Still 'tis His hand that leadeth me!
- 3 Lord! I would clasp Thy hand in mine, Nor ever murmur nor repine, Content whatever lot I sec. Since 'tis my God that leadeth me.
- 4 And when my task on earth is done, When hy Thy grace the victory's won, Ev'n death's cold wave I will not flee, Since God through Jordan leadeth me. IOSEPH H. GILMORE.

200 Tune-SHEPHERD.

- 1 Saviour, like a shepherd lead us: Much we need Thy tender care; In Thy pleasant pastures feed us: For our use Thy folds prepare: Blessed Jesus! Thon hast bought us. Thine we are.
- 2 Thou hast promised to receive us, Poor and sinful though we be; Thou hast mercy to relieve us, Grace to cleanse, and power to free: Blesséd Jesus! Let us early turn to Thee.
- 3 Early let us seek Thy favor, Early let us learn Thy will; Do Thon, Lord, our only Saviour, With Thy love our hosoms fill: Blesséd Jesus! Thou hast loved us: love us still.

HENRY F. LYTE.

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