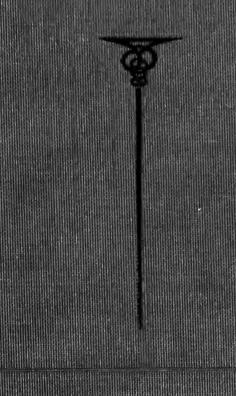
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### SUNDAY SCHOOL VOICES

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#### **FOREWORD**

Sunday School Voices is not a one man affair. It is the product of many minds, who viewed the musical needs of the modern Bible School, with its numerous departments, from all angles of vision. It is a composite work. The key struck is not too high to be attainable, nor too low to be effective.

Sunday School Voices is rich in new material of a high order, and this for the most part is simple and melodious, without being commonplace. Too often Sunday school songs are at fault in that they are either too low or too high for children's voices. Few melodies in the collection are open to this criticism.

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The Son of God Goes Forth to War. Henry S. Cutler. Reginald Heber. 1. The Son of God goes forth to war, A king-ly crown to 2. The mar-tyr first, whose ea - gle eye Could pierce be-yond the gain: glo - rious band, the cho - sen few On whom the Spir - it ar - mv. men and boys. The ma - tron and the maid. Who blood - red ban - ner streams a - far: fol-lows in his the sky, saw his Mas - ter in And called on save: Twelve val - iant saints, their hope they knew, And mocked the cross and flame: A - round the throne of God re - joice. In robes of light Tri - um - phant o - ver can drink his cup of woe, par - don on his tongue In midst of mor - tal ty - rant's bran-dished steel, The li - on's go - ry Like him. with par - don pain. the mane: steep as cent of heav'n, Thro' per - il, They climbed the pa - tient bears his cross. be - low. fol - lows his train. He prayed for them that the wrong: Who fol - lows did his train? in They bowed their necks the death to feel: Who fol - lows in their train? fol - low God. may grace be giv'n To in their train.

he is al-ways near; To be a friend of Je-sus is a joy un-told.

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#### The Life of Love.









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#### Rise and Follow Jesus.





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#### They Shall Shine.





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#### The Victory May Depend on You.





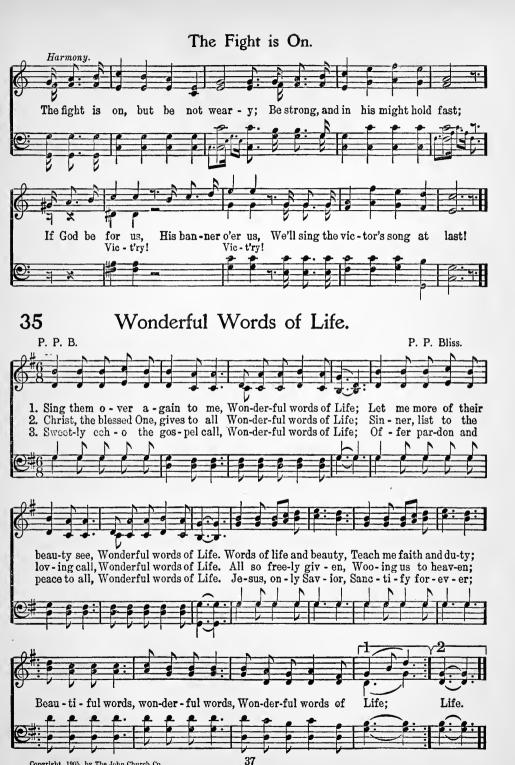
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# 36 Keep the Glad Song Ringing in Your Heart.











#### He Leads Me Still.



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### Rally for Work.



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## 47 I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go.













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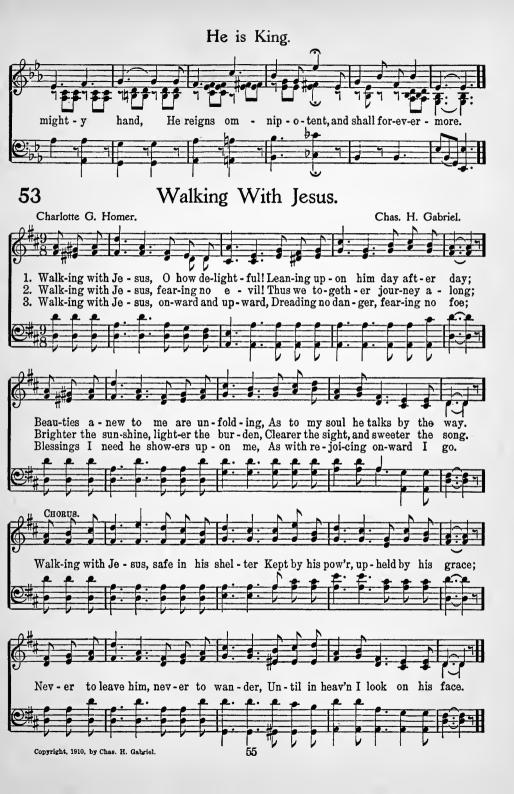
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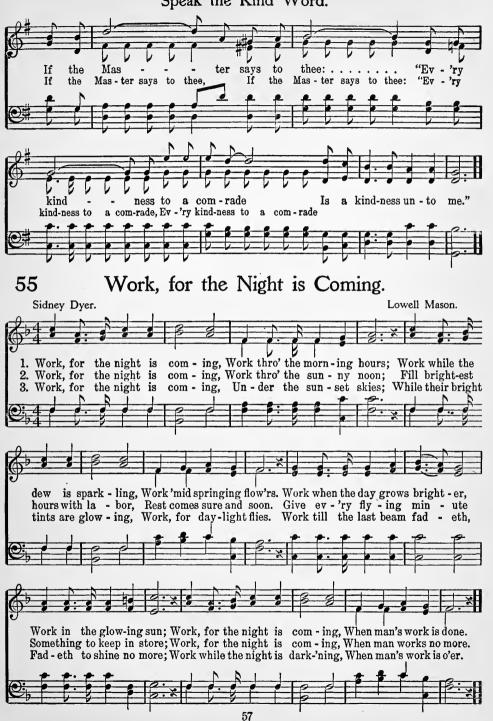
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## Speak the Kind Word.



Glo - ry, glo - ry, hear the

leads the way.

Our might-y, might-y Sav - ior leads the way.

#### Awake! Awake!



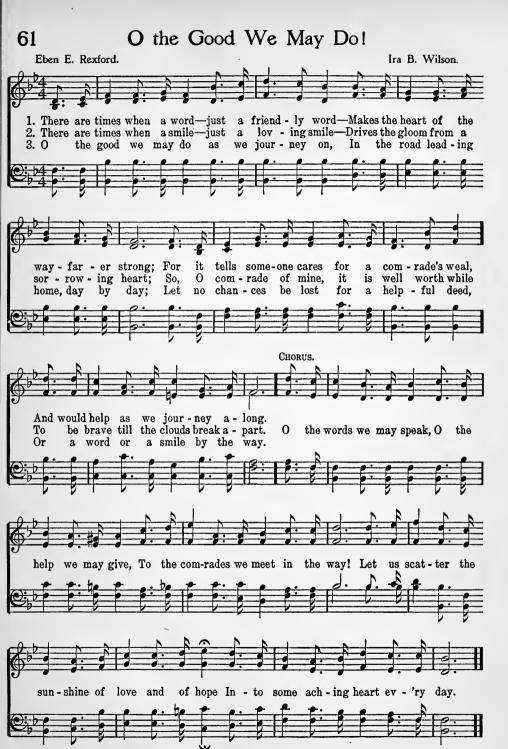
























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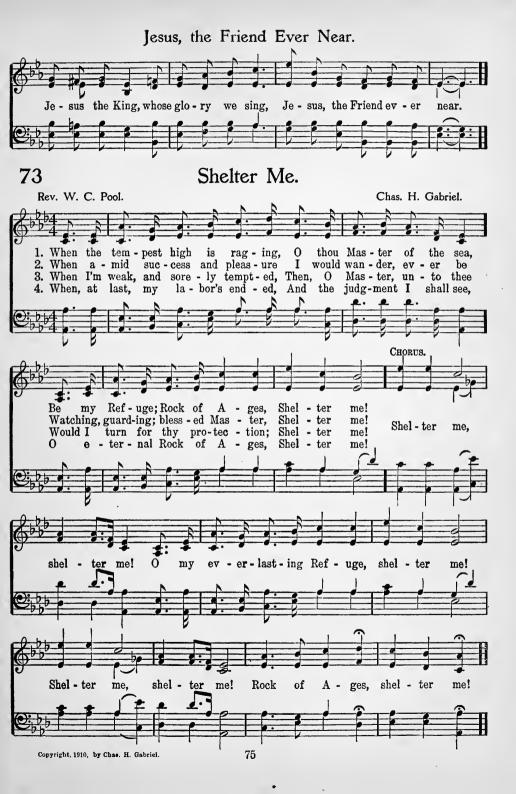


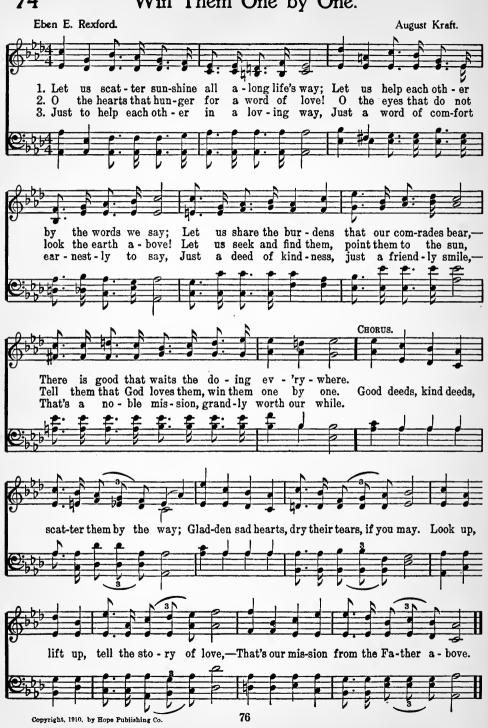
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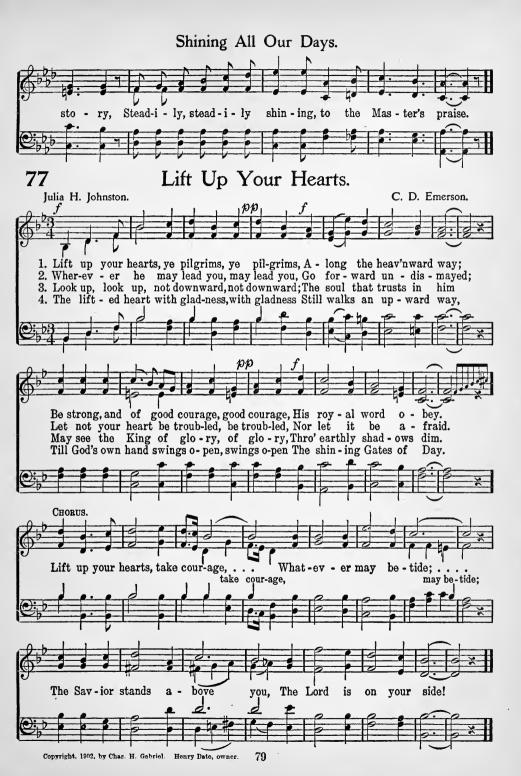


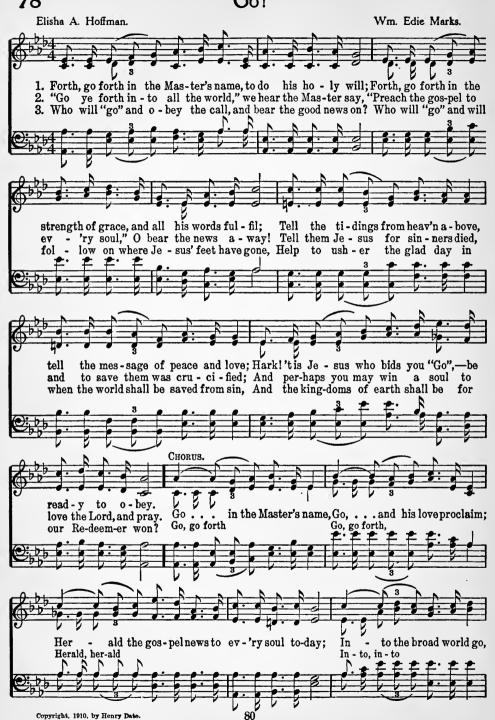




Ira B. Wilson. Julia H. Johnston, 1. There's a call comes ring-ing from the courts a - bove, Who will go 2. There's no time to tar-ry, for the task is great, Who will go the world's great harvest there is work for all, Who will go to-day?
Who will go to-day? 3. In a call for help-ers, from the Lord of Love; Who will go Tis to-day? Who will go Pre-cious grain is fall-ing while you i - dly wait; to-day? Who will go to-day? Lest the grain, full rip - ened, to de-struc-tion fall, Who will go to - day? CHORUS. Who the voice of mer - cy will o - bey? Has - ten to the la - bor while you may. There is work to Who will bear the rip-ened sheaves a - way? There is call you, And the gold - en hours are pass - ing by; work do, and there's a call for you; An-swer glad - ly, "Here am Copyright, 1908 and 1910, by Hope Publishing Co.







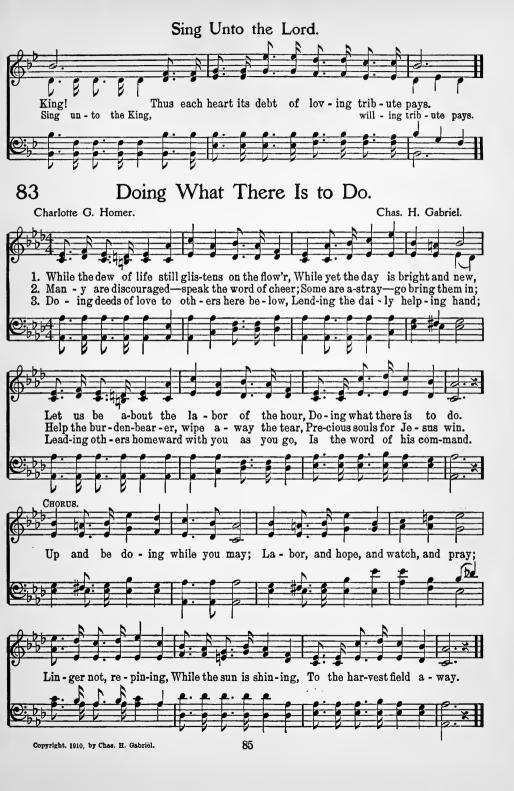






## Sing Unto the Lord.







# Hearts to Do Thy Bidding.



Howard B. Grose. I. H. Maunder. Arr. by C. S. B. no King To him all knees shall 1. There is but Je - sus! bow: bey forth and preach the gos - pel; the King's com - mand, the black, the Je - sus! 3. There no King but The red. brown. own thee King, Lord Je - sus! As cend thy right - ful throne: and frees Glo -From he saves us: ry en-crowns his brow. Till and heed Thro' - out this fa - vored land. men shall hear it, the white The yel - low and Shall ten-der him the crown. man, Thro' our land in pow gra-cious will make To dawn - ing day all lands God the are com - ing; speed All God To peo ples is send - ing share our lib - er - ty; To him the high and low - ly Are one in their es - tate: Use giv - ing. us or, Some oth er · soul send. go. When this great land shall hail him, And own his roy - al sway. King, tion: "Our Ring out the proc - la - ma he makes men free!" He ly mak - eth ho ly, He on - ly mak - eth great! on Till all, grace re - ceiv ing. Shall find thee King and f REFRAIN. To Christ our King Our land we bring; His glad and full

### Christ Our King.



## Sweet, Sunny Smiles.









## Jesus Will Be With Me.





94 Work Out Your Own Salvation.



















#### Haste Away.

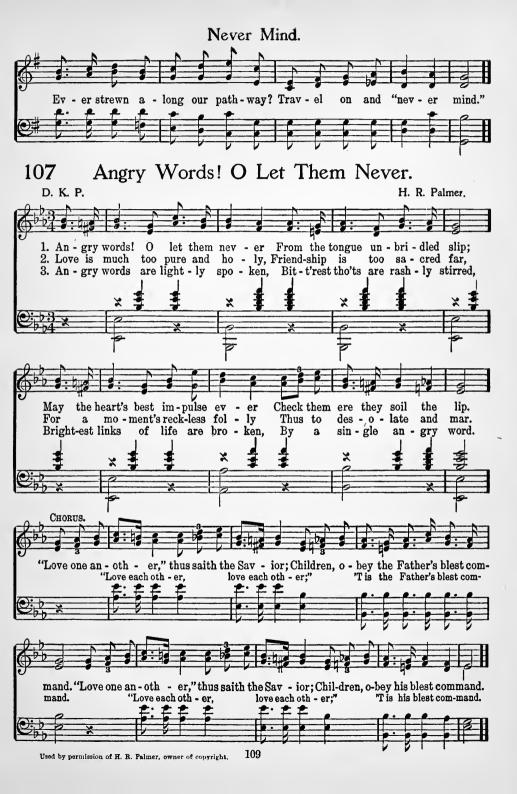






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## The Cloud and Fire.





# He is Worthy.



## He is Worthy. Un - til earth his glo - ry sings, Crown him Lord of lords and King of kings. 113 God is Goodness, God is Love. Ira B. Wilson. James Rowe. 1. Song-birds in the wood-lands sing it, Flow - ers breathe it in the grove. 2. Smil - ing plains and vales dis - play it, tell it as they rove, Breez - es 3. Lakes and seas with joy re - veal it. Suns pro-claim it from a - bove. Bells in tow'r and stee - ple ring love. it,— God is good-ness, God is it,— God it,— God Riv - ers, rills, and brook - lets love. say is good-ness, God is In our hearts to - day we feel is good-ness, God is love. CHORUS. Lift your voi - ces, hap-py, hap-py voi - ces, And the sun - ny hours of life im-prove; Praise him for his count-less bless-ings,-God is good-ness, God is

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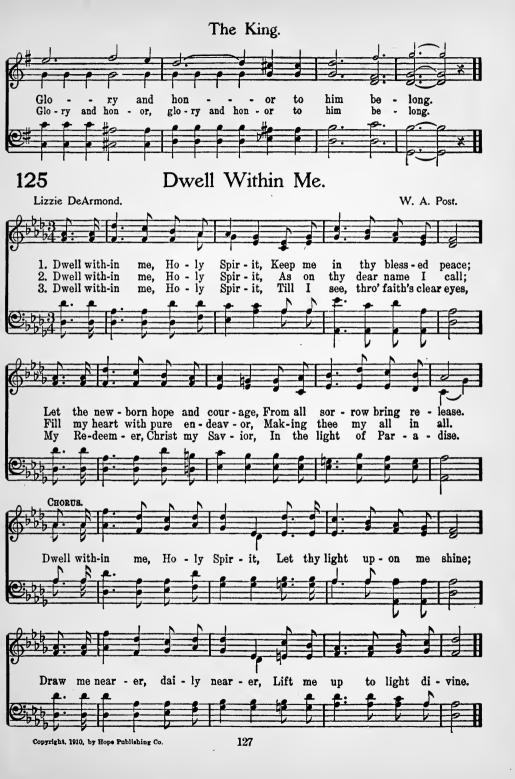




#### Bear Them the News.



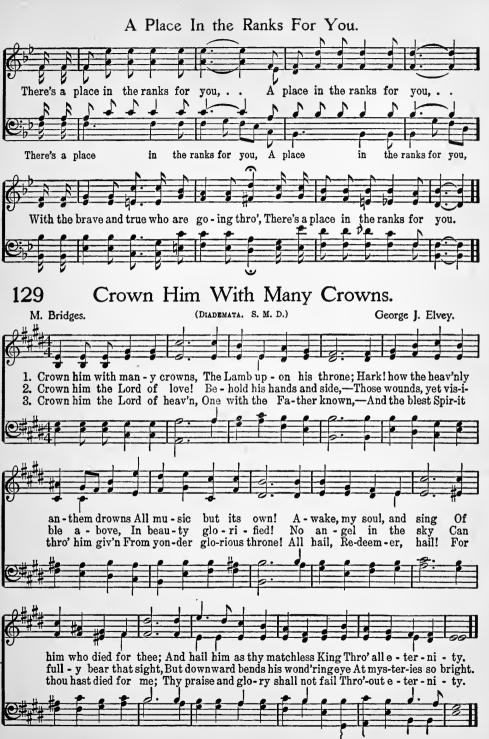












Maggie A. Gregory. Chas. H. Gabriel. to your Guide as a - long, The dan - gers jour - ney 1. Keep close you are 2. Keep close to your Guide, for no oth - er can show The snares that are to your Guide, he 3. Keep close will lead you a - right And give you the great and the en - e - my strong, The con - flict fierce be - tween He trav - eled who set in the path where you go; the way, and win the great fight; He'll bring you last the cour - age to to CHORUS. right and the wrong,—Keep close . . . to your Guide! Keep close . . . to your bet - ter can know?—Keep close . . . to your Guide! man-sions of light,—Keep close . . . to your Guide! Keep close to your Guide, whatkeep close be - tide; . . what - ev In er be - tide, Keep close to your Guide, what - ev - er sun-shine or rain, Keep close, keep close to your Guide! joy orin pain, in  $\frac{\bullet}{132}$ Copyright, 1909, by Chas. H. Gabriel.



# Shepherd of Israel.

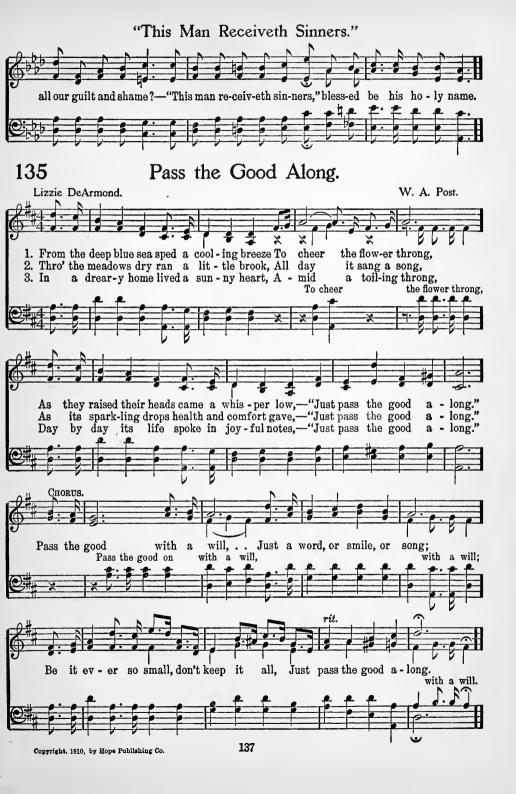


### Sunshine In the Soul.

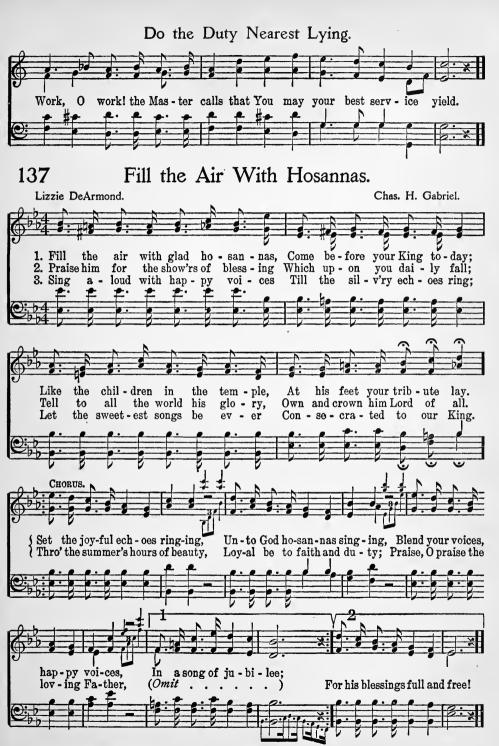


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grate-ful e-mo-tion; Give him, with gladness, our ear-nest de-vo-tion; Then will his love, roll-ing on like the o-cean, Fill ev-'ry heart with its ful-ness to-day.

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#### Carry the Sunlight.



W. E. M. Wm. Edie Marks. foe 1. When the is press - ing near, -Sur - ren - der not! in you, - Sur - ren - der not! the trust im - posed 3. Cling Je - sus thro' the strife, -Sur - ren - der not! sur - ren Christ will help you, nev - er fear, - Sur - ren - der not! and true,—Sur - ren - der your life,—Sur - ren - der be, er lov - al not! Cling him thro' all not! to y not,—the fight pro-long, the vows that you have made, Nev yield un - to the wrong, Wear - y er that Je - sus paid, the debt By place a - mong the brave. Keep the prom - ise that you gave, Keep in a song,-Sur - ren - der Cheer the faint - ing with not! not fade, Sur - ren - der the crown that shall not! Trust the Lord to keep and save, -Sur - ren - der not! Sur - ren - der CHORUS. Sur - ren - der sur - ren - der not! not! Sur - ren - der not! der not! sur - ren -

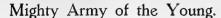
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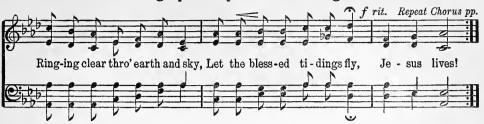
















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The King's Praise.

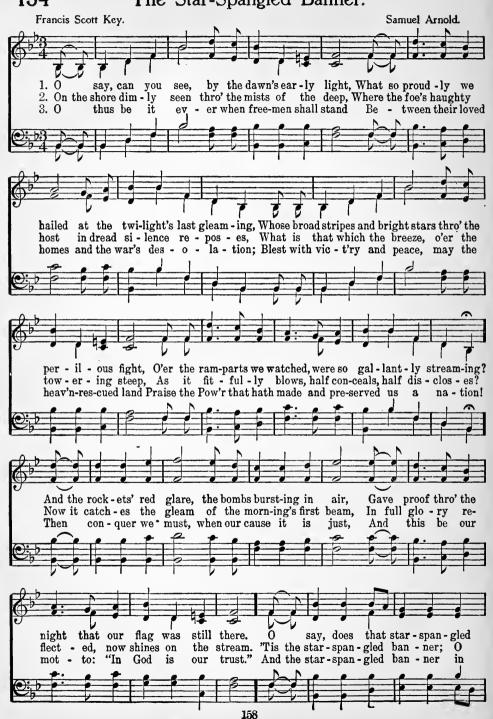


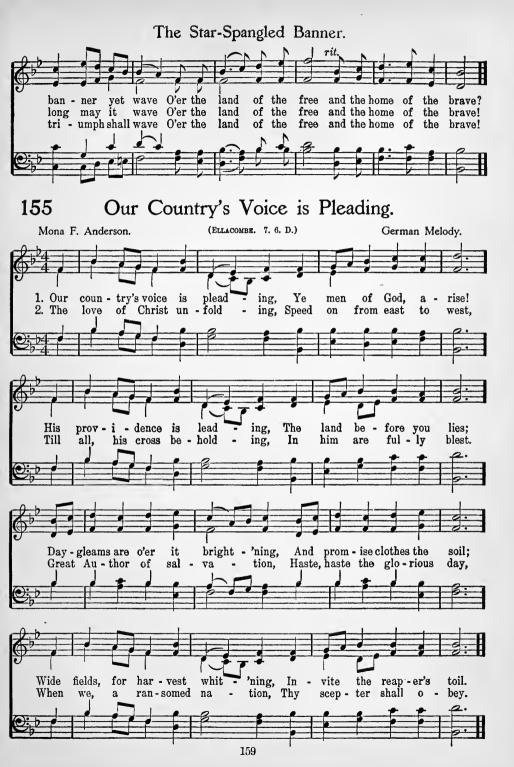
# The Flag of the Free.



#### My Own America.

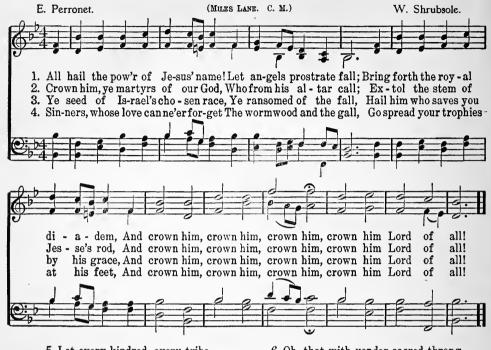






#### FAMILIAR HYMNS.

## 156 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

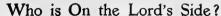


- 5 Let every kindred, every tribe, On this terrestrial ball, To him all majesty ascribe, And crown him Lord of all!
- 6 Oh, that with yonder sacred throng
  We at his feet may fall,
  Join in the everlasting song,
  And crown him Lord of all!









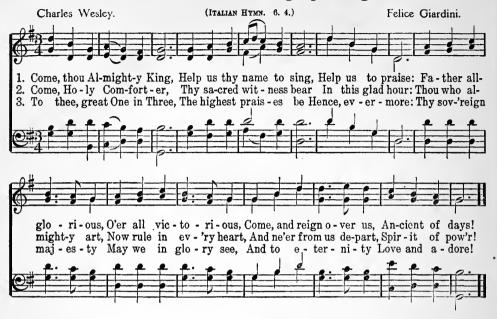


5 In heaven's eternal bliss
The loveliest strain is this,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Let earth, and sea, and sky,
From depth to height reply,
May Jesus Christ be praised!

6 Be this, while life is mine,
My canticle divine,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Be this the eternal song
Through ages all along,
May Jesus Christ be praised!



#### Come, Thou Almighty King.



#### 164 Around the Throne of God in Heaven.



#### Around the Throne of God in Heaven.



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# Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me.



Rock of A-ges, cleft for me, Let me hide my-self in thee; Let the wa-ter and the blood,
 Not the la-bor of my hands Can fulfil thy law's demands; Could my zeal no respite know,





From thy riven side which flowed, Be of sin the double cure, Cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r. Could my tears for-ev-er flow, All for sin could not a-tone; Thou must save, and thou alone.



- 3 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, Savior, or I die.
- 4 While I draw this fleeting breath, When mine eyelids close in death, When I soar to worlds unknown, See thee on thy judgment throne, Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in thee.

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#### SECOND TUNE.



### I Need Thee Every Hour.



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# Shepherd of Tender Youth.

Tr. H. M. Dexter. (Kirby Bedon. 6. 6. 4. 6. 6. 6. 4.)

E. Bunnett.

1. Shep-herd of ten-der youth, Guiding in love and truth, Thro'devious ways; Christ our tri-

- 1. Shep-herd of ten-der youth, Guiding in love and truth, Thro'devious ways; Christ our tri-2. Thou art our ho-ly Lord, The all-sub-du-ing Word, Heal-er of strife; Thou didst thy-
- 3. Thou art the great High Priest; Thou hast prepared the feast Of heav'nly love; In all our
- 4. Ev er be thou our Guide, Our Shepherd and our Pride, Our Staff and Song; Je sus, thou 5. So now, and till we die, Sound we thy prais-es high, And joy ful sing; Let all the

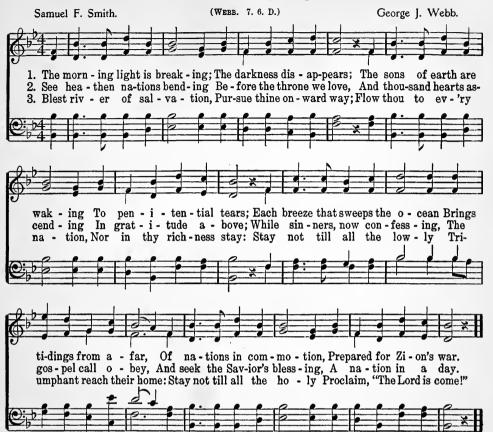
# Shepherd of Tender Youth.



# 170 Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken.



#### The Morning Light.

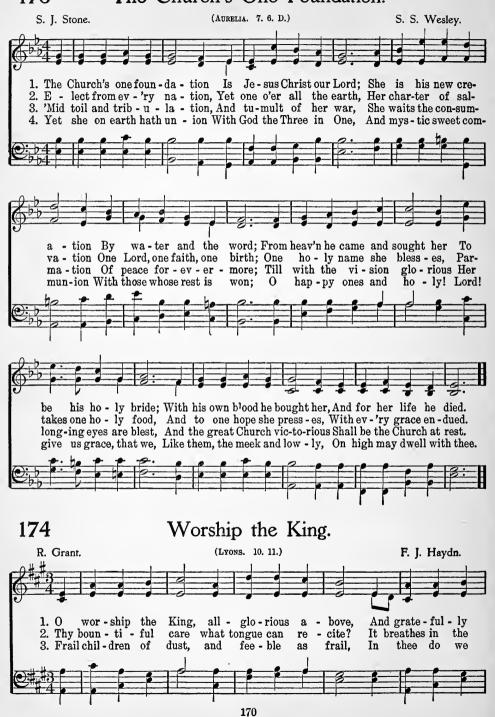


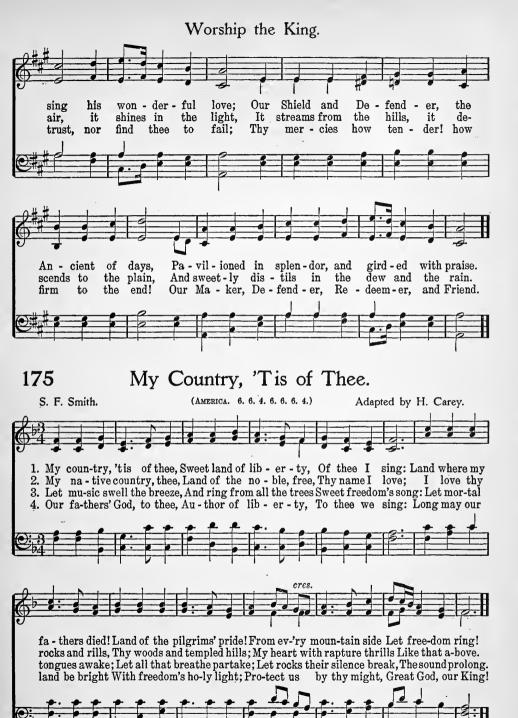
# 172 Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus.

- 1 Stand up, stand up for Jesus,
  Ye soldiers of the cross;
  Lift high his royal banner,
  It must not suffer loss:
  From victory unto victory
  His army shall he lead,
  Till every foe is vanquished,
  And Christ is Lord indeed.
- 2 Stand up, stand up for Jesus,
  The trumpet call obey;
  Forth to the mighty conflict,
  In this his glorious day:
  "Ye that are men, now serve him,"
  Against unnumbered foes;
  Your courage rise with danger,
  And strength to strength oppose.
- 3 Stand up, stand up for Jesus,
  Stand in his strength alone;
  The arm of flesh will fail you;
  Ye dare not trust your own:
  Put on the gospel armor,
  Each piece put on with prayer;
  Where duty calls, or danger,
  Be never wanting there.
- 4 Stand up, stand up for Jesus,
  The strife will not be long;
  This day the noise of battle,
  The next the victor's song:
  To him that overcometh,
  A crown of life shall be;
  He with the King of glory
  Shall reign eternally.

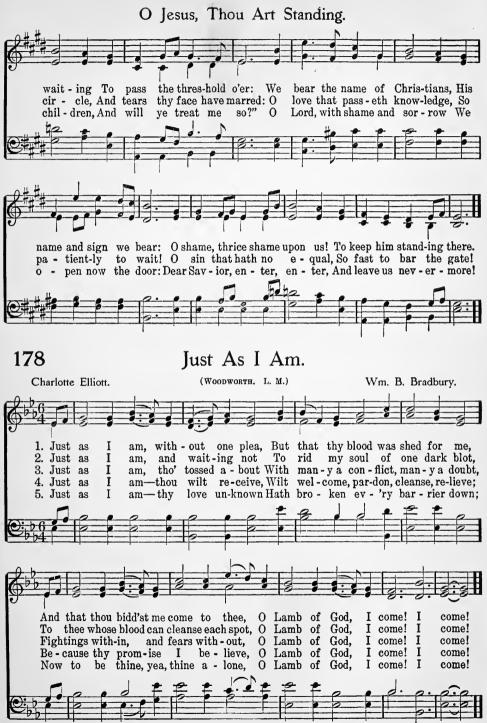
George Duffield, Jr.

#### The Church's One Foundation.









#### Blest Be the Tie.

(DENNIS. S. M.) John Fawcett. H. G. Naegeli. the binds Our hearts Chris - tian Blest he tie that fore 2. Be • our Fa - ther's throne We pour our ar - dent prayers; 3. We share our mu - tual woes: Our mu tual bur - dens bear: 4. When sun - der part. It gives us in - ward pain; fel - low - ship of kin - dred minds Is like to that hopes, our aims are one. Our com - forts and Our fears, our our cares. flows each oth - er The sym - pa - thiz - ing And oft - en for heart, And hope to But we shall still be joined in meet 180 I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord. (ST. THOMAS. S. M.) Timothy Dwight Aaron Williams. thv king - dom, Lord, The house of thine a - bode, love thy Church, O God! Her walls love be - fore thee stand. my fall. For her prayers as - cend; 3. For her tears shall my prize 4. Be - vond high - est joy Ι her heav'n-lv my ways. The Church our blest Re - deem - er saved With his own pre - cious blood. on thine hand. the ap - ple of thine eye. And gra - ven cares shall end. my cares and toils be giv'n, Till toils and Her sweet com - mun - ion, sol - emn vows, Her hymns love and praise. of

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#### Now the Day is Over.





#### My Faith Looks Up to Thee.

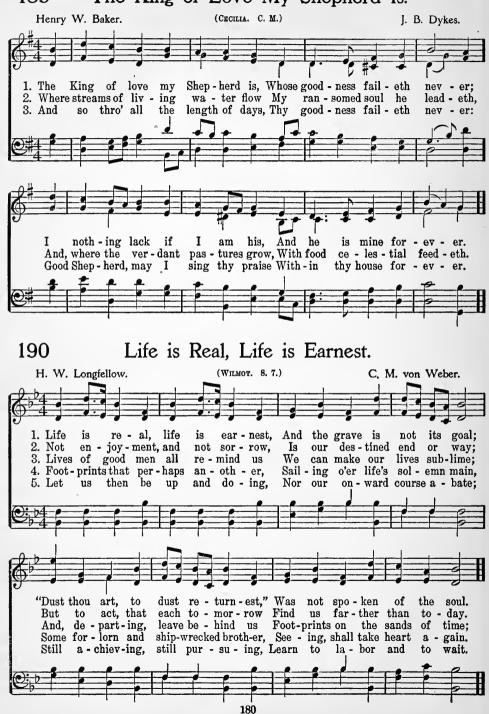




## Safely Through Another Week.



## 189 The King of Love My Shepherd Is.

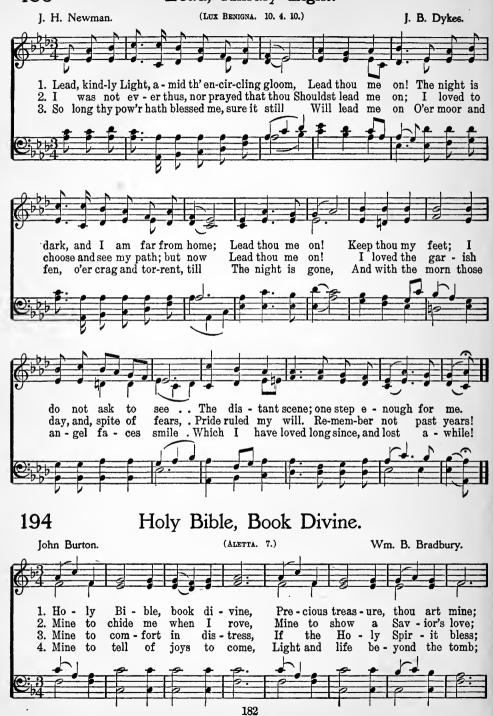




#### The Heavenly Steeps.



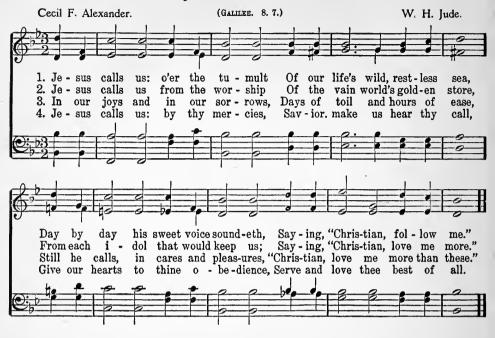
#### Lead, Kindly Light.



#### Holy Bible, Book Divine.



#### Jesus Calls Us.



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#### Parting Hymn.



- Sav 10r, a-gain to thy dear name we raise, With one accord, our parting hymn of praise;
   Grant us thy peace up-on our homeward way; With thee began, with thee shall end the day;
- 3. Grant us thy peace, Lord, thro' the coming night, Turn thou for us its darkness in-to light;
  4. Grant us thy peace thro'-out our earthly life. Our balm in sor-row, and our stay in strife;

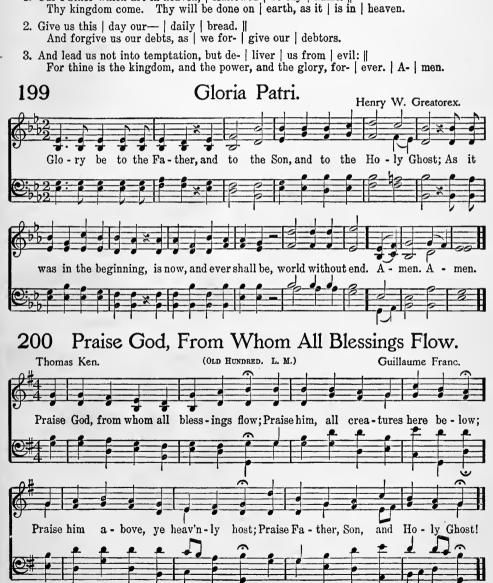


We stand to bless thee ere our wor-ship cease, Then, still de-lay-ing, wait thy word of peace. Guard thou the lips from sin, the hearts from shame, That in this house have called upon thy name. From harm and dan-ger keep thy children free, For dark and light are both a - like to thee. Then, when thy voice shall bid our conflict cease, Call us, O Lord, to thine e - ter-nal peace.





1. Our Father which art in heaven, | Hallowed | be thy | name. ||



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#### 201 Give Him Praise. Ada Blenkhorn. Ira B. Wilson. 1. Ev-'ry lit - tle bird that sings, Flit-ting by on shin-ing wings, 2. In the meadows where they grow, By the streams that gently flow, 3. Ev - 'ry in - sect that we Ev-'ry but-ter-fly and bee, see, 4. We are more than bird or Or the love - ly flow'rs we see; bee, rings, True and sweet its car - ol Gives sweet praise to sus. the flow'rs that bud and blow. Give sweet praise to Je. sus. Poised a - loft on wing so Gives sweet praise to Je sus. free, his good-ness now we Give sweet praise Je sus. CHORUS. We will give Sav - ior praise, Love and serve him all our days; our Give him praise, yes, give him praise, Give our praise to Je - sus. 186

## Shining, Blooming, Singing.

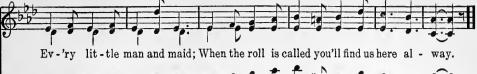


#### The Rainy Day Brigade.



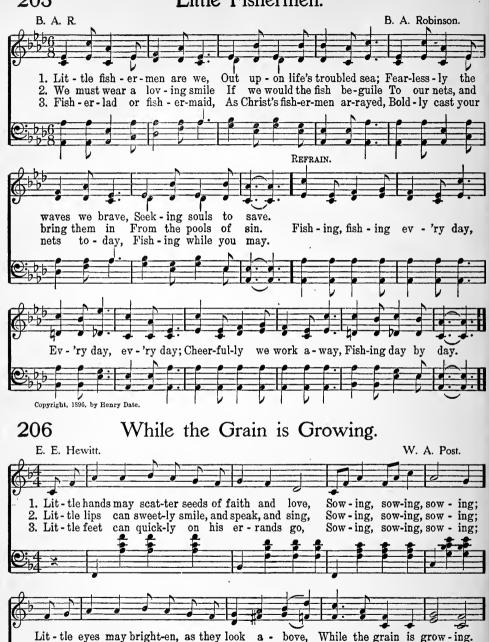
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# The Rainy Day Brigade.









bring, While the grain is grow-ing.

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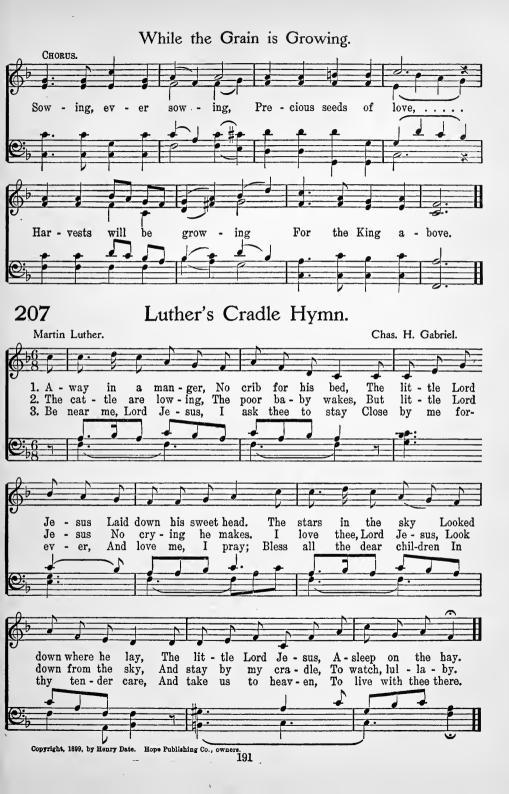
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While the grain is grow-ing.

Hap-py in

Gen-tle words, and truth-ful, will a bless-ing

his serv-ice, for he loves us



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#### CHRISTMAS DEPARTMENT.

## Long Ago in Bethlehem. 209 W. A. Post. Iulia E. Burnard. 1. Long a - go in Beth - le - hem, Far a - way a - cross the sea, Je - sus lived, a 2. Je - sus, now in heav'n a - bove, Knows the children, loves them all, Helps them to be lit - tle child, Just like you and me; Shep-herds knelt be - side his bed; Wise men, kind and good, Hears them when they call; Gifts more precious we may bring Than the from the lands a - far, Bro't to him their cost - ly gifts, Guid-ed by the star. wise men bro't, of old. For he counts the chil-dren's love Dear-er far than gold. CHORUS. Long a - go in Beth - le - hem Je - sus lived, a child like me; the chil-dren's hearts, Our dear - est Friend is Copyright, 1909, by Hope Publishing Co. 193 13

#### O'er Judea's Hills.



## O'er Judea's Hills. Our ho - ly Sav - ior King! . of joy the com-ing of the King, Our Sav-ior, our Sav-ior, our ho - ly Say - ior King! Glory in the Highest. 211 C. D. Emerson. lames Montgomery. 1. Hail, to the Lord's A-noint-ed, Great David's greater Son! Hail, in the time ap-2. He comes to break op-pres-sion, To set the cap-tive free, To take a-way trans-3. To him shall prayer un-ceas-ing, And dai-ly vows as-cend; His king-dom still in-CHORUS. point - ed, His reign on earth be eq - ui gres - sion, And rule in Glo-ry be to God in the high - est, ty. creas - ing, A king-dom with-out Peace on earth, good-will to men! Glo - ry, glo - ry! glo - ry in the high - est, to God in the high - est, glo - ry, Glo - ry be to God most high!

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#### Across the Templed Hills.

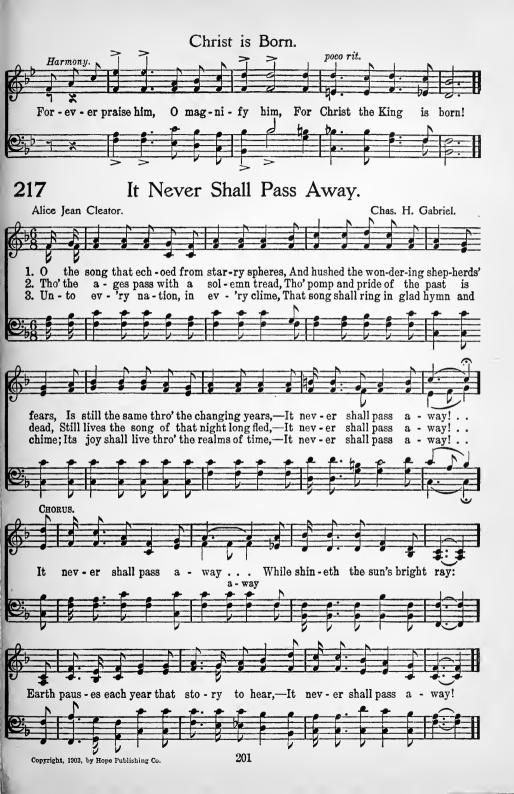






#### Christ is Born.





#### Coronation Day.















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Effie Stevens. Chas. H. Gabriel. All voices sing the melody. The Lord of heav'n a - rose. 1. A Vic - tor, mighty Vic - tor, From death's en-dur-ing 2. A Vic - tor, mighty Vic - tor, Christ rose that East-er Day;
3. A Vic - tor, mighty Vic - tor, The Lord of heav'n a - rose. Twas all for us he That we, too, might be-That Tri - um-phant o'er his foes; He rose to life and glo-ry, pris - on, That we might learn his way; rose to fill with glad-ness suf - fered, He Each Tri - um-phant o'er earth's woes; So us join in sing - ing Our might ban-ish fear From ev-'ry heart that, lov-ing, Draws to his presence near. ach - ing, sin - ful heart, He rose to com - fort sor-row, To bid de-spair de - part. praise to Christ, whose love Pre-pares for us a dwell-ing With him in heav'n a - bove. CHORUS. Vic - tor, Our Lord Vic - tor, might - y a - rose this day. might lead on - ward, With - in his bless - ed us way. Copyright, 1909, by Hope Publishing Co. 210

#### Coming to the Garden.





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Worship. Psalm 95: 1-7.

O come, let us sing unto the Lord: Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.

Let us come before his presence with

thanksgiving.

And make a joyful noise unto him with psalms. For the Lord is a great God,

And a great King above all gods.

In his hand are the deep places of the earth: The strength of the hills is his also.

The sea is his, and he made it; And his hands formed the dry land.

O come, let us worship and bow down:

Let us kneel before the Lord our maker.

For he is our God:

ALL.—And we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

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Praise. Psalm 100.

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands.

Serve the Lord with gladness:

Come before his presence with singing.

Know ye that the Lord he is God;

It is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves.

We are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. Enter into his gates with thanksgiving.

And into his courts with praise; Be thankful unto him, and bless his name.

For the Lord is good;

His mercy is everlasting;

ALL.—And his truth endureth to all generations.

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### God's Benefits.

Psalm 103.

Bless the Lord, O my soul; and all that is within me, bless his holy name.

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all

his benefits:

Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who

healeth all thy diseases;

Who redeemeth thy life from destruction; who crowneth thee with loving kindness and tender mercies;

Who satisfieth thy mouth with things; so that thy youth is renewed like

the eagle's.

The Lord executeth righteousness, and judgment for all that are oppressed.

He made known his ways unto Moses, his acts unto the children of Israel.

The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and plenteous in mercy.

He will not always chide: neither will he

keep his anger for ever.

He hath not dealt with us after our sins; nor rewarded us according to our Iniquities.

For as the heaven is high above the earth, so great is his mercy toward them that fear him.

As far as the east is from the west, so far hath he removed our transgressions from us.

Like as a father pitieth his children, so the Lord pitieth them that fear him.

For he knoweth our frame; he remembereth that we are dust.

As for man, his days are as grass; as a flower of the field, so he flourisheth.

For the wind passeth over it, and it is gone; and the place thereof shall know it no more.

But the mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting upon them that fear him, and his righteousness unto children's children;

To such as keep his covenant, and to those that remember his commandments to do them. The Lord hath prepared his throne in the

heavens; and his kingdom ruleth over all. Bless the Lord, ye his angels, that excel in strength, that do his commandments, hearken= ing unto the voice of his word.

Bless ye the Lord, all ye his hosts; ye ministers of his, that do his pleasure.

ALL.—Bless the Lord, all his works in all places of his dominion; bless the Lord, O my soul.

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### Providence.

Psalm 34.

I will bless the Lord at all times: his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

My soul shall make her boast in the Lord: the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad.

O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together.

I sought the Lord, and he heard me, and delivered me from all my fears.

They looked unto him, and were lightened: and their faces were not ashamed.

This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him, and saved him out of all his troubles.

The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them.

O taste and see that the Lord is good: blessed is the man that trusteth in him.

O fear the Lord, ye his saints: for there is no want to them that fear him.

The young lions do lack, and suffer hunger: but they that seek the Lord shall not want any good thing.

Come, ye children, hearken unto me: I will

teach you the fear of the Lord.

What man is he that desireth life, and loveth many days, that he may see good?

Keep thy tongue from evil, and thy lips from speaking guile.

Depart from evil, and do good; seek peace and pursue it.

The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous and his ears are open unto their cry.

The face of the Lord is against them that do evil, to cut off the remembrance of them from the earth.

The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth, and delivereth them out of all their troubles.

The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart: and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit.

Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the Lord delivereth him out of them all. He keepeth all his bones: not one of them is broken.

Evil shall slay the wicked: and they that hate the righteous shall be desolate.

ALL.—The Lord redeemeth the soul of his servants: and none of them that trust in him shall be desolate.

#### 234 The Divine Refuge.

Psalm 91.

He that dwelleth in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.

I will say of the Lord, He is my refuge and my fortress: my God; in him will I trust.

Surely he shall deliver thee from the snare of the fowler, and from the noisome pestilence.

He shall cover thee with his feathers, and under his wings shalt thou trust: his truth shall be thy shield and buckler.

Thou shalt not be afraid for the terror by night; nor for the arrow that flieth by day; Nor for the pestilence that walketh in darkness:

nor for the destruction that wasteth at noonday. A thousand shall fall at thy side and ten thousand at thy right hand but it shall not come nigh thee.

Only with thine eyes shalt thou behold and sec the reward of the wicked.

Because thou hast made the Lord which is my refuge, even the Most High, thy habita- ${
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There shall no evil befall thee neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling.

For he shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways.

They shall bear thee up in their hands, lest thou dash thy foot against a stone.

Thou shalt tread upon the lion and adder; the young lion and the dragon shalt thou trample under feet.

Because he hath set his love upon me, therefore will I deliver him: I will set him on high, because

he hath known my name. He shall call upon me, and I will answer him: I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him, and honour him.

With long life will I satisfy him and shew him my salvation.

#### 235 The Shepherd.

Psalm 23.

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness, for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

ALL. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

#### 236 God's Word.

Psalm 19.

The heavens declare the glory of God; And the firmament sheweth his handiwork. Day unto day uttereth speech,

And night unto night sheweth knowledge. There is no speech nor language,

Where their voice is not heard.

Their line is gone out through all the earth. And their words to the end of the world.

In them hath he set a tabernacle for the sun Which is as a bridegroom coming out of his chamber.

And rejoiceth as a strong man to run a race. His going forth is from the end of the heaven. And his circuit unto the ends of it:

And there is nothing hid from the heat thereof. The law of the Lord is perfect, converting

the soul: The testimony of the Lord is sure, making wise the simple.

The statutes of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart:

The commandment of the Lord is pure, enlightening the eves.

The fear of the Lord is clean, enduring forever. The judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.

More to be desired are they than gold, yea. than much fine gold.

Sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb. Moreover by them is thy servant warned:

And in keeping of them there is great reward. Who can understand his errors? Cleanse thou me from secret faults.

Keep back thy servant also from presumptuous sins;

Let them not have dominion over me:

Then shall I be upright,

And I shall be innocent from the great transgression.

ALL.—Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength, and my redeemer.

### 237 The Vicarious Sufferer. Isaiah 53.

Who hath believed our report? and to whom is the arm of the Lord revealed? For he shall grow up before him as a tender plant, and as a root out of a dry ground: he hath no form nor comliness; and when we shall see

him, there is no beauty that we should desire him. He is despised and rejected of men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief; and we hid as it were our faces from him; he was despised and we esteemed him not.

Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows; yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God and afflicted.

But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.

All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the Lord

hath laid on him the iniquity of us all. He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he opened not his mouth: he is brought as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before her shearers is dumb, so he openeth not his mouth.

He was taken from prison and from judg= ment: and who shall declare his generation? for he was cut off out of the land of the living: for

the transgression of my people was he stricken. And he made his grave with the wicked, and with the rich in his death; because he had done no violence, neither was any deceit in his mouth.

Yet it pleased the Lord to bruise him; he hath put him to grief: when thou shalt make his soul an offering for sin, he shall see his seed, he shall prolong his days, and the pleasure of

the Lord shall prosper in his hand. He shall see of the travail of his soul and shall be satisfied: by his knowledge shall my righteous servant justify many; for he

shall bear their iniquities.

ALL.—Therefore will I divide him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he hath poured out his soul unto death: and he was numbered with the transgressors; and he bare the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

### 238 The Mission of the Spirit. John 14: 15-21; 16: 7-14.

If ye love me, keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with

you for ever;

Even the Spirit of truth; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him: but ye know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you.

I will not leave you comfortless: I will come

Yet a little while, and the world seeth me no more; but ye see me: because I live, ye shall live also.

At that day ye shall know that I am in my

Father, and ye in me, and I in you.

He that hath my commandments and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me; and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and will manifest myself to him.

Nevertheless I tell you the truth; it is expedient for you that I go away: for if I go not away, the Comforter will not come unto you; but if I depart, I will send him unto you.

And when he is come, he will reprove the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment:

Of sin, because they believe not on me;

Of righteousness, because I go to my Father, and ye see me no more:

Of judgment, because the prince of this world is judged.

I have yet many things to say unto you,

but ye cannot bear them now.

Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak: and he will show you things to come.

ALL.—He shall glorify me: for he shall receive

of mine, and shall show it unto you.

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Sin.

Various Scriptures.

The way of the wicked is an abomination unto the Lord.

The thoughts of the wicked are an abomination to the Lord.

Are there not with you, even with you, sins against the Lord your God?

Fools make a mock at sin.

Whosoever committeth sin is the servant of sin.

The thought of foolishness is sin.

The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked: who can know it?

Sin is the transgression of the law.

God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world

through him might be saved.

The wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord. ALL.—Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world.

#### The Great Invitation. 240

Isaiah 55.

Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters, and he that hath no money; come ye, buy, and eat;

Yea, come, buy wine and milk, without money

and without price.

Wherefore do ye spend money for that which is not bread? and your labor for that which satisfieth not? hearken diligently unto me, and eat ye that which is good, and let your soul delight itself in fatness.

Incline your ear, and come unto me; hear, and your soul shall live: and I will make an everlast= ing covenant with you, even the sure mercies of David.

Behold, I have given him for a witness to the people, a leader and commander to the

people.

Behold, thou shalt call a nation that thou knowest not, and nations that knew not thee shall run unto thee, because of the Lord thy God, and for the Holy One of Israel; for he hath glorified thee.

Seek ye the Lord while he may be found,

call ye upon him while he is near:

Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the

Lord

For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my

thoughts than your thoughts.

For as the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, and maketh it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower, and bread to the eater:

So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth; it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.

For ye shall go out with joy, and be led forth with peace: the mountains and the hills shall break forth before you into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands.

ALL.—Instead of the thorn shall come up the fir tree, and instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle tree; and it shall be to the Lord for a name, for an everlasting sign that shall not be cut off.

## 241 Appeal to the Young.

Eccl. 12: 1-7, Amos 4: 12.

Remember now thy creator in the days of thy youth, while the evil days come not, nor the years draw nigh, when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them;

While the sun, or the light, or the moon, or the stars, be not darkened, nor the clouds return

after the rain:

In the day when the keepers of the house shall tremble, and the strong men shall bow themselves, and the grinders cease because they are few; and those that look out of the windows be darkened,

And the doors shall be shut in the streets, when the sound of the grinding is low, and he shall rise up at the voice of the bird, and all the daughters of music shall be brought low;

Also when they shall be afraid of that which is high, and fears shall be in the way, and the almond tree shall flourish, and the grasshopper shall be a burden, and desire shall fail: because man goeth to his long home, and the mourners go about the streets:

and the mourners go about the streets: Or ever the silver cord be loosed, or the golden bowl be broken, or the pitcher be broken at the fountain, or the wheel broken at the cistern.

Then shall the dust return to the earth as it was: and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it.

ALL.-Prepare to meet thy God.

### 242 The Returning Prodigal.

Luke 15: 11-24; 15: 7.

And he said, A certain man had two sons: And the younger of them said to his father,

Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me. And he divided unto them his living.

And not many days after the younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living.

And when he had spent all, there arose a mighty famine in that land; and he began

to be in want.

And he went and joined himself to a citizen of that country; and he sent him into his fields to feed swine.

And he would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did cat; and no

man gave unto him.

And when he came to himself, he said, how many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger!

I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against

heaven, and before thee,

And am no more worthy to be called thy son: make me as one of thy hired servants.

And he arose, and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him.

And the son said unto him,

Father, I have sinned against heaven, and in thy sight, and am no more worthy to be called thy son.

But the father said to his servants, Bring forth the best robe, and put it on him; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet: And bring hither the fatted calf, and kill it;

and let us eat, and be merry:

For this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found. And

they began to be merry.

ALL.—Likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth, more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance.

## 243 The Righteous Man.

Psalm 1.

Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful.

But his delight is in the law of the Lord; and in his law doth he meditate day and night.

And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither, and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.

The ungodly are not so: but are like the chaff which the wind driveth away.

Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.

ALL.-For the Lord knoweth the way of the righteous: but the way of the ungodly shall perish.

### Union With Christ.

John 15: 1-10.

I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman.

Every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away: and every branch that beareth fruit, he purgeth it, that it may bring forth more fruit.

Now ye are clean through the word which I have spoken unto you.

Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, except it abide in the vine; no more can ye, except ye abide in me.

I am the vine, ye are the branches. He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit; for without me ye can do nothing.

If a man abide not in me, he is cast forth as a branch, and is withered; and men gather them, and cast them into the fire, and they are burned.

If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.

Herein is my Father glorified, that ye bear

much fruit; so shall ye be my disciples. As the father hath loved me, so have I

loved you: continue ye in my love. ALL .- If ye keep my commandments, ye sl.all abide in my love; even as I have kept my Father's commandments, and abide in his love.

245 Praver.

Matt. 6: 9-15; 7: 7-11. After this manner therefore pray ye: Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth,

as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen. For if ye forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you:

But if ye forgive not men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your tres-

Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock and it shall be opened unto you: For every one that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened.

Or what man is there of you, whom if his son

ask bread, will he give him a stone?

Or if he ask a fish, will he give him a serpent? ALL.—If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, how much more shall your Father which is in heaven give good things to them that ask him?

### 246

Wisdom.

Prov. 3: 5-7: 11-18. Trust in the Lord with all thine heart;

And lean not unto thine own understanding.

In all thy ways acknowledge him. And he shall direct thy paths.

Be not wise in thine own eyes:

Fear the Lord, and depart from evil. My son, despise not the chastening of the Lord;

Neither be weary of his correction: For whom the Lord loveth he correcteth; Even as a father the son in whom he delighteth.

Happy is the man that findeth wisdom,

And the man that getteth understanding. For the merchandise of it is better than the merchandise of silver,

And the gain thereof than fine gold.

She is more precious than rubles:

And all the things thou canst desire are not to be compared unto her.

Length of days is in her right hand;

And in her left hand riches and honor.

Her ways are ways of pleasantness. And all her paths are peace.

ALL.—She is a tree of life to them that lay hold upon her: and happy is every one that retaineth her.

#### The Beatitudes. 247

Matt. 5: 3-16.

Blessed are the poor in spirit: For theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are they that mourn: For they shall be comforted.

Blessed are the meek:

For they shall inherit the earth.

Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness:

For they shall be filled. Blessed are the merciful:

For they shall obtain mercy.

Blessed are the pure in heart:

For they shall see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers:

For they shall be called the children of God. Blessed are they which are persecuted for righteousness' sake:

For theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are ye, when men shall revile you and persecute you,

And shall say all manner of evil against you falsely for my sake.

Rejoice, and be exceeding glad: for great is your reward in heaven.

For so persecuted they the prophets which were

before you.

Ye are the salt of the earth: but if the salt have lost his savor, wherewith shall it be salted?

It is thenceforth good for nothing, but to be cast out, and to be trodden under foot of men. Ye are the light of the world. A city that is

set on a hill cannot be hid.

Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candle-stick.

And it giveth light unto all that are in

the house.

ALL.-Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.

Love. 248

1 Cor. 13.

Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal.

And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries, and all knowledge; and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains and have not charity, I am nothing.

And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, and have not charity, it profiteth

me nothing.

Charity suffereth long, and is kind: charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up.

Doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, think-

eth no evil;

Rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth;

Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things.

Charity never faileth; but whether there be prophecies, they shall fail; whether there be tongues, they shall cease; whether there be knowledge, it shall vanish away.

For we know in part, and we prophesy in

But when that which is perfect is come, then that which is in part shall be done away.

When I was a child, I spake as a child. I understood as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away childish things.

For now we see through a glass, darkly; but then face to face: now I know in part; but then shall I know even as also I am known. ALL.—And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity.

### 249 The Grace of Giving.

Honor the Lord with thy substance and with the first fruits of all thine increase. - Prov.

Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed me. But ye say, Wherein have we robbed thee?

In tithes and offerings.—Mal. 3:8.

Bring ye all the tithes into the store-house. that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it.—Mal 3:10.

For ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. that, though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty might be rich.-2 Cor. 8:9.

Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath

prospered him.—1 Cor. 16:2.

Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver.-2 Cor. 9:7.

It is more blessed to give than to receive.—

Acts 20:35.

Blessed is he that considereth the poor; the Lord will deliver him in time of trouble.-Ps. 41:1.

He that hath pity upon the poor, lendeth unto the Lord.-Prov. 19:17.

ALL .- For the Lord God is a sun and shield: the Lord will give grace and glory: no good thing will he withhold from them that walk uprightly.-Ps. 84:11.

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Patience.

Psalm 37: 3-5, 23-25, 31, 11, 37, 7.

Trust in the Lord, and do good; so sha t thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt

Delight thyself also in the Lord; and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart.

Commit thy way unto the Lord; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass.

The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord: and he delighteth in his way.

Though he fall, he shall not be utterly cast down: for the Lord upholdeth him with his hand.

I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread.

The law of his God is in his heart; none of

his steps shall slide.

The meek shall inherit the earth, and shall delight themselves in the abundance of peace. Mark the perfect man, and behold the up-

right: for the end of that man is peace. ALL.—Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for him.

251 Temperance.

Proverbs 23: 29-32; Romans 14: 21; Proverbs 20:1. Who hath woe? who hath sorrow? who hath contentions? who hath wounds without cause? who hath redness of eyes?

They that tarry long at the wine; they that go

to seek mixed wine.

Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it giveth his color in the cup, when it moveth itself aright.

At the last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth

like an adder.

It is good neither to eat flesh nor to drink wine, nor anything whereby thy brother stumbleth, or is offended, or is made weak. ALL.—Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging,

and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise.

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### 252 The Home Beyond. John 14: 1-14.

Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me.

In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to

prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I

will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also. And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know.

Thomas saith unto him, Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know

the way?

Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

If ye had known me, ye should have known my Father also: and from henceforth ye know him, and have seen him.

Philip saith unto him, Lord, shew us the Father,

and it sufficeth us.

Jesus saith unto him, Have I been so long time with you, and yet hast thou not known me, Philip? he that hath seen me hath seen the Father, and how sayest thou

then, Shew us the Father? Believest thou not that I am in the Father, and the Father in me? the words that I speak unto you I speak not of myself: but the Father that dwelleth in me, he doeth the works.

Believe me that I am in the Father, and the Father in me; or else believe me for

the very works' sake.

Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.

And whatsoever ye shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glori-

fied in the Son.

ALL.—If ye shall ask anything in my name, I will do it.

### 253 The Ten Commandments.

Exodus xx. 3: 17; Matthew 22; 37-40. Leader reads first and last paragraphs. Commandments to be read in unison.

God spake all these words, saying, I am the Lord thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house

of bondage.

I.—Thou shalt have no other gods before Me. II .- Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth; thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate Me; and showing mercy unto thousands of them that love Me, and keep My Commandments.

III.-Thou shalt not take the Name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his Name in vain.

IV.—Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days shalt thou labor, and do all thy work; but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God; in it thou shalt not do any work thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy manservant, nor thy maid-servant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates; for in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath-day and hallowed it.

V.-Honor thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the

Lord thy God giveth thee.

VI.—Thou shalt not kill.

VII.—Thou shalt not commit adultery.

VIII.—Thou shalt not steal.

IX.—Thou shalt not bear false witness against.

thy neighbor.

X.—Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's wife, nor his man-servant, nor his maid-servant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor anything that is thy neighbor's.

Hear also what our Lord Jesus Christ saith: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

#### 254 Christ Exalted.

Phillipians 2: 5-11.

Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus:

Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God:

But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of man:

And being found in fashion as a man, he hum= bled himself, and became obedient unto death,

even the death of the cross. Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every

That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth;

ALL—And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

### 255 Our Source of Help.

Psalm 121.

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord, which made

heaven and earth. He will not suffer thy foot to be moved;

he that keepeth thee will not slumber.

Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither | 258 slumber nor sleep.

The Lord is thy keeper: the Lord is thy

shade upon thy right hand.

The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night.

The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil:

he shall preserve thy soul.

The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in, from this time forth, and even for evermore.

### 256 Divine Companionship.

1 John 1: 3-10.

That which we have seen and heard declare we unto you, that ye also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship is with the Father, and with his Son Jesus Christ.

And these things write we unto you, that your

joy may be full.

This then is the message which we have heard of him, and declare unto you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all.

If we say that we have fellowship with him, and walk in darkness, we lie, and do not the truth. But if we walk in the light, as he is in the

light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive our-

selves, and the truth is not in us.

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

### 257 The Courageous Christian. Eph. 6: 10-18.

Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord

and in the power of his might.
Put on the whole armor of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.

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

Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate

of righteousness;

And your feet shod with the preparation of the

gospel of peace;

Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.

And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God:

Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints.

Heaven.

Revelation 22: 1-5, 12-14, 16, 17, 22,

And he shewed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb.

In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the tree of life, which bare twelve manner of fruits, and ylelded her fruit every month; and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations.

And there shall be no more curse; but the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it: and his servants shall serve him:

And they shall see his face; and his name shall

be in their foreheads.

And there shall be no night there; and they need no candle, neither light of the sun; for the Lord God giveth them light: and they shall reign for ever and ever.

And behold, I come quickly; and my reward is with me, to give every man according as his

work shall be.

I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and

the end, the first and the last.

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

I am the root and the offspring of David, and the bright and morning star.

And the spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely.

ALL.—The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen.

#### 259 Benediction.

Eph. 3: 20-21, R. V.; Gen. 31: 49; Num. 6: 24-26; Heb. 13: 20, 21.

Now unto him who is able to do exceeding abundantly.

Above all that we ask or think,

According to the power whereby he worketh

Unto him, in Christ Jesus, be the glory in the Church.

To all generations for ever and ever.

The Lord watch between me and thee when we are absent one from another.

The Lord bless thee, and keep thee: the Lord make his face to shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee: the Lord lift up his countenance upon thee, and give thee peace.

Now the God of peace, that brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, that great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant,

Make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ; to whom be glory forever and ever.

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