Saviour, blessed Saviour



Savior, blessèd Savior, listen while we sing; Hearts and voices ringing, praises to our King; All we have to offer, all we hope to be, Body, soul, and spirit, all we yield to Thee.

Near, ever nearer, Christ, we draw to Thee, Deep in adoration bending low the knee; Thou for our redemption cam'st on earth to die; Thou, that we might follow, hast gone up on high.

Clearer still and clearer dawns the light from Heav'n, In our sadness bringing news of sin forgiven; Life has lost its shadows, pure the light within; Thou hast shed Thy radiance on a world of sin.

Onward, ever onward, journeying o'er the road Worn by saints before us, journeying on to God; Leaving all behind us, may we hasten on, Backward never looking till the prize is won.

Higher, then, and higher bear the ransomed soul, Earthly toils forgetting, Savior, to its goal; Where in joys unthought of saints with angels sing, Never weary, raising, praises to their King.

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