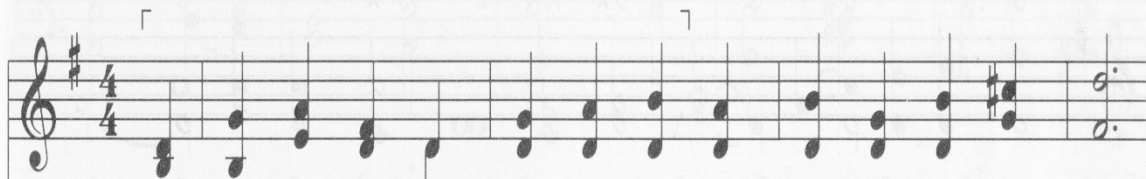


# The Lord Will Come and Not Be Slow

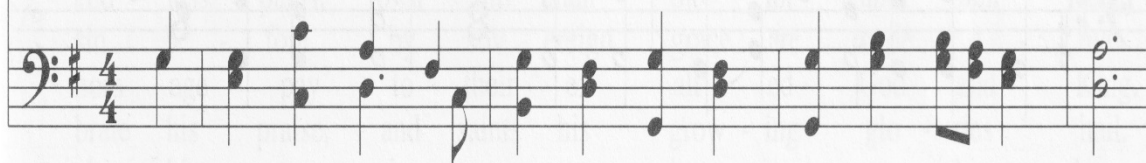
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*He comes to judge ... the world in righteousness and the peoples in his truth.*

Ps. 96:13



1. The Lord will come and not be slow, his foot-steps can - not err;
2. Truth from the earth, like to a flow'r, shall bud and blos - som then,
3. Rise, God, and judge the earth in might, this wick - ed earth re - dress;
4. For great you are, and won - ders great by your strong hand are done:



be - fore him righ - teous - ness shall go, his roy - al har - bin - ger.  
 and jus - tice, from her heav'n - ly bow'r, look down on mor - tal men.  
 for you are he who shall by right the na - tions all pos - sess.  
 you in your ev - er - last - ing seat re - main the Lord a - lone.



John Milton, 1608-1684  
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## Rejoice, All Ye Believers

*Here's the bridegroom! Come out to meet him! Matt. 25:6*

JESUS CHRIST:

1. Re - joice, all ye be - liev - ers, and let your lights ap - pear;  
 2. See that your lamps are burn - ing; re - plen - ish them with oil;  
 3. Ye saints, who here in pa - tience your cross and suf - f'rings bore,  
 4. Our hope and ex - pec - ta - tion, O Je - sus, now ap - pear;

the eve - ning is ad - vanc - ing, and dark - er night is near:  
 and wait for your sal - va - tion, the end of earth - ly toil.  
 shall live and reign for - ev - er, when sor - row is no more:  
 a - rise, thou sun so longed for, o'er this be - night - ed sphere.

the Bride - groom is a - ris - ing, and soon he draw - eth nigh;  
 The watch - ers on the moun - tain pro - claim the Bride - groom near;  
 a - round the throne of glo - ry the Lamb ye shall be - hold,  
 With hearts and hands up - lift - ed, we plead, O Lord, to see

up, pray, and watch, and wres - tle: at mid - night comes the cry.  
 go meet him as he com - eth, with al - le - lu - ias clear.  
 in tri - umph cast be - fore him your di - a - dems of gold.  
 the day of earth's re - demp - tion that brings us un - to thee.