

Behold the Grace Appears

(sung at Bethersden)

William Jarvis of Bethersden's music book, now owned by Francis Oliver of High Halden. Lyrics by Isaac Watts 1674-1748

♩ = 50 *f*

Harmony

Melody

1. Be - hold, be - hold, the grace ap - pears,
 2. The Lord, the Lord, the high - est God,
 3. O'er Ja - - cob, Ja - - cob, shall He reign,
 4. To bring, to bring the glo - rious news,
 5. 'Go, hum - ble, hum - ble swains,' did say,
 6. With looks, with looks, and hearts se - rene,
 7. In wor - ship, wor - ship, so di - vine,
 8. All glo - - ry, glo - - ry to God on high!

1. Be - hold, be - hold, the grace ap - pears, Thy
 2. The Lord, the Lord, the high - est God, Calls
 3. O'er Ja - - cob, Ja - - cob, shall He reign, With
 4. To bring, to bring the glo - rious news, A
 5. 'Go, hum - ble, hum - ble swains,' did say, 'To
 6. With looks, with looks, and hearts se - rene, 'Go
 7. In wor - ship, wor - ship, so di - vine, Let
 8. All glo - - ry, glo - - ry to God on high! And

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M

(1) Thy pro - - mise, Thy pro - - mise is ful - - filled,
 (2) Calls Him His, Calls Him His on - ly Son,
 (3) With a pe - cu - liar sway,
 (4) A hea - venly form a - p - pears,
 (5) 'To Da - - vid's ci - - ty fly,
 (6) 'Go vi - - sit Christ your King,
 (7) Let saints em - ploy their tongues,
 (8) And heav'n - ly peace on Earth,

(1) pro - - mise is ful - - filled, Thy pro - - mise is ful - - filled
 (2) Him His on - - ly Son, Calls Him His on - ly Son,
 (3) a pe - cu - - liar sway, With a pe - cu - - liar sway,
 (4) hea - - venly form a - - p - pears, A hea - - venly form a - - p - pears,
 (5) Da - - vid's ci - - ty fly, 'To Da - - vid's ci - - ty fly,
 (6) vi - - sit Christ your King, 'Go vi - - sit Christ your King,
 (7) saints em - ploy their tongues, Let saints em - ploy their tongues,
 (8) heav'n - ly peace on Earth, And heav'n - ly peace on Earth,

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(1) Ma - - ry the won - - drous vir - - gin, bears,
 (2) He bids Him rule the lands a - - broad,
 (3) The na - - tions shall His grace ob - - tain,
 (4) He tells the shep - herds of the news,
 (5) "p" The pro - mised In - - fant born to - - day,
 (6) And straight a fla - - ming troop was seen,
 (7) With the ce - - le - - stial hosts we join,
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p *mp*

(1) And Je - sus is the child And
 (2) And gives him Da - vid's throne. And
 (3) His king - dom ne'er de - cay. His
 (4) And ba - ni - shes their fears. And
 (5) 'p'Doth in a man - ger lie.' 'mf'Doth
 (6) The shep - herds heard them sing. The
 (7) And loud re - peat their songs. And
 (8) At our Re - dee - mer's birth. *mp*

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 (3) king - dom ne'er de - cay. His king - dom ne'er de -
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