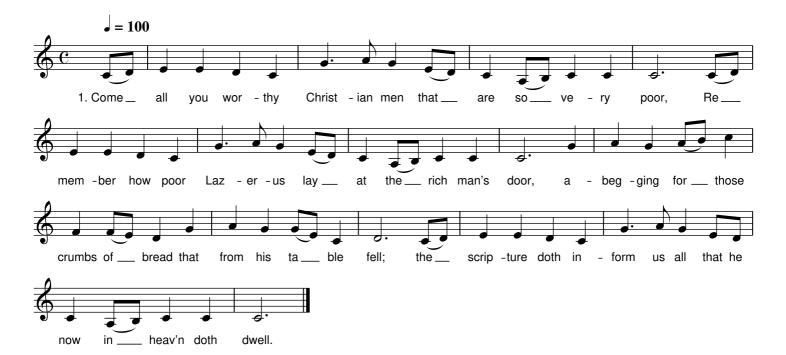
Lazerus

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- Now Job he was a patient man,
 The richest in the East;
 How he was brought to poverty
 His troubles soon increased,
 He bore them all most patiently
 From sin he did refrain
 He always trusted in the Lord
 He soon got rich again.
- 3. The time it will soon come
 That parted we must be,
 The only thing that doth remain
 Is to joy our misery;
 For soon we must account give,
 Both great as well as small,
 Remember all good Christian friends,
 One God will judge us all.

- 4. Though poor I am contented, No riches do I crave, For they are all but vanity On this side of the grave; Where some they roll in riches Their glass will soon run out, No riches we brought in this world Nor none can we take out.
- Come all you worthy Christians,
 That dwell within this land,
 Don't spend your time in rioting
 Remember you're but man;
 Be watchful for your latter end,
 Be ready when you're called,
 There's many changes in this world
 Some rises and some falls.

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