

Lazerus

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Unison

1. Come all you wor - thy Christ - ian men that are so ve - ry poor, Re -

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mem - ber how poor Laz - er - us lay at the rich man's door, a - beg - ging for those crumbs of bread That

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from his ta - ble fell; the scrip - ture doth in - form us all that he now in heav'n doth dwell.

Harmony

2. Now Job he was a pa - - - tient man, The
3. The time it will soon come That
4. Though poor I am con - - - ten - - - ted, No

Melody

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(2) ri - chest in the East; How he was brought to
(3) par - ted we must be, The o - - nly thing that
(4) ri - ches do I crave, For they are all but

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(2) po - - ver - ty His trou - bles soon in - creased, He
(3) doth re - main Is to joy our mi - se - - ry; For
(4) va - - ni - ty On this side of the grave; Where

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(2) bore them all — most pa - tient - ly From sin he did — re frain — He —
 (3) soon we must — a - ccount — give, Both great as well — as small, — Re -
 (4) some they roll — in ri - - - ches, Their glass will soon — run out, — No —

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(2) al - ways tru - sted in — the Lord He — soon got — rich a - gain.
 - (3) mem - ber all good Chri - - stian friends, One — God will — judge us all.
 (4) ri - ches we brought in — this world Nor — none can — we take out.

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5. Come — all you wor - thy Chri - - stians, That — dwell with - in this land, Don't —

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spend your time in rio - - - ting Re - - mem - ber — you're but

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man; Be watch - ful for — your la - - tter — end, Be

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rea - - dy when — you're called, There's —

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ma - ny chan - ges in this world Some — ri - - ses — and some falls.

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