

(I Wonder) When He Comes Again

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I wonder when He comes again, will herald angels sing?
Will earth be white with drifted snow, or will the world know spring?
I wonder if one star will shine far brighter than the rest;
Will daylight stay the whole night through? Will songbirds leave their nests?
I'm sure He'll call His little ones Together round His knee,
Because He said in days gone by, "Suffer them to come to me."

I wonder when He comes again, Will I be ready there
To look upon His loving face And join with Him in prayer?
Each day I'll try to do His will and let my light so shine
That others seeing me will seek for greater light divine.
When that blessed day is here, He'll love me and He'll say,
"You've served me well my little child; Come into my arms to stay."

I wonder when He comes again, will all the nations bring
Their children to His waiting arms to hear the angels sing?
And as they heed His loving voice, and seek His outstretched hands,
Will children of the world rejoice to finally understand:
That only, as we do His will can happiness increase.
That love, alone, can make this world a haven of His peace?

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