

1. Seek ye first the king - dom, 'Tis your Fa - ther's will.
 2. As for hid - den trea - sure, Or for match - less pearl,
 3. As the si - lent leav - en works its sec - ret way,
 4. As the ten - der seed - ling grows up tall and strong,
 5. Hum - blest shall be great - est, poor in spir - it reign;

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So the voice of Je - sus bids us fol - low still.
 When at last dis - cov - ered, some will sell their all:
 Or as grows the seed grain through the night and day;
 And the birds of heav - en to its branch - es throng;
 Home shall come the child - like, born through Thee a - gain;

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Sav - ior, we would hear Thee, Fol - low find, and see;
 So, when breaks the vi - sion of that king - dom fair,
 Lord, so be the in - crease, peace - a - ble but sure,
 So shall all God's chil - dren, from the east and west,
 Ea - ger hearts ar - rive there on the pil - grim's road,

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And in life's ad - ven - ture Thy dis - ci - ples be.
 Ours shall be its rich - es And its beau - ty rare.
 Of Thy word with - in us, And Thy king - dom's power.
 Gath - er to His king - dom, In its shad - ow rest.
 Hail! the king - dom glo - rious Of the liv - ing God!