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Hymna for Those That Seek, no. 16

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1. Ye simple souls, that stray Far from the path of peace, That un-fre-quen-ted way To life and hap-pi-ness: How long will ye your folly love, And
2. Madness and mi-se-ry Ye count our life be-neath, And nothing great can see Or glorious in our death: As born to suffer and to grieve Be-

C. 3. Poor pensive sojourners, O'erwhelm'd with griefs and woes, Perplex'd with needless fears, And pleasure's mortal foes; More irksome than a gaping tomb Our
4. So wretched and ob-scure, The men whom ye des-pise, So foolish, weak, and poor A-bove your scorn we rise: Our conscience in the Holy Ghost Can

T. 8 5. O do not be discouraged, For Jesus is your friend, And if you lack for knowledge, He'll not refuse to lend, No, neither will he upbraid you, Tho'
6. And when the last loud trumpet Shall rend the vaulted skies, And bid the entombed millions From their cold beds arise, Our ransomed dust will be revived, Bright

B. 7. Our eyes shall then with rapture The Savior's face be-hold; Our feet, no more diverted, Shall walk the streets of gold; Our ears shall hear with transport The

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Tr. 1. throng the downward road, And hate the wisdom from above, And mock the sons of God?
2. -neath your feet we lie, And ut-ter-ly con-demn'd we live, And un-la-men-ted die.

A. 3. sight ye cannot bear, Wrapped in the me-lan-cho-ly gloom Of fan-ci-ful des-pair.
4. wit-ness better things, For he whose blood is all our boast Hath made us priests and kings.

T. 8 5. of-ten you re-quest, He'll give you the grace to conquer, And take you up to rest.
6. beau-ties shall put on, And soar to the bles-sed mansions Where our Redeemer's gone.

B. 7. hosts ce-les-tial sing; Our tongues shall all chant the glo-ries Of our im-mor-tal King.

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