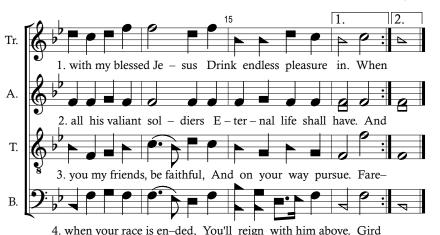
## Faithful Soldier

John Leland, 1793 76, 76, 76, 76, Transcribed from Southern Harmony, 1835, and Christian Harmony, 1867.

Arranged by William Walker, 1835 B<sup>b</sup> Major Alto by William Walker, 1867





Orginally called *The Faithful Soldier* in 1835, the initial particle was dropped in later editions of Southern Harmony. A folk hymn, based on an Irish folk song (Jackson 1953a, No. 59). This tune was also arranged by William Hauser in 1848, for four parts.

- 5. O do not be discouraged. For Jesus is your friend, And if you lack for knowledge, He'll not refuse to lend. Neither will he upbraid you, Though often you request, He'll give you grace to conquer. And take you up to rest.
- 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, revived. Bright beauties shall put on, And soar to the bless'd mansions Where our Redeemer's gone.
- 7. Our eyes shall then with rapture, The Savior's face behold: Our feet, no more diverted, Shall walk the streets of gold; Our ears shall hear with transport The hosts celestial sing: Our tongues shall chant the glories Of our immortal King.