

AMNS 176 Happy are they

Robert Bridges
(1844-1930)

Melody: Binchester

William Croft
(1678-1727)

1. Hap - py are they, they that love God,
 2. Glad is the praise, sweet are the songs,
 3. Christ to their homes giv - eth his peace,
 4. Sad were our lot, e - vil this earth,
 5. Then shall they know, they that love him,

whose hearts have Christ con - fest,
 when they to - ge - ther sing;
 and makes to their loves - his own:
 did not its sor - rows prove
 how all their pain is good,

who by his Cross have found their life,
 and strong the prayers that bow the ear
 but ah, what tares the e - vil one
 the path where - by self can - not un - bind
 and death it - self

and 'neath his yoke their rest.
 of heav'n's e - ter - nal King.
 hath in his gar - den sown!
 the fold of Je - sus' love.
 their hap - py brp - ther - hood.