As with Gladness Men of Old

1 As with gladness men of old did the
2 As with joyful steps they sped to that
3 As they of dazed gifts most rare at that
4 Holy Jesus, every day keep us
5 In that glorious city bright none shall

Guiding star behold, as with joy they hailed its
Cra-dle plain and bare, so may we with holy
Need cre at ed light; you its light, its joy, its

Light, leading on ward, beam ing bright;
F or Christ, whom heaven and earth adore;
Joy, pure and free from sin's al loy;
Crown, you its sun which goes not down;

So, most gra cious Lord, may
So may we with willing
All our cost li est trea sures
Where they need no star to

There for ever may we

We ev er more your splen dor see.
Feet ev er seek your mercy seat.
Bring, Christ, to you, our heav enly King.
Guide, where no clouds your glory hide.

Sing alleluias to our King!