Coming By and By

Robert Lowry, 1875

1. A better day is coming, A morning promised long, When girded right, with holy might, Will overthrow the wrong; When God the Lord will listen To love the truth, And spread it everywhere; No more from want and sorrow Will come the hopeless cry; And strife will cease and perfect peace Will flourish by and by.

2. The boast of haughty error No more will fill the air, But age and youth will morn-ing light Shall drive the gloom away; - And when the heavenly glory Shall flood the earth and sky, We'll bless the Lord for all His word, And praise Him by and by.

3. Oh! for that holy dawning We watch, and wait, and pray, Till o'er the height the morning-light Shall drive the gloom away; - And when the heavenly glory Shall flood the earth and sky, We'll bless the Lord for all His word, And praise Him by and by.

Refrain

Com-ing by and by, com-ing by and by! The bet-ter day is com-ing, The morn-ing draw-eth nigh;

Com-ing by and by, com-ing by and by! The welcome dawn will hast-en on, 'Tis com-ing by and by.

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