As with Gladness

1 As with gladness men of old did the guiding
2 As with joyous steps they sped to that lowly
3 As they offered gifts most rare at that manager
4 Holy Jesus, every day keep us in the

star behold; as with joy they hailed its light,
manager bed, there to bend the knee before
rude and bare, so may we with holy joy,
narrow way; and when earthly things are past,

leading onward, beaming bright, so, most gracious
him whom heaven and earth adore, so, may we with
pure and free from sin's alloy, all our costliest
bring our ransom'd lives at last where they need no

Lord, may we evermore your splendor see.
will ing feet ever seek the mercy seat.
treasures bring, Christ, to you, our heavenly King.
star to guide, where no clouds thy glory hide.

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