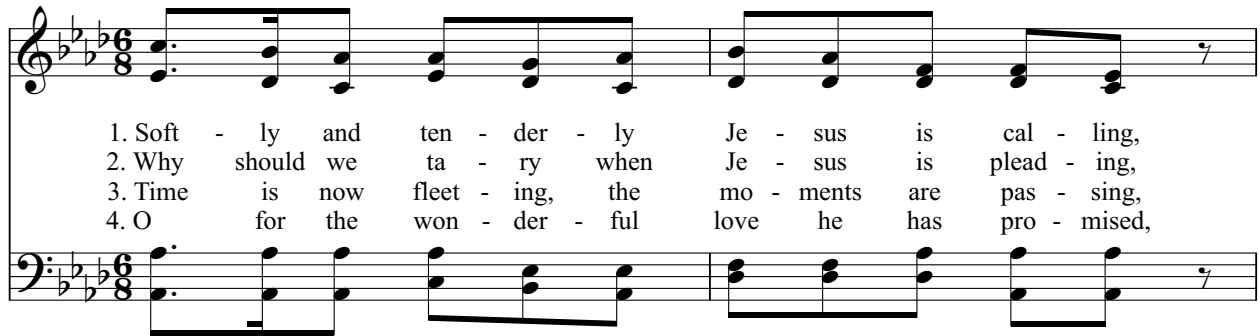


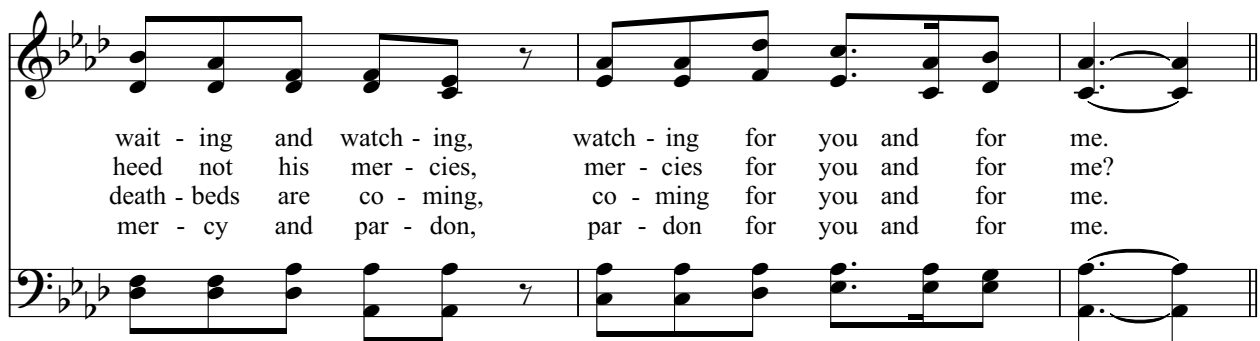
Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling



1. Soft - ly and ten - der - ly Je - sus is cal - ling,
 2. Why should we ta - ry when Je - sus is plead - ing,
 3. Time is now fleet - ing, the mo - ments are pas - sing,
 4. O for the won - der - ful love he has pro - mised,



cal - ling for you and for me; see, on the por - tals he's
 plead - ing for you and for me? Why should we lin - ger and
 pas - sing from you and from me; sha - dows are ga - the - ring,
 pro - mised for you and for me! Though we have sinned, he has



wait - ing and watch - ing, watch - ing for you and for me.
 heed not his mer - cies, mer - cies for you and for me?
 death - beds are co - ming, co - ming for you and for me.
 mer - cy and par - don, par - don for you and for me.

Refrain



Come home, come home; you who are
 Come home, come home;

Text: Will L. Thompson, 1880
 Tune: Will L. Thompson, 1880



11 7 11 7 Refrain
 THOMPSON
www.hymnary.org/text/softly_and_tenderly_jesus_is_calling

wea - ry come home; ear - nest - ly, ten - der - ly,

Je - sus is cal - ling, cal - ling, O sin - ner, come home!