

# Scatter Golden Grain

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*J=105*

The musical score consists of three staves of music in common time, key signature of four flats. The top staff uses a treble clef, the middle staff an alto clef, and the bottom staff a bass clef. The tempo is marked *J=105*. The lyrics are integrated into the music, appearing below the notes. The first section includes four numbered lines of lyrics, followed by a section starting with "Chris-tians, shall we fail in". The third section begins with a *Refrain* line, and the final section ends with a line starting with "God, the strength of ev- ery".

1. See the hea - then na - tions, bend - ing Down to i - dols made by hands;  
2. See the wick-ed - ness sur - round-ing, Ev - en at your ve - ry door;  
3. Shall we see the hea - then near us, Or the more be - night-ed die,  
4. We should al - ways love to la - bor, There's no time to id - ly stand,

Chris-tians, shall we fail in send - ing Gos - pel light to o - ther lands?  
Men are found in sin a - bound-ing, Blessed by God with boun-teous store.  
While we've time to work for Je - sus? If not, Chris-tian, tell me why?  
If we wish His gra - cious fa - vor, When we reach the glo - ry land.

*Refrain*

Lo! the field, go preach sal - va-tion, Broad - cast scat - ter gold - en grain.

God, the strength of ev- ery na-tion, Sure will send the gra-cious rain.