

Songs

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Author	Fanny J. Crosby
Alias (if any)	
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Lyrics	1 Watch and pray that when the Master cometh, If at morning, noon, or night, He may find a lamp in every window, Trimmed, and burning clear and bright. Refrain: Watch and pray, the Lord commandeth; Watch and pray, 'twill not be long. Soon He'll gather home His loved ones, To the happy vale of song. 2 Watch and pray; the tempter may be near us; Keep the heart with jealous care, Lest the door, a moment left unguarded, Evil thoughts may enter there. [Refrain] 3 Watch and pray, nor let us ever weary; Jesus watched and prayed alone; Prayed for us when only stars beheld Him, While on Olive's brow they shone. [Refrain] 4 Watch and pray, nor leave our post of duty, Till we hear the Bridegroom's voice; Then with Him the marriage feast partaking, We shall evermore rejoice. [Refrain]
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