OUT OF THEIR BONDAGE



- 2. Who Canaan's corn hath eaten, with might and main will work; he fears not to be "beaten," no "task" hath he to shirk; but Egypt's bond-slaves ever in cruel bondage groan; and Pharaoh pauseth never to hear their dismal moan.
- 3. The prey of dire delusion, the victims of a dream, in hurry and confusion are Pharaoh's captives seen: God vieweth their affliction, stoops down to their distress, rebukes the idle fiction that bids him cease to bless.
- 4. The Lord the word hath spoken:
 "My people shall go free."
 The Lord our chains hath broken,
 the Lord our strength shall be;
 the Lord who brought salvation
 by his almighty hand,
 ends all our tribulation
 and plants us in His Land!
- 5. Go now, and "work," believers!
 But work at peace and free!
 Of grace the glad receivers –
 its true exponents be.
 Ye toil for glory guerdons,
 "exceeding great reward:"
 then down with Egypt's burdens,
 ye ransomed of the Lord!

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