



2. "Soon and for ever," the breaking of day shall drive all the night-clouds of sorrow away; "soon and for ever" we'll see as we're seen, and learn the deep meaning of things that have been: when fightings without us, and fears from within, shall weary no more in the warfare of sin; where fears, and where tears, and where death shall be never, Christians with Christ shall be, "soon and for ever."

3. "Soon and for ever" the work shall be done, the warfare accomplished, the victory won: "soon and for ever" the soldier lays down his sword for a harp, and his cross for a crown: then droop not in sorrow, despond not in fear, a glorious tomorrow is bright'ning and near; when (blessed reward of each faithful endeavour) Christians with Christ shall be, "soon and for ever."