

We'll Understand It Better By and By

Verse

We are tossed and driv - en on the rest - less sea of time;
We are of - ten des - ti - tute of the things that life de - mands,
Tri - als dark on ev - ery hand, and we can - not un - der - stand
Temp - ta - tions, hid - den snares of - ten take us un - a - wares,

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som - ber skies and howl - ing tem - pests oft suc - ceed a bright sun - shine;
want of food and want of shel - ter, thirst - y hills and bar - ren lands;
all the ways that God would lead us to that bless - ed prom - ised land;
and our hearts are made to bleed for a thought - less word or deed;

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in that land of per - fect day, when the mists have rolled a - way,
we are trust - ing in the Lord, and ac - cord - ing to God's word,
but he guides us with his eye, and we'll fol - low till we die,
and we won - der why the test when we try to do our best,

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we will un - der - stand it bet - ter by and by.
we will un - der - stand it bet - ter by and by.
for we'll un - der - stand it bet - ter by and by.
but we'll un - der - stand it bet - ter by and by.

This block contains the musical notation for measures 10 through 12. It features a treble and bass staff in G major (one sharp). The melody is in the treble staff, and the bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment. The lyrics are printed below the treble staff.

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Refrain

By and by, when the morn - ing comes,

This block contains the musical notation for measures 13 and 14, which form the beginning of the refrain. The melody continues in the treble staff, and the bass staff provides accompaniment. The lyrics are printed below the treble staff.

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when the saints of God are gath - ered home,

This block contains the musical notation for measures 15 and 16. The melody continues in the treble staff, and the bass staff provides accompaniment. The lyrics are printed below the treble staff.

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we'll tell the sto - ry how we've o - ver - come,

This block contains the musical notation for measures 17 and 18. The melody continues in the treble staff, and the bass staff provides accompaniment. The lyrics are printed below the treble staff.

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for we'll un - der - stand it bet - ter by and by.

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two staves, a treble staff and a bass staff, both in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is written in the treble staff, and the bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment. The lyrics are written below the treble staff. The score is for measures 20 through 25. The lyrics are: 'for we'll un - der - stand it bet - ter by and by.' The music ends with a double bar line at the end of measure 25.