

SACRED POEMS,

HYMNS AND SACRED POEMS. 103

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Hofts to War,
us Sons engage ;
d alike I dare ;
nd proclaim,
he same.

His bleeding Heart shall make you room,
His open Side shall take you in.
He calls you now, invites you home—
Come, O my guilty Brethren, come !

VIII.

For you the purple Current flow'd
In Pardons from his wounded Side :
Languish'd for you th'Eternal God, though sin'd
For you the Prince of Glory dy'd ;
Believe ; and all your Guilt's forgiven,
Only Believe—and yours is Heaven.

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ou I call,
ns, and Thieves !
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k and save !

VII.
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Murders old ;
air and trust !
Death was sold ;
Earth repine, and Mine.
e Yours—and Mine.

VII.
Brethren, come,
our Load of Sin !

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There is Joy in the Presence of the Angels of GOD over one Sinner that repenteth.

LUKE XV. 10.

I.
SING ye Heav'ns, and Earth rejoice,
Make to God a cheerful Noise,
He the Work alone hath done,
He hath glorify'd his Son.

II.
Sons of God exulting rise,
Join the Triumph of the Skies,
See the Prodigal is come,
Shout to bear the Wand'rer home ;

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Strive

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III.

Strive in Joy with Angels strive,
Dead She was, but now's alive,
Loud repeat the glorious Sound,
Lost She was, but now is found !

IV.

This through Ages all along,
This be still the Joyous Song,
Wide diffus'd o'er Earth abroad,
Musick in the Ears of GOD.

V.

Rescued from the Fowler's Snare,
JESUS spreads his Arms for Her,
JESU's Arms her sacred Fence: —
Come, ye Fiends, and pluck her thence !

VI.

Thence She never shall remove,
Safe in His Redeeming Love:
This the Purchase of his Groans !
This the Soul he died for once !

VII.

Now the gracious Father smiles,
Now the Saviour boasts his Spoils ;
Now the Spirit grieves no more :
Sing ye Heav'ns, and Earth adore !

Hallelujah.

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