

The Pilgrims of the Night

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Hymn 485
Hymnal: according to the use of the
Protestant Episcopal Church in the
United States of America 1871

John Rogers Thomas

1. Hark! hark, my soul! An - gel - ic songs are swell - ing
2. On - ward we go, for still we hear them sing - ing,
3. Far, far a - way, like bells at eve - ning peal - ing,
4. Rest comes at length, though life be long and drear - y,
5. An - gels, sing on! your faith - ful watch - es keep - ing;

O'er earth's green fields and o - cean's wave-beat shore;____ How sweet the
"Come, wea - ry souls, for Je - sus bids you come;"____ And, thru the
The voice of Je - sus sounds o'er land and sea,____ And lad - en
The day must dawn, and dark - some night be past;____ All jour - neys
Sing us sweet frag - ments of the songs a - bove;____ Till morn - ing's

Note: The first four lines may be sung in Chorus or by alternating Solo voices.

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truth those bless - ed strains are tell - ing Of that new life when
dark, its ech - oes sweet - ly ring - ing, The mu - sic of the
souls, by thou - sands meek - ly steal - ing, Kind Shep - herd, turn their
end in wel - come to the wea - ry, And heav'n, the heart's true
joy shall end the night of weep - ing, And life's long shad - ows

15 Refrain

sin shall be no more.
Gos - pel leads us home.
wea - ry steps to Thee.
home, will come at last.
break in cloud-less love.

An - gels of Je - sus, — An - gels of

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light, Sing - ing to wel - come the pil - grims of the night.