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FOREWORD

FOR thirty years or more I have compiled and edited music books for Sunday School and Church use, and directed large assemblages in services of song.

The books that bear my name are many. Not a few of them were, and still are, large sellers, but it is my honest opinion that none of my past successes come nearer meeting my high ideal of what a practical all-round and modern music book ought to be than the volume now in your hand. It is my latest and, all things considered, my very best and most satisfactory endeavor.

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JOY TO THE WORLD

No. 1. Joy to the World.

Isaac Watts.

G. F. Handel.

1. Joy to the world, the Lord is come! Let earth re-ceive her
 2. No more let sin and sor-row grow, Nor thorns in-fest the
 3. He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the na-tions

King; Let ev-'ry heart pre-pare Him room, And
 ground; He comes to make His bless-ings flow Far
 prove The glo-ries of His right-eous-ness, And

Heav'n and na-ture sing, And Heav'n and na-ture
 as the curse is found, Far as the curse is
 won-ders of His love, And won-ders of His
 (1) And Heav'n and na-ture sing, (And

sing, And Heav'n, And Heav'n and na-ture sing.
 found, Far as, Far as the curse is found.
 love, And won-ders, And won-ders of His love.
 Heav'n and na-ture sing.)

No. 2. Spend One Hour With Jesus.

Katharine A. Grimes.

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1. Wear - y soul by sin op-pressed, Spend one hour with Je - sus;
2. Do you fear the gath-'ring gloom? Spend one hour with Je - sus;
3. Ev - 'ry need He will sup - ply, Spend one hour with Je - sus;
4. All a - long life's storm-y way, Spend one hour with Je - sus;



He will give your, spir - it rest, Spend one hour with Je - sus:
In the si - lent in - ner room, Spend one hour with Je - sus:
He a - lone can sat - is - fy, Spend one hour with Je - sus:
Call up - on Him day by day, Spend one hour with Je - sus:



He has felt your grief be - fore, Num-bered all your sor - rows e'er,
He will speak un - to your soul, Make your ev - 'ry heart-ache whole,
Oh, the mer - cy He will show, Oh, the grace He will be - stow,
Tell Him all— He is your Friend, He will count-less bless - ings send.



He will ev - 'ry joy re - store; Spend one hour with Je - sus.
Point you to the Heav'n-ly Goal; Spend one hour with Je - sus.
Grace to con - quer ev - 'ry foe; Spend one hour with Je - sus.
He will keep you to the end; Spend one hour with Je - sus.

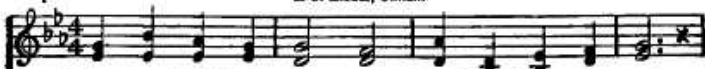


No. 3. Jesus, Friend of Sinners.


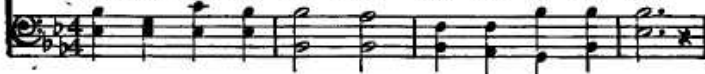
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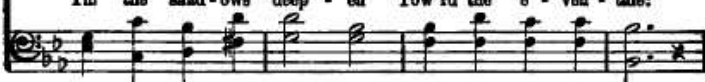
Geo. C. Stebbins.




1. Je - sus, Friend of sin - ners, Hast Thou love for me?
2. Je - sus, Friend of sin - ners, Thou hast read my heart,
3. Je - sus, Friend of sin - ners, Thou hast touched my soul,
4. Je - sus, Friend of sin - ners, Bid me fol - low Thee,
5. Je - sus, Friend of sin - ners, Hold me by Thy side,




Son of God the Ho - ly, Man of mys - ter - y,
Searching its re - ceas - es, With a lov - er's art;
Not with scorn - ful pit - y, Not with beg - gar's dole;
O'er the rug - ged high - ways, E'en to Cal - va - ry;
Till the shad - ows deep - en Tow'rd the e - ven - tide:



Lov - er of the chil - dren, Teach - er of the wise,
Naught have I with - hold - en, Noth - ing hid from Thee,
Thou hast not de - spis - ed Men that faint or fall,
Let me know Thy Spir - it, Sweet and strong and wise;
To Thy strength and beau - ty I would ev - er bend,



Let me read the se - cret In Thy friend - ly eyes.
Waste, or want, or fol - ly, Things that should not be.
Ten - der - er than broth - er, For Thou know - est all.
I would win the friend - ship In Thy lov - ing eyes.
Till, in dawn e - ter - nal, Friend shall be as friend!



No. 4.

I've Found a Friend.

J. G. Small.

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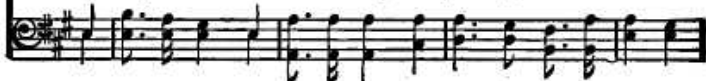
1. I've found a Friend, oh, such a Friend! He loved me ere I knew Him;
2. I've found a Friend, oh, such a Friend! He bled, He died to save me;
3. I've found a Friend, oh, such a Friend! All power to Him is giv - en,
4. I've found a Friend, oh, such a Friend! So kind, and true, and ten - der,



He drew me with the cords of love, And thus He bound me to Him,
 And not a-lone the gift of life, But His own self He gave me.
 To guard me on my on-ward course, And bring me safe to heav - en.
 So wise a Coun - sel - lor and Guide, So might - y a De - fend - er!



And 'round my heart still clos - ly twine Those ties which naught can sev - er,
 Nought that I have my own I call, I hold it for the Giv - er;
 Th' e - ter - nal glo - ries gleam a - far, To nerve my faint en - deav - or:
 From Him, who loves me now so well, What pow'r my soul can sev - er?



For I am His, and He is mine, For - ev - er and for - ev - er.
 My heart, my strength, my life, my all, Are His, and His for - ev - er.
 So now to watch, to work, to war, And then to rest for - ev - er.
 Shall life or death, or earth or hell? No; I am His for - ev - er.



No. 5. Jesus is All the World to Me.

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Wm L. Thompson.

1. Je - sus is all the world to me, My life, my joy, my all;
 2. Je - sus is all the world to me, My Friend in tri - als sore;
 3. Je - sus is all the world to me, And true to Him I'll be;
 4. Je - sus is all the world to me, I want no bet - ter friend;

He is my strength from day to day, With-out Him I would fall.
 I go to Him for bless-ings, and He gives them o'er and o'er.
 Oh, how could I this Friend de - ny, When He's so true to me?
 I trust Him now, I'll trust Him when Life's fleet-ing days shall end.

When I am sad, to Him I go, No oth - er one can
 He send the sun - shine and the rain, He send the har - vest's
 Fol - low - ing Him I know I'm right, He watch - es o'er me
 Beau - ti - ful life with such a Friend; Beau - ti - ful life that

cheer me so; When I am sad He makes me glad, He's my Friend.
 gold - en grain; Sun - shine and rain, har - vest of grain, He's my Friend.
 day and night; Fol - low - ing Him, by day and night, He's my Friend.
 has no end; E - ter - nal life, e - ter - nal joy, He's my Friend.