

Down from Their Home on High
James Carter, 1881.

Down from their home on high,
Down thro' the starry sky,
Angels descending fly,
While the earth shaketh;
Roll they the stone away
From where the Savior lay
Out into glorious day
His way He taketh.

Refrain

Loud hallelujahs! Loud hallelujahs!
Our risen Savior, to Thee we sing:
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

He from the grave is gone,
Treading the way alone;
Death now is overthrown
By His endeavor!
Where is thy victory
O Grave? and where shall be,
O Death, our fear of thee?
Vanished forever!

Refrain

Sing we Thy praise for aye,
Who washed our sins away;
Unto Thy name alway
We shall be singing:
Far down the tracts of time,
Shall every earthly clime
Join in the song sublime,
With praises ringing!

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