

One Thousand Years

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The promise has been given that our Lord will come again,  
And earth will bloom with beauty when with angels He appears;  
Then He o'er sin will triumph, and no death, no grief nor pain  
Shall be in His dominion while He reigns one thousand years.

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One thousand years of gladness, one thousand years of peace,  
Shall come when Jesus reigns on earth and bids all strife to cease;  
One thousand years of blessing, one thousand years of love,  
Will make this world resplendent with glory from above.

Then Satan shall be bound with chains and in the pit be thrown,  
Where, held a captive he no more the nations can deceive;  
While those who have been true to Christ and suffering for Him known,  
The resurrection call shall hear and all their graves shall leave.

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Oh! blessed are the faithful who shall then be first to rise,  
For over them the second death no power can obtain;  
Their Savior's face they shall behold with glad, adoring eyes,  
And sharing in His kingdom, they one thousand years shall reign.

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