

Listen, Sisters! Listen, Brothers!

Carolyn Gillette, 1999.

Benjamin White, 1844.

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To the news that we proclaim.

Spread the word, and tell your neighbors

We have life in Jesus' name.

All because God loves us dearly,

Jesus died for all our sin.

On the third day, God showed clearly,

Love has conquered, death can't win.

What could be our proclamation

If our Lord had not been raised?

For without his resurrection,

What could give hope to our days?

But, in fact, our Christ is living;

First to live, of those who've died.

For as all are lost through Adam,

So in Christ, we're made alive.

What is sown will surely perish;

What is raised will still endure.

What is sown is sown in weakness;

What is raised will die no more.

Flesh and blood cannot inherit

That great kingdom God will bring.

God will change us, never fear it!

Death, defeated, has no sting.