

O Lord of Life, Where'er They Be  
Frederick Hosmer, 1888.  
Melchior Vulpius(1560-1615)

O Lord of life, where'er they be,  
Safe in Thine own eternity,  
Our dead are living unto Thee:  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

All souls are Thine, and here or there  
They rest within Thy sheltering care;  
One providence alike they share:  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thy Word is true, Thy ways are just;  
Above the requiem, "Dust to dust,"  
Shall rise our psalm of grateful trust:  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

O happy they in God who rest,  
No more by fear and doubt oppressed,  
Living or dying, they are blest:  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!