

# Harvest Bells

William Evander Penn, 1882

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The musical score consists of two staves of music in common time, key signature of one flat. The top staff uses a treble clef and the bottom staff uses a bass clef. The tempo is marked as 115 BPM. The lyrics are integrated into the music, appearing below the notes. The first section of lyrics is:

1. O Christ - ian! do not fal - ter, The har - vest field is white, And  
2. O reap - ers! quick - ly ga - ther The pre - cious gold - en sheaves, That  
3. So few we find the lab - 'ers, The har - vest, oh, how great! Then

The second section of lyrics, labeled "Refrain", follows:

ma - ny souls are sink - ing In - to e - ter - nal night. The har-vest bells are  
day and night are fall - ing Like au - tumn's with-ered leaves.  
slum-ber not, dear Christ-ian, For soon 'twill be too late.

The third section of lyrics continues:

ring-ing, We hear them night and day; The har-vest bells are peal-ing, Go work, and  
Go work,

The fourth section of lyrics concludes:

watch, and pray; The har-vest bells are peal-ing, Go work, watch, pray.  
and watch, and pray;