

The Morning Light

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1. The morn-ing light is sure-ly grow-ing bright-er, The star of Beth-le-hem, how
2. Ho! ev-ery one that thirst-eth, take the wa-ters! Be-hold the pre-cious bread of
3. The time fore-told is dai-ly draw-ing near-er, When Christ will show us plain-ly

pure its gen-tle ray; The gloom-y sky is grow-ing clear-er, light-er, And soon will dawn the
life for all that will; The Fount of Right-eous-ness, O sons and daugh-ters, Your long-ing, hun-gry
of the Fa-ther's love; And saints His will, with vi-sion grow-ing clear-er, Shall do on earth as

bless-èd, per-fect day. At last the veil for us is rent a-sun-der, The
thirst-ing souls can fill. Come un-to Him, all ye that toil and la-bor, And
done in Heav'n a-bove. See now the wait-ing har-vest stand-ing thick-ly, And

Spir-it speak-eth as it ne-ver spake be-fore; We see and hear, we
ye who are with hea-vy loads of sin op-pressed; Now learn to serve the
lo! the Mas-ter is the Prince of Beth-le-hem; Make rea-dy all! be-

feel a thrill of won-der, To find the Mas-ter knock-ing at the door.
Lord and love thy neigh-bor, And He will give your wea-ry spir-its rest.
- hold He com-eth quick-ly, To gar-ner for the New Je-ru-sa-lem!