

Charles Wesley, 1746
Funeral Hymns


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Funeral Hymn


Transcribed from *The Virginia Harmony*, 1831.

C Major


James P. Carrell, 1831


Tr  5 10

1. Rejoice for a brother deceased, Our loss is his in - fin - ite gain; A soul out of prison released, And freed from its bodily chain:


T  8

2. Our brother the haven hath gained, Out - fly - ing the tempest and wind, His rest he hath sooner obtained, And left his companions behind;
3. There all the ship's company meet, Who sailed with the Savior beneath, With shouting each other they greet, And triumph o'er trouble and death:


B 

Tr  15 20 25

1. With songs let us follow his flight, And mount with his spirit above, Es - caped to the mansions of light, And lodged in the Eden of love.

T  8

2. Still tossed on a sea of distress, Hard toiling to make the blest shore, Where all is assurance and peace, And sorrow and sin are no more.
3. The voyage of life's at an end, The mortal affliction is past, The age that in heaven they spend For ever and ever shall last.

B 

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Measure 22, *Treble*: second note changed from B to G (marked Sol).