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Lord, in Thy Name Thy servants plead

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1. Lord, in Thy Name Thy ser - vants plead, And Thou hast sworn to hear;
2. Our hope, when au - tumn winds blew wild, We trust - ed, Lord, with Thee;
3. The for - mer and the lat - ter rain, The sum - mer sun and air,
4. Thine too by right, and ours by grace, The wond - rous growth un - seen,
5. So grant the pre - cious things brought forth By sun and moon be - low,

Thine is the har - vest, Thine the seed, The fresh and fad - ing year.
And now, when spring has on us smiled, We wait on Thy de - cree.
The green ear and the gol - den grain, All Thine, are ours by prayer.
The hopes that soothe, the fears that brace, The love that shines se - rene.
That Thee in Thy new heaven and earth We ne - ver may for - go.