

Isaac Watts, 1719
(Psalm 90)
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1. Re - turn, O God of love, re - turn; Earth is a tire - some place: How
2. Let heav'n suc - ceed our pain - ful years, Let sin and sor - row cease; And
3. Thy won - ders to Thy ser - vants show, Make Thy own work com - plete; Then
4. Then shall we shine be - fore Thy throne, In all Thy beau - ty, Lord; And

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long shall we, Thy child - ren mourn Our ab - sence from Thy face?
in pro - por - tion to our tears So make our joys in - crease.
8 shall our souls Thy glo - ry know, And own Thy love was great.
the poor ser - vice we have done Meet a di - vine re - ward.