Two Hymns

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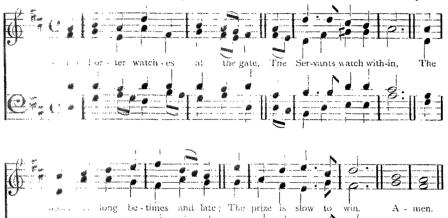
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- Watchman, what of the night, but still
 His answer sounds the same;
 No daybreak tops the utmost hill,
 Nor pale our lamps of flame.
- One to another hear them speak
 The patient virgins wise;
 Surely he is not far to seek!
 All night we watch and rise!
- 4. The days are evil—looking back, The coming days are dim; Yet count we not His promise slack, But watch and wait for Him!
- 5. One with another—soul with soul They kindle fire from fire; Friends watch us—who have touched the goal, They urge us -come up higher!
- With them shall rest our waysore feet,
 With them is built our home,
 With Christ! They sweet, but He most sweet,
 Sweeter than honeycomb.
- There—no more parting, no more pain
 The distant ones—brought near;
 The lost so long—are found again
 Long lost, but longer dear.
- Eye hath not seen, ear hath not heard
 Nor heart conceived—that Rest!
 With them—our good things—long deferred
 With Jesus Christ, our Best! Amen.