

The Pilgrim Way

*These all... confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth.
For they that say such things declare plainly that they seek a country. Heb. 11:13-14*

1. Up - ward toils the ea - ger pil - grim, Press - ing on - ward to his home,
2. Oft the way is rough and thorn - y, And the pil - grim's feet are bare,
3. Oft he jour - neys through the val - ley, And the night seems dark and long,
4. Some - times too, from mount or hill - top, His en - rapt - ured eyes be - hold,
5. Soon he'll cross the mys - tic riv - er, And on yon - der peace - ful shore,

Now in sun - shine, now in shad - ow— But the per - fect day will come.
But his Lord hath once passed o'er it, Leav - ing shin - ing foot - prints there.
But the joy that comes with morn - ing, Turns his sor - rows in - to song.
Gleam - ing in the sun - set glo - ry, Gates of pearl and streets of gold!
All his wear - y wan - d'ring end - ed, Dwell with Je - sus ev - er - more.

Refrain

Yes, the path - way grow - eth bright - er, Grow - eth bright - er all the way,

As it nears the heav'n - ly cit - y, And the realms of end - less day.