Watch and Pray

Take ye heed, watch and pray: for ye know not when the time is. Mk. 13:33
Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak. Mt. 26:41

1. Watch and pray that when the Master cometh, If at morning, noon, or night,
2. Watch and pray; the tempter may be near us; Keep the heart with jealous care;
3. Watch and pray, nor let us ever weary; Jesus watched and prayed alone;
4. Watch and pray, nor leave our post of duty, Till we hear the Bridegroom’s voice;

He may find a lamp in every window, Trimmed, and burning clear and bright.
Lest the door, a moment left unguarded, Evil thoughts may enter there.
Prayed for us when only stars held Him, While on O-live’s brow they shone.
Then with Him the marriage feast partaking, We shall evermore rejoice.

Refrain

Watch and pray, the Lord commandeth;
Watch and pray, the Lord commandeth, watch and pray, the Lord commandeth;

Watch and pray, ’twill not be long;
Watch and pray, ’twill not be long, watch and pray, ’twill not be long; Soon He’ll gather home His loved ones,

Soon He’ll gather home His loved ones, To the happy vale of song (of song).