IN PEACE AND JOY I NOW DEPART

1. In peace and joy I now leave
   Same-as GOD-HIS Word promises
   Because full of comfort is my heart,
   Softly resting.
   So the Lord has promised me
   That death is only sleeping.

2. Truly Christ has done this work for me,
   My faithful Savior,
   Jesus, YOU have made my eyes see,
   By YOUR mercy.
   Now I know Jesus is my life,
   My help in need and dying.

3. Jesus you have put before us,
   People-their great salvation,
   And to GOD-HIS kingdom called on earth,
   To every nation
   Through YOUR dear and wonderful Word,
   In every place spoken.

4. Jesus is the hope and saving light
   Of people on earth,
   By Jesus are people that live in darkness
   Given food and made light.
   Jesus is our praise and blessing,
   Our joy, gift and glory. Amen

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