Jesus, Shepherd of the Sheep

1 Jesus, shepherd of the sheep, Who your Father’s flock does keep,
Safe we wake and safe we sleep, Guard-ed still by you.

2 In your promise firm we stand; None can take us from your hand.
Speak — we hear — at your command, We will follow you.

3 By your blood our souls were bought; By your life salvation wrought;
By your light our feet are taught, Lord, to follow you.

4 Father, draw us to your Son; We with joy will follow on
Till the work of grace is done, There to live with you.

5 We, in robes of glory dressed, Join th’as-sem-bly of the blest,
Gathered to e-ter-nal rest In the fold with you.

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