

Our eyes have seen the glory
(MP549)

- 1 Our eyes have seen the glory
of our Saviour, Christ the Lord;
He is seated at His Father's side
in love and full accord;
from there upon the sons of men
His Spirit is out-poured,
all hail, ascended King!
*Glory, glory, hallelujah,
glory, glory, hallelujah,
glory, glory, hallelujah,
all hail, ascended King!*
- 2 He came to earth at Christmas
and was made a man like us;
He taught, He healed, He suffered –
and they nailed Him to the cross;
He rose again on Easter Day –
our Lord victorious,
all hail, ascended King!
Glory, glory . . .
- 3 The good news of His kingdom
must be preached to every shore,
the news of peace and pardon,
and the end of strife and war;
the secret of His kingdom
is to serve Him evermore,
all hail, ascended King!
Glory, glory . . .
- 4 His kingdom is a family
of men of every race,
they live their lives in harmony,
enabled by His grace;
they follow His example
till they see Him face to face,
all hail, ascended King!
Glory, glory . . .

Hear the call of the kingdom
(MP1282)

- 1 Hear the call of the kingdom,
lift your eyes to the King;
let His song rise within you
as a fragrant offering
of how God, rich in mercy,
came in Christ to redeem
all who trust in His unfailing grace.
- 2 Hear the call of the kingdom
to be children of light
with the mercy of heaven,
the humility of Christ;
walking justly before Him,
loving all that is right,
that the life of Christ may shine
through us.
*King of heaven, we will answer the call.
We will follow, bringing hope to the
world,
filled with passion, filled with power to
proclaim
salvation in Jesus' name.*
- 3 Hear the call of the kingdom
to reach out to the lost
with the Father's compassion
in the wonder of the cross,
bringing peace and forgiveness,
and a hope yet to come:
let the nations put their trust in us.
King of heaven . . .

Facing a task unfinished (MP126)

- 1 Facing a task unfinished,
that drives us to our knees,
a need that, undiminished,
rebukes our slothful ease,
we who rejoice to know Thee,
renew before Thy throne
the solemn pledge we owe Thee,
to go and make Thee known.
- 2 Where other lords beside Thee
hold their unhindered sway,
where forces that defied Thee
defy Thee still today,
with none to heed their crying
for life, and love, and light,
unnumbered souls are dying,
and pass into the night.
- 3 We bear the torch that, flaming,
fell from the hands of those
who gave their lives, proclaiming
that Jesus died and rose.
Ours is the same commission,
the same glad message ours;
fired by the same ambition,
to Thee we yield our powers.
- 4 O Father who sustained them,
O Spirit who inspired,
Saviour, whose love constrained
them
to toil with zeal untired,
from cowardice defend us,
from lethargy awake!
Forth on Thine errands send us,
to labour for Thy sake.