

As with Gladness

1 As with glad-ness men of old did the guid-ing
2 As with joy-ful steps they sped to that low-ly
3 As they of-fered gifts most rare at that man-ger
4 Ho-ly Je-sus, ev-ery day keep us in the

star be-hold; as with joy they hailed its light,
man-ger bed, there to bend the knee be-fore
rude and bare, so may we with ho-ly joy,
nar-row way; and when earth-ly things are past,

lead-ing on-ward, beam-ing bright, so, most gra-ti-ous
him whom heaven and earth a-dore, so, may we with
pure and free from sin's al-loy, all our cost-liest
bring our ran-somed lives at last where they need no

Lord, may we ev-er-more your splen-dor see.
wil-ling feet e-ver seek the mer-cy seat.
treas-ures bring, Christ, to you, our heav-en-ly King,
star to guide, where no clouds thy glo-ry hide.