

A Better Home

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1. Ev - er si - nce I have been Liv - ing in this world of sin, I have
2. It was wh - en I was young I be - gan to think up - on My con-
3. When I re - al - ized I had Found the Lord, I was so glad, For I
4. O - ld Sa - tan tried to get Me to live a hyp - o - crite, And to
5. I tried it for a while, Keep - ing up with ev - ery style, And was
6. Then I put the world a - side, Tak - ing Je - sus for my guide, I be-

ha - d tri - als al - most ev - ery day; Al - ways some - thing, more or less, To des-
- di - tion as a sin - ner u - n - saved; And at once made up my mind, While I
- tho - ught all my tri - als would be done; That my way would al - ways be One con-
o - n - l - y have an out - ward form; He said time had changed the way, And in
- trying to get the crown with - out the cross. I found it would not do; For the
- gan to try to walk the nar - row way. It is te - dious, I ad - mit, But I

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- troy my hap - pi - ness, An - d this is how I've co - me all the way.
- had suf - fi - cient time, I would bo - w on my kne - es an - d pray.
- tin - uous ju - bi - lee, But I fo - und out my trials had just be - gun. I have
this en - light - ened day T - o do what - e'er you ple - ase is no harm.
Word of God is true. And un - less I live up - right I would be lost.
am not wear - y yet; I shall tra - vel on un - til the per - fect day.

start - ed out to find a bet - ter home, Where the tri - als of this life can ne - ver come. There with

rel - a - tives and friends, I shall be so hap - py then, In the pre - sence of the Lo - rd all the time.