

## WATCH AND PRAY

[17.]

- 1 **W**ATCH, for the time is short ;  
 Watch, while 'tis call'd to-day ;  
 Watch, lest the world prevail ;  
 Watch, Christian, watch and pray ;  
 Watch, for the flesh is weak ;  
 Watch, for the foe is strong ;  
 Watch, lest the bridegroom come ;  
 Watch, tho' He tarry long.

## CHORUS.

O, watch and pray,  
 O, watch in the darkness  
 And watch in the day ;  
 Christian, watch and pray.

- 2 Chase slumber from thine eyes ;  
 Chase doubting from thy breast ;  
 Thine is the promis'd prize ;  
 Of heaven's eternal rest ;  
 Watch, Christian, watch and pray ;  
 Thy Saviour watch'd for thee ;  
 Till from His brow they pour'd  
 Great drops of agony.  
 CHO.—O watch and pray, &c.

- 3 Take Jesus for thy trust ;  
 Watch, watch for ever more ;  
 Watch, for thou soon must sleep  
 With thousands gone before ;