

TIME IN FLIGHT.

A "NEW CENTURY" SONG OF PRAISE.

Time in flight, the ages roll,
Tide eternal, light and shade,
Boundless sea whereon the soul
Blesseth Christ's "Be not afraid":
Time in flight, a hundred years,
Gone, begun, in hate and love:
Storm and calm alike have fears:
Guidance cometh from above.

Time in flight, life's helm in hand,
Christ our Captain, God the Lord:
Helpless, trustful, let us stand,
'Taking courage from His Word:
Truth the standard of our faith,
Fealty's banner raised on high,
God eternal, life or death,
Fear we naught since Thou art nigh!

Time in flight, O give us light,
God the Father, God the Son,
Majesty and meekness,—might,
Spirit regnant, God the One!
Doubts defied and hopes unfurled,
Higher yet our aims in view,
Love can make of life a world
Throbbing with the good and true.

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