Men that would shudder for to hear Of carnage made with sword or spear; Reluctant even for to state Those horrid scenes we now relate:

Whose minds were minds of love and truth, These were the guardians of those youths, Who strove to teach the youthful minds, To bear this love to all mankind.

But mark the words I now relate, Those very men I candid state; But with their conscience interfere And you will find a fee severe.

This Court they think belongs to main, There, Sires they say should never stand; It is the Birthright of the Slave Though torn from him by the knave.

And Conscience is the Court I mean-Where no usurper should be seen; No See or Sire they think hath right Against their birthright for to fight.

They state that Daniel they do see, He from this standard would not flee, He'd rather face the Lions' den Than sacrifice the rights of men.

So likewise they at duty's call, Would boldly face both sword and ball; Their country's rights for to maintain, Amidst the dying and the slain.

Yes freedom's cause they would defend, For Queen and country they'd contend Mothers would their Sovereign lend Their sons, those rights for to defend.