

## “BEHOLD, I STAND AT THE DOOR.”

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1 Knocking, knocking, who is there? Waiting, waiting, oh, how fair!

'Tis a pil - grin strange and king - ly, Nev - er such' was seen be - fore.

Ah, my soul, for such a wonder, Wilt thou not un - do the door?

**CHORUS.** *cres.*

*p* Knocking, knocking, who is there? Waiting, waiting, Oh, so fair!

*cres.*

2 Knocking, knocking, still He's there,  
Waiting, waiting, wondrous fair;  
But the door is hard to open,  
For the weeds and ivy-vine,  
With their dark and clinging tendrils,  
Ever round the hinges twine.

3 Knocking, knocking—what, still there?  
Waiting, waiting, grand and fair;  
Yes, the pierced hand still knocketh,

And beneath the crowned hair  
Beam the patient eyes, so tender,  
Of thy Saviour, waiting there.

4 Knocking ! knocking ! what, still there ?  
Wait not longer, grand and fair !  
My poor heart is longing for Thee,  
Beateth quick,—flings wide the door,  
Come, my Saviour, whisper to me  
Thy forgiveness evermore.