

The Magi.

Evening fell—

ND lo! their star come softly gleaming
O'er the Eastern Princes' way,
Iill its rays, divinely guided,
Rested where Emmanuel lay!
Entering, with unsandall'd footsteps
Bethlehem's lowly, hallow'd Cave,
And bending low, their Orient treasures
To the Infant Saviour gave!

Burnished gold was Gaspar's offering,
Precious gift from Persian mine;
Let us kneel with him and offer
Love to Mary's Babe divine,
Love to Jesus and to Mary,
Love we trust shall ne'er grow cold.
Our Infant Saviour smiles His welcome,
'Iis to Him the purest gold!