

## Poetry.

## LET ME GO.

Let me go! my soul is weary,  
In the desert where I roost.  
Let me go! the way is dreary—  
Let the wanderer go home!  
I am weary of the darkness  
Of those lonely, falling streams—  
Let me go! where fountains are flashing  
In the light of Heaven's beams!

Let me go! my soul is thirsting  
For those waters, bright and clear  
From the Fount of Glory bursting—  
Ah! Why keep I a pilgrim here?  
I can catch the far-off murmur  
Of Life's River, sweet and low,  
Calling, from Earth's bitter waters,  
Unto them—O let me go!

Let me go! my heart is fainting  
'Neath its weight of sin and tears,  
And my wakeful eyes are failing  
With these ever-falling tears!  
For the morning I am sighing,  
While I Earth's long vigils keep,  
Heroes loved are over dying,  
And the loving live to weep!

Let me go! I faint would follow,  
Where I know their steps have passed—  
Far beyond Life's hearing billows,  
Finding home and heaven at last!  
While my exiled heart is pining  
To behold "my Father's" face,  
They, in His own brightness shining,  
Bewaken me to that blest place!

Let me go! I hear them calling,  
"Ho! thou weary one—come home!"  
Words, which on mine ear are falling,  
Where'er my footstep roams.  
How gladly would I listen,  
Gladly lay mine armor down,  
And with eager footstep hasten  
Where awaits the conqueror's crown!

Let me go! O, who would linger,  
Fainting, fearing, and athirst,  
When before you lies a region  
Where undying pleasures burst?  
Let me go! my soul is springing  
For its flight from Earth's dark vale,  
And would fain its way be winging  
Where no storms will ever assail!

Let me go! but, Heavenly Father!  
Thou dost hear thine orphan cry!  
When around me tempest gather,  
Thou dost sit above the sky.  
Trusting Thee, through thine Announced,  
I can yet contend with pain—  
Knowing, in thine hour appointed,  
Thou wilt take the wanderer home.

—New York Evangelist.

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previous to the meeting of the Legislature, cause this  
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HENRY C. D. TWING,

Jan. 3. Clerk of Assembly.

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on the vote of the Share Holders, of Twenty per cent on  
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or paid in, the Banking Company to commence busi-  
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which will remain so, till the 1st February next, wherein  
individuals can subscribe for the number of shares they  
may desire to have. Parties not residing in Halifax can  
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Society, Bedford Row, to which access can be had  
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