

Not hard to learn what Jesus said;
And of the Golden Rule He taught;
Nor how He ransomed! how he bled
And bought!

HEROIC DEEDS!

Heroic deeds! nursed with sea weeds
Within the bosom of the deep,
Will thrill the soul as ages roll,
Till nobler joys the Nations reap.

Heroic deeds! with trampled reeds,
Long nursed together on the shore;
Prompt scribes to tell how bravely fell,
Our fathers, centuries before.

Heroic deeds! on hills and meads,
Where brother now in conflict dies,
Should whet the thought that Britons bought
Our liberty through sacrifice.

Heroic deeds! where flares the treads
At night, before the battle fray:
They serve as signs so many times
To give instructions for the day.

Heroic deeds! with prancing steeds,
While rushing to the battle fray,
Will make the friend of Belgium
Feel, Briton means that right shall sway.

Heroic deeds! Great Britain needs
To guard our wider growing seas,