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But sweeter far than all the rest which Jesus loves to hear,

- Are children's voices, when they breathe a missionary prayer;
- When they bring the heart petition to the great Redeemer's throne,
- That He will choose the heathen out and take them for His own.
- This is the music Jesus taught when He was here below,
- This is the music Jesus loves to hear in glory now.
- And many a one from distant lands will reach His heavenly home
- In answer to the children's prayer, "O Lord, Thy kingdom come."
- Then, missionary children, let this music never cease:
- Work on, work on in earnest for the Lord, the Prince of Peace.
- There is praying work and paying work for every heart and hand,
- Till the missionary chorus shall go forth through all the land.