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1 Trials dark on every hand,  
and we cannot understand  
all the ways of God would lead us  
to that blessed promised land;  
but he guides us with his eye,  
and we'll follow till we die,  
for we'll understand it better by and by.

2 We are tossed and driven  
on the restless sea of time;  
somber tides and howling tempests  
oft succeed a bright sunshine;  
in that land of perfect day,  
when the mists are rolled away,  
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