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WATCHMAN TELL US OF THE NIGHT,
 — A —
 FAVORITE SACRED
SONG AND TRIO,
 — WRITTEN —
 — by —
BOWRING,
 — Composed and Arranged —
 — by —
WILLIAM CLIFTON.

VOCE

Moderato

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Thomas Birch, in the Clerk's office of the District Court, of the Southern District of New York.

Watchman, tell us of the night, What its signs of promise are,

p

Traveller, o'er you mountain's height, See that glo . . . ry beam . ing star;

sf

Watchman, does its beauteous ray, Aught of hope, or joy fore . tel,

mf

Traveller, yes it brings the day, Prom . is'd day of Is . . ra . el.

p *sf*

TRIO.

Primo. Watch . . man, yes it brings the day, Prom . . is'd

Secondo. Watch . . man, yes it brings the day, Promis'd

Bass. Watch . . man, yes it brings the day, Prom . . is'd

Moderato. *mf*

day of Is . . . ra . el.

day of Is . . . ra . el.

day of Is . . . ra . el.

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Watchman, tell us of the night,
 Higher yet that star ascends,
 Trav'ler, blessedness and light,
 Peace and truth its course portends:
 Watchman, will its beams alone,
 Gild the spot that gave them birth,
 Trav'ler, ages are its own,
 See it bursts o'er all the earth.
 Trav'ler, ages &c.

3

Watchman, tell us of the night,
 For the morning seems to dawn,
 Trav'ler, darkness takes its flight,
 Doubt and terror are withdrawn;
 Watchman, let thy wandrings cease.
 Hie thee to thy quiet home,
 Trav'ler, lo the Prince of Peace,
 Lo, the Son of God is come.
 Trav'ler, lo &c.