



The sun

**George James Webb
(1803-1887)**

The sun

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S O see the love - ly, gold - en sun, His high, his heav'n - ly

A O see the love - ly, gold - en sun, His high, his heav'n - ly

T O see the love - ly, gold - en sun, His high, his heav'n - ly

B O see the love - ly, gold - en sun, His high, his heav'n - ly

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S path - way run! O see the love - ly, gold - en sun, His

A path - way run! O see the love - ly, gold - en sun, His

T path - way run! O see the love - ly, gold - en sun, His

B path - way run! O see the love - ly, gold - en sun, His



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S high, his heav'n - ly path - way run! What bids him leave, so fresh and —

A high, his heav'n - ly path - way run! What bids him leave, so fresh and —

T high, his heav'n - ly path - way run! What bids him leave, so fresh and

B high, his heav'n - ly path - way run! What bids him leave, so fresh and

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S bright, His east - ern throne of morn - ing light? What bids him

A bright, His east - ern throne of morn - ing light? What bids him

T bright, His east - ern throne of morn - ing light? What bids him

B bright, His east - ern throne of morn - ing light? What bids him

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S leave, so fresh and — bright, His east - ern throne of morn - ing light?

A leave, so fresh and — bright, His east - ern throne of morn - ing light?

T leave, so fresh and bright, His east - ern throne of morn - ing light?

B leave, so fresh and bright, His east - ern throne of morn - ing light?

The sun

S A sea of fire, he sails on high; Sheds light and warmth o'er

A A sea of fire, he sails on high; Sheds light and warmth o'er

T A sea of fire, he sails on high; Sheds light and warmth o'er

B A sea of fire, he sails on high; Sheds light and warmth o'er

39 S earth and sky, A sea of fire, he sails on high; Sheds

A earth and sky, A sea of fire, he sails on high; Sheds

T earth and sky, A sea of fire, he sails on high; Sheds

B earth and sky, A sea of fire, he sails on high; Sheds

45 S light and warmth o'er earth and sky, And nev - er tires or sinks to

A light and warmth o'er earth and sky, And nev - er tires or sinks to

T light and warmth o'er earth and sky, And nev - er tires or sinks to

B light and warmth o'er earth and sky, And nev - er tires or sinks to

The sun

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S rest, Till filled with joy is ev - 'ry breast, And nev - er

A rest, Till filled with joy is ev - 'ry breast, And nev - er

T rest, Till filled with joy is ev - 'ry breast, And nev - er

B rest, Till filled with joy is ev - 'ry breast, And nev - er

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S tires to sink and rest, Till filled with joy is ev - 'ry breast.

A tires to sink and rest, Till filled with joy is ev - 'ry breast.

T tires to sink and rest, Till filled with joy is ev - 'ry breast.

B tires to sink and rest, Till filled with joy is ev - 'ry breast.

S Thus, day by day, a - gain he'll rise, And walk in glo - ry

A Thus, day by day, a - gain he'll rise, And walk in glo - ry

T Thus, day by day, a - gain he'll rise, And walk in glo - ry

B Thus, day by day, a - gain he'll rise, And walk in glo - ry

The sun

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S thro' the skies, Thus, day by day, a - gain he'll rise, And

A thro' the skies, Thus, day by day, a - gain he'll rise, And

T thro' the skies, Thus, day by day, a - gain he'll rise, And

B thro' the skies, Thus, day by day, a - gain he'll rise, And

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S walk in glo - ry thro' the skies; From morn to night, from shore to —

A walk in glo - ry thro' the skies; From morn to night, from shore to —

T walk in glo - ry thro' the skies; From morn to night, from shore to

B walk in glo - ry thro' the skies; From morn to night, from shore to

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S shore, He'll rise to bless, till time is o'er, From morn to

A shore, He'll rise to bless, till time is o'er, From morn to

T shore, He'll rise to bless, till time is o'er, From morn to

B shore, He'll rise to bless, till time is o'er, From morn to

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S
night, from shore to shore, He'll rise to bless, till time is o'er.

A
night, from shore to shore, He'll rise to bless, till time is o'er.

T
night, from shore to shore, He'll rise to bless, till time is o'er.

B
night, from shore to shore, He'll rise to bless, till time is o'er.

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(1843)

George James Webb (1803-1887) was born at Rushmore Lodge, near Salisbury in Wiltshire, England. He trained early in England and was an organist in Falmouth, England. He emigrated to Boston, Massachusetts, in 1830. He was organist at the Old South Church in Boston for nearly 40 years and was organist at the Boston Church of the New Jerusalem. With Lowell Mason, he founded the Boston Academy of Music. He was president of the Handel and Haydn Society. In 1871, he left Boston, taught in New York from 1876-1885, and retired to Orange, New Jersey. He was an editor for the journals "The Music Library" and "The Music Cabinet." He published the books "Vocal Techniques" and "Voice Culture," and was editor and arranger of the collections "Young Ladies' Vocal Class Book," "The Glee Hive," "The New Odeon," "The Vocalist," the "Little Songster," and "Cantica Laudis." He composed organ music, choral music, songs, and hymns. His most well-known composition is his part-song "'Tis Dawn, the Lark is Singing." The original song was well received and later adapted as a hymn with the addition of sacred words "Stand up, stand up for Jesus."

O see the lovely, golden sun,
His high, his heavenly pathway run!
What bids him leave, so fresh and bright,
His eastern throne of morning light?

A sea of fire, he sails on high;
Sheds light and warmth o'er earth and sky,
And never tires to sink and rest,
Till filled with joy is every breast.

Thus, day by day, again he'll rise,
And walk in glory thro' the skies;
From morn to night, from shore to shore,
He'll rise to bless, till time is o'er.

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