

Behold, He Cometh

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1. A - wake, ye that slum - ber, A - wake from your sleep, With
2. A - wake, ye that slum - ber, His wel - come pre - pare. A-
3. A - wake, ye that slum - ber, No long - er de - spise The

lamps trimmed and burn - ing, A watch you must keep, You know not how
- wake and be rea - dy, His ban - quet to share. The hour is ap-
warn - ing that bids you Be watch - ful and wise. The Bride - groom may

quick - ly, The cry you may hear, Go forth to meet the Bride - groom, For
- proach - ing, No time for re - pose, The o - pen door of mer - cy, For-
tar - ry, But true to His word, Your bless - ed call to meet Him Will

Refrain

lo, He is near. Be - hold, He com - eth, The bless - ed Bride - groom
- ev - er may close. Be - hold,
sure - ly be heard.

com-eth, Then go ye forth to meet Him, A glad and grate-ful throng. Be - hold, He
Be-hold,

com-eth, The bless-èd Bride-groom com - eth, Then go ye forth to meet Him, With a

hap-py, hap-py song.