

Father, To Us Thy Children

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1.) Fath - er, to us Thy child - ren hum - bly kneel - ing,
2.) That we may con - quer base de - sire and pas - sion,
3.) Let all Thy good - ness by our minds be heed - ed,

5 Con - scious of weak - ness, ig - n'rance, sin and shame,
That we may rise from self - ish thought and will,
Let all Thy mer - cy on our souls be sealed;

9 Give such a force of ho - ly thought and feel - ing,
O'er - come the world's al - lure - ment, threat, and fash - ion,
Thy pow'r, O Lord, can give the cleans - ing need - ed;

13 That we may live to glo - ri - fy Thy name.
Walk hum - bly, gent - ly, lean - ing on Thy name.
O, speak the word, Thy ser - vants shall be healed.