

China C.M.

Isaac Watts

Timothy Swan, 1801.

1. Why do we mourn de - par - ting friends, Or shake at death's a - larms? 'Tis but the voice that Je - sus sends, To call them to His arms.

2. Why should we trem-ble to con - vey Their bo - dies to the tomb? There the dear flesh of Je - sus lay, And van - ished all the gloom.

3. Thence He a - rose, as - cend - ed high, And showed our feet the way; Up to the Lord our souls shall fly, At the great ris - ing day.