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**<u>Document:</u>** "Come Away to the Skies," and "Away with Our Fears!" two hymns transcribed

by Thomas Welsh

## **Transcription:**

With singing we praise, the original grace, By Our heavenly Father bestowed; Our being receive from his bounty and live To the honor and glory of God

For the glory we are, created to share,
Both the nature and kingdom divine:
Created again that our souls may remain,
In time and eternity thine.
With thanks we approve the design of thy love,
Which hath joined us in Jesus's name;
So united in heart, that we never can part,
Till we meet at the feast of the Lamb.

With thanks I rejoice, in Thy fatherly choice Of my state and condition below; If of parents I came, who honored they name, 'Twas Thy wisdom appointed it so.

I sing of thy grace, from my earlies days,
Every near to allure and defend
Hitherto Thou hast been, my preserver from sin,
And I trust thou wilt save to the end.
O the infinite cares, and temptations, and snares,
Thy hand hath conducted me through!
O the blessings bestowed, by a bountiful God,
And the mercies eternally new.

## **Analysis: McMahon**

The first 12 lines are verses 3, 4, and 5 of "Come Away to the Skies," a hymn by Charles Wesley. The second 12 lines are verses 2, 3, and 4 of Away with Our Fears! the Glad Morning Appears" a hymn also by Charles Wesley.



## **Scope and Content:**

Various versus from two hymns included in "A Collection of Hymns for Methodists." Transcribed by Thomas Welsh. The first 12 lines are verses 3, 4, and 5 of "Come Away to the Skies," a hymn by Charles Wesley. The second 12 lines are verses 2, 3, and 4 of "Away with Our Fears! the Glad Morning Appears," a hymn also by Charles Wesley.

