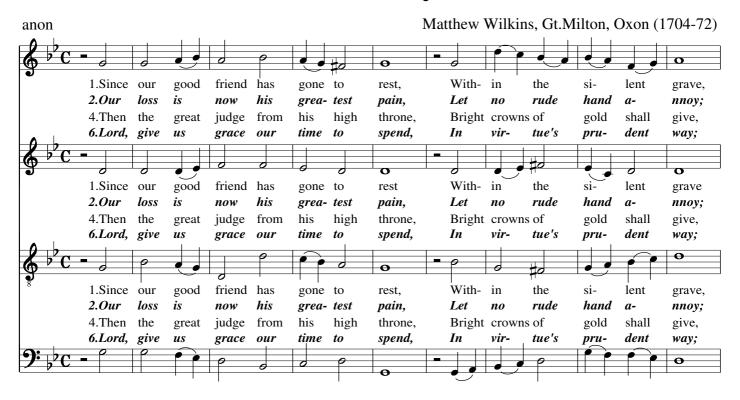
## **A Funeral Hymn**





(3)

We at the great and joyful day,
Shall altogether meet,
And there our awful homage pay,
At our kind master's feet.

(5)

Oh! let us then our hearts prepare,
For that uncertain hour,
Lest death should end our pain and care,
In sin, by Satan's power.

Trans/ed. Tony Singleton, February 1992 from *The Psalmist's New Companion* by Abraham Adams of Shoreham, Kent. (\*bar 8: treble part had F sharp in original) The book ran to 12 editions between 1750 and 1795 and this funeral hymn gained widespread popularity in Kent and Sussex. The tune was first published in 1723 by Matthew Wilkins of Gt.Milton, Oxfordshire.