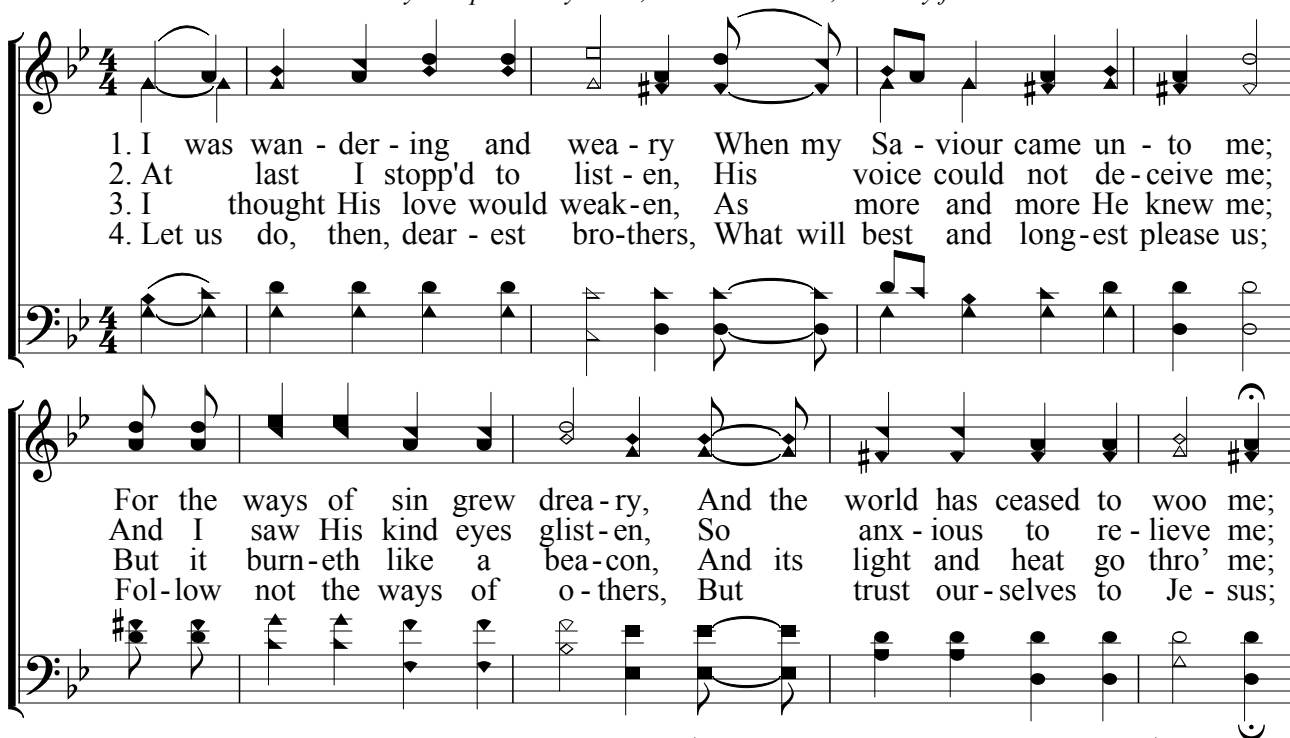


I was Wandering and Weary ("The True Shepherd")

Frederick William Faber 1854, alt.

Ada Rose Gibbs 1900

John 10:27 "My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me."



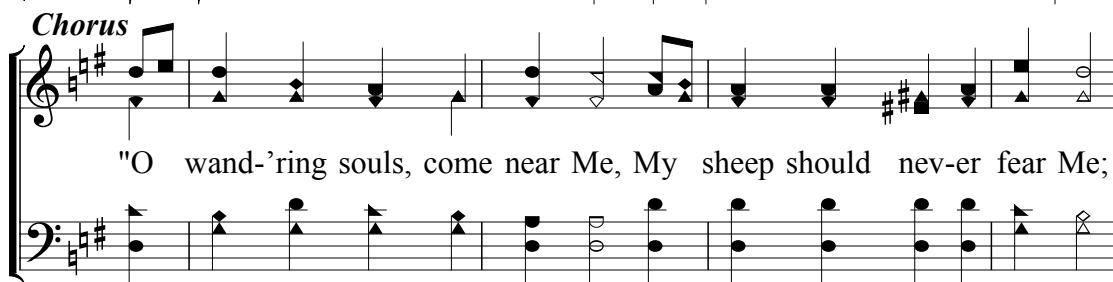
1. I was wan - der - ing and wea - ry When my Sa - viour came un - to me;
2. At last I stopp'd to list - en, His voice could not de - ceive me;
3. I thought His love would weak - en, As more and more He knew me;
4. Let us do, then, dear - est bro - thers, What will best and long - est please us;

For the ways of sin grew drea - ry, And the world has ceased to woo me;
And I saw His kind eyes glist - en, So anx - ious to re - lieve me;
But it burn - eth like a bea - con, And its light and heat go thro' me;
Fol - low not the ways of o - thers, But trust our - selves to Je - sus;

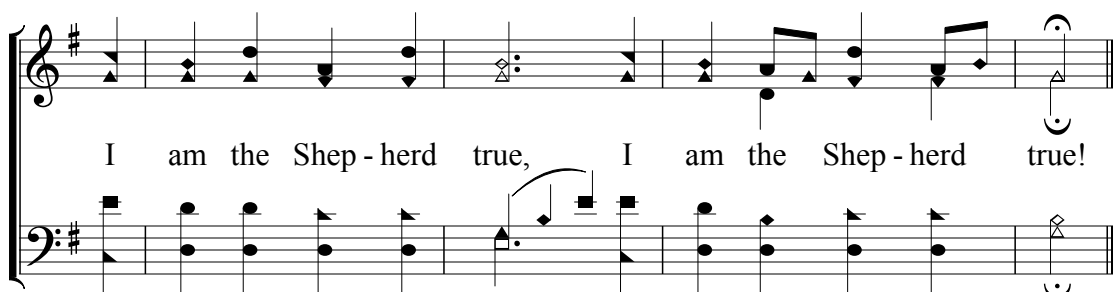


And I thought I heard Him say, As He came a - long His way:
And I thought I heard Him say, As He came a - long His way:
And I ev - er hear Him say, As He goes a - long His way:
We shall ev - er hear Him say, As He goes a - long His way:

Chorus



"O wand - 'ring souls, come near Me, My sheep should nev - er fear Me;



I am the Shep - herd true, I am the Shep - herd true!

Frederick William Faber in "Oratory Hymns," London Oratory (London, England).
This song utilizes verses 1, 3, 6, & 7 of Faber's hymn, with minor alterations.