

While with Ceaseless Course the Sun

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G Amin D/F# B/D# Emin A/C# D

1. While with cease-less course the sun Hast-ed thru the for-mer year,
2. As the wing-ed ar-row flies Speed-i-ly the mark to find,
3. Thanks for mer-cies past re-ceive, Par-don of our sins re-new;

Bmin A/C# G/D F# Emin Bmin G Asus⁴

Man-y souls their race have run, Nev-er more to meet us here:
As the light-ning from the skies Darts and leaves no trace be-hind,
Teach us henceforth how to live, With e-ter-ni-ty in view;

F# F#7 Bmin Bmin7 E E7 Amin

Fixed in an e-ter-nal state, They have done with all be-low;
Swift-ly thus our fleet-ing days Bear us down life's rap-id stream:
Bless Thy word to young and old; Fill us with the Sav-ior's love;

D D7 EminD C G/B C G/B D/A D7/F# G

We a lit-tle long-er wait, But how lit-tle, none can know.
Up-ward, Lord, our spir-it's raise! All be-low is but a dream.
When our life's short tale is told, May we dwell with Thee a-bove.