

# Softly and Tenderly

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1. Soft - ly and ten - der - ly Je - sus is call - ing, Call - ing for  
 2. Why should we tar - ry when Je - sus is plead - ing, Plead - ing for  
 3. Time is now fleet - ing, the moments are pass - ing, Pass - ing from  
 4. Oh, for the won - der - ful love He has promised, Promised for

you and for me; See, on the por - tals He's wait - ing and  
 you and for me? Why should we lin - ger and heed not His  
 you and from me; Shad - ows are gath - er - ing, death beds are  
 you and for me! Though we have sinned, He has mer - cy and

watching, Watching for you and for me.  
 mer - cies, Mer - cies for you and for me? Come home, — come home, —  
 com - ing, Com - ing for you and for me. Come home, come home,  
 par - don, Par - don for you and for me.

Ye who are wea - ry, come home; Ear - nest - ly, ten - der - ly,  
 Je - sus is call - ing, Call - ing, O sin - ner, come home!