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O Happy Soul
O happy soul,
be thankful now and rest!
Heaven is a goodly land;
and God is love; and those He
loves are blessed;
now thou dost understand
the least thou hast is
better than the best
that thou didst hope for;
new upon thine eyes.
The new life opens fair;
before thy feet the
blessed journey lies
through homelands
everywhere;
and heaven to thee
is all a sweet surprise.
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