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215 【父阿,願禰國降臨】

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- (一) 父阿,願禰國降臨,滿帶 生命的大能;願禰末後的發聲,引進得勝的時辰。
- (二) 正如從前的日子,每當聖 徒殉道時,顯在人心的深處;願它快來不延遲。
- (三) 黑暗權勢的宮庭,全都被 禰所除盡;禰的王權來執政,願人都尊禰名爲聖。
- (四) 自從教會受教導,漫長歲 月雖難熬;仍然儆醒幷禱告,求使光明遍地照。
- (五) 得勝日子快降臨,我們的心要歡欣;無數頌歌存此心,等禰來臨同獻吟。
- (六) 國度、王權、幷寶座,都 當歸我神得著,父阿,在地每顆心,都願禰國快降臨。
- (1)Father, let Thy kingdom come,Let it come with living power,Speak at length the final word,Usher in the triumph hour.
- (2)As it came in the days of old,In the deepest hearts of men,When Thy martyrs died for Thee,Let it come, O God, again.
- (3)Tyrant thrones and idol shrines, Let them from their place be hurled; Enter on Thy better reign, Wear the crown of

this poor world.

(4)Oh, what long, sad years have gone,Since Thy Church was taught this prayer Oh, what eyes have watched and wept For the dawning everywhere.

(5)Break, triumphant day of God! Break at last our hearts to cheer; Throbbing souls and holy songs Wait to hail Thy dawning here.

(6)Empires, temples, scepters, thrones,May they all for God be won;And, in every human heart, Father, let Thy kingdom come.

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