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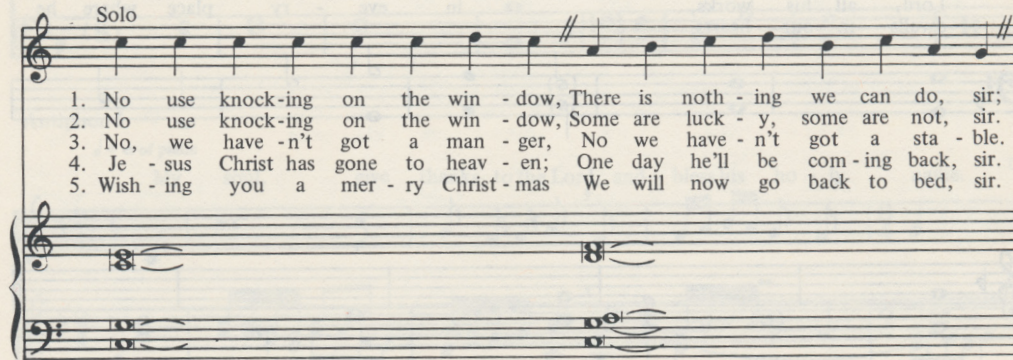
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# NO USE KNOCKING

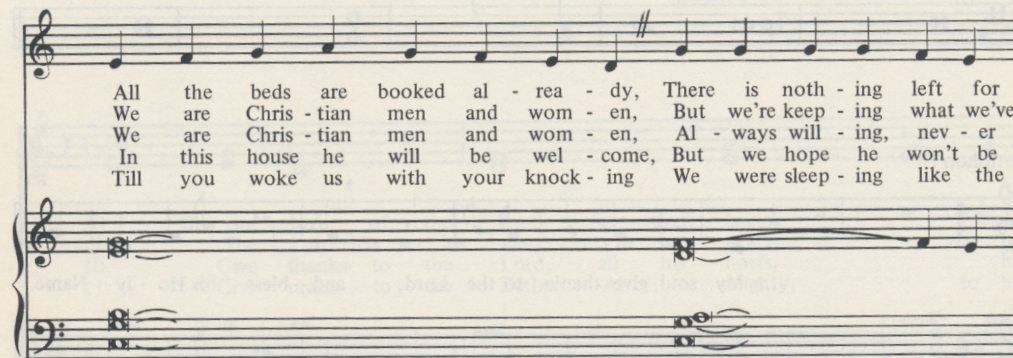
STANDING IN THE RAIN  
Sydney Carter, b. 1915

CAMDEN 88. 88 with Refrain  
Sydney Carter, b. 1915  
Solo accomp. by R. Batastini, b. 1942

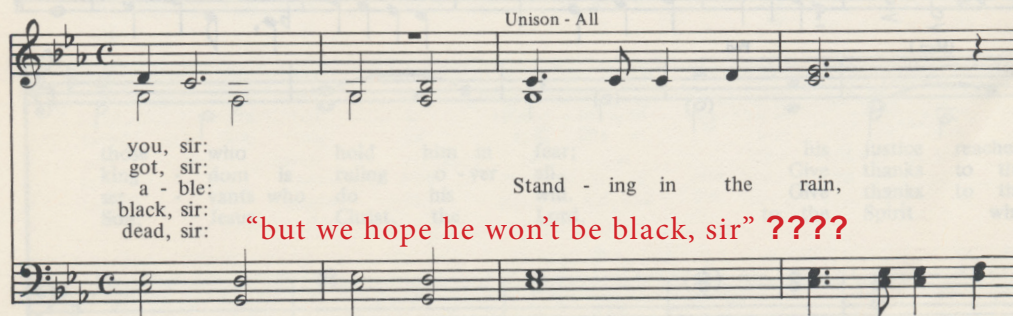
Solo



1. No use knock-ing on the win-dow, There is noth-ing we can do, sir;  
2. No use knock-ing on the win-dow, Some are luck-y, some are not, sir.  
3. No, we have -n't got a man-ger, No we have -n't got a sta-ble.  
4. Je - sus Christ has gone to heav-en; One day he'll be com-ing back, sir.  
5. Wish-ing you a mer-ry Christ-mas We will now go back to bed, sir.



All the beds are booked al - rea - dy, There is noth-ing left for  
We are Chris - tian men and wom - en, But we're keep - ing what we've  
We are Chris - tian men and wom - en, Al - ways will - ing, nev - er  
In this house he will be wel - come, But we hope he won't be  
Till you woke us with your knock - ing We were sleep - ing like the



Unison - All

you, sir:  
got, sir:  
a - ble:  
black, sir:  
dead, sir:

Stand - ing in the rain,  
"but we hope he won't be black, sir" ????