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A SONG FOR THE TIMES

Give the poor  
all they honestly earn

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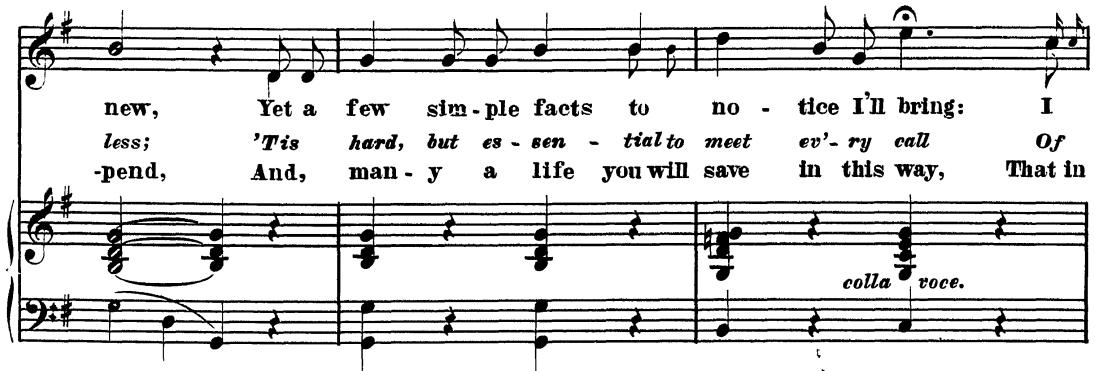
Con spirito.



Moderato.



1. Kind friends, if you list-en, a Song I will sing,— The sub-ject I know is not
2. We all know a dol-lar a day is too small! Tho' man-y now la-bor for
3. Oh! give the poor men better wa-ges I pray, For, they on their earnings de-



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*plaintivo.*

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find from expe - rience true. "I pit-y the poor man!" the  
 lit - tle ones home in dis - tress; If the rich were but lib - 'ral the  
 pris - on might oth - er-wise end! If they ask a fa - vor don't

*p* *plaintivo.*

*declamatio.*

rich often say, "His heart in its tri - als must burn! But  
 poor could live, And joy in their homes would re - turn, If  
 push them a - side, Per - haps it may yet be your turn! While you've .

*espressivo.*

*rit.*

how can we help him? 'Tis ea - sy if they Give the poor all they honest - ly earn.  
 they who have millions re - mem - ber and give, Give the poor all they honest - ly earn. }  
 thousands to spare, your purse open wide: Give the poor all they honest - ly earn. }

*mf* *colla voce.*

*CHORUS.*

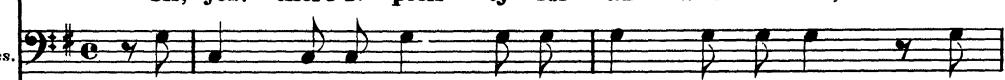
*Sopr.*      

Oh, yes! there is plen - ty for all who ex - ist,    We

*Alt.*      

*Tenor.*      

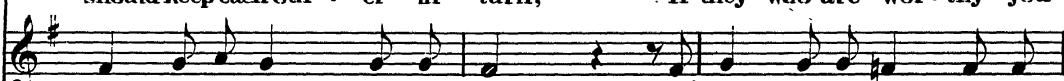
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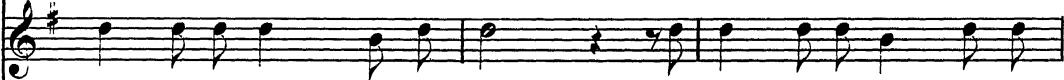
*Bass.*      

*Accomp't*      

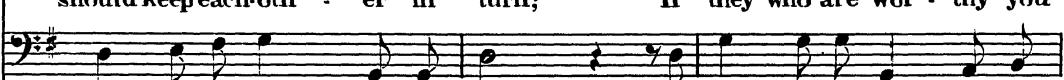


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wish to as - sist, Give the poor all they hon - est - ly earn!

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*colla voce.*

*a tempo.*

*mf*

*f pesante.*

*f*

*D. S.*

(Clayton.)