

METRE 1 Isaac Watts

WESTON L.M.

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The musical score consists of three staves of music in common time (indicated by '2' over a vertical line). The first staff uses a soprano C-clef, the second staff an alto F-clef, and the third staff a bass G-clef. The music is set to a hymn tune called "WESTON L.M." The lyrics are as follows:

1. Sin - ners, oh, why so thoughtless grown? Why in such dreadful haste to die? Daring to leap to worlds unknown! Heedless a - gainst thy God to fly.

2. Wilt thou despise e - ter - nal fate, Urged on by sin's delusive dreams? Madly at the in - fer-nal gate, And force thy pas - sage to the flames?

3. Stay, sinner, on the gos - pel plains, And hear the Lord of life un-fold The glories of his dy - ing pains!— For-ev - er tell - ing, yet un - told!