Gracious Savior

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G 1. Gracious Savior, gentle Shepherd, Α C Our little ones are dear to Thee; D G Gathered with Thine arms and carried Α C In Thy bosom may they be A Bm A G G Sweetly, gently, safely tended, Bm A G From all want and danger free.

- 2. Tender Shepherd, never leave them, From Thy fold to go astray; By Thy look of love directed, May they walk the narrow way; Thus direct them, and protect them Lest they fall an easy prey.
- 3. Let Thy holy Word instruct them: Fill their minds with heav'nly light; Let Thy love and grace constrain them To approve what e'er is right, Take Thine easy yoke and wear it, And to prove Thy burden light.
- 4. Cleanse their hearts from sinful folly In the stream Thy love supplied; Mingled streams of blood and water Flowing from Thy wounded side: And to heav'nly pastures lead them, Where Thine own still waters glide.