

OUR LOVING LORD

When we're in need, does He not see?
When trials come, is He not near?
Does He not listen to our plea
When we have prayed for Him to hear?

Not like the gods we idolize,
The worldly things, the physical:
He made the stars beyond the skies—
What is to Him a miracle?

And how tremendous is His care!
The Author of the universe
For us His Own Son did not spare,
But yielded Him to lift our curse.

Our loving Lord gave us release.
Should we not for His glory live?
His blessings to us never cease.
Should we not all to Jesus give?

— *David L. Hatton, 3/28/1969*