We Gather Together

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Jesus would die for the nation, and not for the nation only, 
but also to gather into one the children of God who are scattered abroad. John 11:51-52

1. We gather together to ask the Lord’s blessing;
2. Beside us to guide us, our God with us joining,
3. We all do exalt Thee, Thou Lead-er triumphant,

The wick-ed oppressing now cease from distressing;
So from the beginning the fight we were winning;
Let Thy congregation escape tribulation;

Sing praises to His Name; He forgets not His own.
Thou, Lord, were at our side, all glory be Thine!
Thy Name be ever praised! O Lord, make us free!

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