

The Preacher and The Slave

Put to 'Sweet by and by'

Jodin sings verses.

All audience sings choruses 1-4

Words By Joe Hill, Written 1911, Music by J.P. Webster

Guitar: B C C

Sing-along Chorus

T=140

7 Bar Intro

Long haired preachers come out e - v'ry night. Try to tell you what's wrong and what's right.
 And the sta - rva-tion a - rmy they play, And they sing and they clap and they pray.
 Ho - ly ro - llers and ju - mpers come out And they ho - ller and jump and they shout.
 If you fight hard for chi - ldren and wife. Try to get some - thing good in this life.
 Wor - king men of all cou - tries u - nite. To - ge - ther we'll stand for what's right.

But when asked a - bout some - thing to eat, They will a - nswer with voi - ces so sweet:
 Till they get all your coin in the drum. Then they tell you when you're on the bum.
 And when ea - ting time comes 'round they say: "You will eat on that glo - ri - ous day.
 You're a sin - ner and bad man they tell. When you die you will sure go to hell.
 When the world and its wealth we have gained. To the gra - fters we'll sing this re - frain:

Jodin calls to audience: "Last chorus"

Chorus

1,4. You will eat, bye and bye. In that glo - ri - ous land in the sky. way up high!!

5. You will eat, bye and bye. When you've learned how to cook and to fry;

Work and pray, live on hay. You'll get pie in the sky when you die.

Chop some wood do you good, And you'll eat in the sweet bye and bye.

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