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"Every one that striveth for the mastery, is temperate in all things." (1 Cor. 9—25.)

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Allegro con melodia marcato.

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1. Oh! let the angels see,
   A - round the throne who stand,
   How light and lithe are we That

2. Oh! let the neighbors see,
   Who mourn the com - mon curse,
   How sure the Crown will be That

3. Oh! let the Par - ents see,
   They've wept their chil - dren slain,
   There is a mas - ter - y Which

4. Oh! let the chil - dren see,
   How joy - ful is the sight,
   Our hands from pal - sy free, Our
strive with-in this Band; Who lay each bur-den down, That would im-pede the
is reserved for us: We dare de-fy the pow'r, The ut-most pow'r of
we can all at-tain; The vil-est pas-sions must Give way to heav-en's
eyes in temp'rance bright, Our hearts in pur-pose pure, Our steps in hon-or

course, Nor dare ex-pect the Crown, 'Till we have borne the Cross.
rum, For in the try-ing hour, The help of God doth come.
strength, And eve-ry sin-ful lust, Be o-ver-come at length.
ev-en, And eve-ry prom-ise sure To lead us up to heav'n.

CHORUS.

And as we strive, we sing While all the heav-ens ring, Each

Soprano.  

Alto.  

Tenor.  

Bass.  

Piano.  

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STRIVING FOR THE MASTERY.
hand and spirit bring This work to do, Keep us who died to save From

out the drunkard’s grave, And make us strong and brave, our journey through.