### Songs with word changes by Swamiji (7/13):

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# **CHOIR MUSIC**

#### **Brothers**

I've been lived in many countries

And mixed with many men...

My officers had preached said ...

I must hate him till the end...

Who knows himself the truth knows all men as brothers.

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## Go On Alone!

Title change: formerly Truth Can Never Die

They shun the heights

and **cloud** crowd the depths...

## **Lift Your Hearts**

Sing to in the mountains!

Sing to in the meadows!

Sing hallelujah: God is Joy!

## Lord, May We Serve You

Lord, may we ever know Your will:

Come to us when our thoughts hearts are still.

### **Peace**

Peace gave us our hearts' love.

Peace gave us our smiles:

Rays of Thy God's presence within us.

Light that all strife reconciles.

Amen. Amen.

# To Death I'm a Stranger

Has life any meaning?

The grail that men sought seek

Has never been found

On earth.

The "fountain of youth"—

Ah, merely only a myth!

Everyone None who ever roamed

Far in search of it

Died an untimely death.

**Ever found what he sought.** 

Yet, see how the night sky,

Which banishes the sun,

Is banished in turn time by the dawn!

Death comes like a gypsy

Who camps on the way;

At dawn, his dark caravan's gone.

To death I'm a stranger.

Yet, strangest of all,

The stranger I feared

Is a stranger to me no more!

Can shadows strike fear

That hide The shadow I feared

**But hides** from the sun!

What horror brings death?

In light I am free!

In death there is peace

On God's infinite shore!

# Walk Like a Man

No word changes, just title change:

formerly Go On Alone!

## **ENSEMBLE MUSIC**

### Hello There, Brother Bluebell!

What need have I for treasures:
Diamonds or gold?
The sweetest fairest of all pleasures
Are here to behold!

# More Boxes? No, Thank You!

A sailor from England remarked to a foe, "The reason we win is, We pray as ere we go." How can a little box ever hold a sled,

A pony, and a tree?—puzzles **my your** poor head.

It can't, my friend of course, but in a tiny baby's mind

This mighty whole wide world becomes a little box instead.

# The Philosopher and the Boatman

Then the boatman cried, "My learned sir,
Our chances are growing dim!
Two questions you've **put asked** me so far this
trip;
Now I'll ask you one: Can you swim?"

## The Secret of Laughter

Luru luru lero,
Luru luru lye!
Joy will come to anyone
Whose soul heart has learned to fly!

### Why?

Her elders all slept,
But the magic of light

Would wake Awoke her to ponder—
Why? ...
For Love there then possessed her
And made her His own.
In love she at last learned—
Why.

## **SOLOS & DUETS**

# **Daughter of Aran**

Far, far from the madding noisy throng.
There on Aran, loud waves lashing the rocks,
Screaming gulls that rise, surfing the air;
There, where clouds meet the hills
To And beget dancing rills:

#### **Dublin Town**

As trout swallow bait
He lifted the that plate
And ran like a two-legged deer!
Yes, off he did run
Like Just like shot from a gun—
Or wind—or a two-o-legged deer.
The baker's wife then now sped...

# **Farther Away Than the Stars**

Far away, far away;

I have a Love Who's far away,

I have a Love Who's far away, Farther away than the stars. Mother, You've And yet, She's stolen my heart away, Heart away! heart away; Mother, You've And vet, She's stolen my heart away, Farther away than the stars. Keep me not bound here, no! teach me to fly, Far from earth's madness—free ere I die! Keep me not bound Ma! here teach me to fly, Farther away than the stars. There's nothing here nearly so dear, Nearly so dear, nearly so dear. Mother, I know your live's ever near, Though farther There's nothing here nearly so dear As Her laughter away than in the stars.

### Free At Last!

Let us build new lives in beauty.

Let the grass wave full and green.

Let peace be our highest duty;

Joy in every eye be seen.

Let us now, hands joined together,

Bless with peace our native isle;

Bless our fields of flow'ring heather.

May all hearts be free of from guile!

# Good Night, Sweetheart

Starlight, Sweetheart,

Your silken golden hair adorning,

Bring peace on silv'ry beams.

### The Hill That Was Tara

I stood there and pondered the great deeds of man's men's past....

Must accept, after glory, that the night <u>must will</u> descend....

Over crags that called, "Linger Tarry: Your hopes are forlorn!"

### It's God's Green Earth

It's ours to enjoy—

To keep, love; to improve—

But never ours to destroy! ...

The tension they **know** feel

Is wisdom's stern way

Of scolding teaching those who transgress.

Men Some men hate, or men some love: ...

Love all: you reap love.

The joy is yours, or the **blame!** pain. ...

It's ours to enjoy,

To keep, love; to improve,

But never ours to destroy!

## Joined in Prayer

Many drops do make a sea:

So Thus our love, when joined as one!

So Thus, when joined as one!

## Life Flows On like a River

**Lest you Never** grieve to be alone.

Go within you: There's your home.

# Lift Your Hearts in Strength

Lift your <u>heart hearts</u> in strength once more: Soon your boat will come ashore.

# Melody's Everywhere

Mommy's in the kitchen laughing sharing with the a neighbor,

### **Memories of That Isle**

Gentle rain

Cools my brain,

**Cures** Frees my heart of its ills.

# Monasteries (this last verse newly added)

When men's hearts turn from light,

What is left, but night?

Lord, I pray

That, someday,

Love come back to this land —

That men may understand.

# One Day When I Was Walking

One day, when I was roaming walking

Alone across the lea, ...

Young man, where are you roaming

Across this broken barren land? ...

The farmer, he sits weeping.

A life of dreams is has sped.

# **Prayer Before Meals**

Receive, Lord, in Thy light

The food we eat, for it is Thine.

Infuse it with Thy love,

Thy energy, Thy **light** life divine.

### The Shawl of Gold

"Kind Please, sir," she said, "hear an orphan child:

The cold winds of winter have come. ...

He walked off turned, then and entered the holy church.

The girl wandered down the cold street. ...

For it's kindness softens broadens the human heart ... (both times)

I know, I who died on the cross! ...

And she saw found their clothes were now woolen and warm,

And the shawl was now spun of fine gold.

# Thank You, God, for the Sun

Thank you, God, that for the gray clouds move. stars above.

Thank you, God, for Your love.

## **Wartime Lullaby**

And though men spread destruction,

Life rises again

With a smile for the griefs pull of the tomb.

#### Where He Dwells

Where He dwells, the earth in gladness

Puts forth sweet green herbs, shading trees.