

No. 66. Work, for the Night is Coming.

“I must work the works of Him that sent Me, while it is day : the night cometh, when no man can work.”

(JOHN ix. 4.)

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I. Work, for the night is com - ing; Work thro' the morn - ing hours;

Work, while the dew is spark - ling, Work 'mid spring - ing flowers;

Work, when the day grows bright - er, Work, in the glow - ing sun;

Work, for the night is com - ing, When man's work is done.

2.

Work, for the night is coming,
Work through the sunny noon;
Fill brightest hours with labour,
Rest comes sure and soon.
Give every flying minute
Something to keep in store;
Work, for the night is coming,
When man works no more.

3.

Work, for the night is coming,
Under the sunset skies;
While their bright tints are glowing,
Work, for daylight flies.
Work, till the last beam fadeth,
Fadeth to shine no more:
Work, while the night is darkening,
When man's work is o'er.