

Where A Softness Abides

Comes early morn and a softness
Touching eroding edge of night;
A pinkish glow and then bright burst . . .
The sun again in golden flight.

Moments before this wondrous scene When my own world was fast asleep, I cherished the softness of night, Restfulness in my Master's Keep.

Serenity brought peace and calm
As darkness of night brought no fear;
Embraced by His Great Gift of Love,
I knew surely, He did bide near.

And then assault of highest noon When my world becomes busiest, No pinkish glow to comfort me . . . It's not this time that I like best.

But soon, in rhythms all its own, Harshness of day must disappear; Then will come soft darkness of night, And once more His Love will bide near.

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