

## Softly and Tenderly

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Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling  
Calling for you and for me.  
See on the portals he's waiting and watching  
Watching for you and for me.

Chorus

**Come home, come home, Come home, Come home**  
**Ye who are weary come home**

**Earnestly tenderly Jesus is calling  
Calling, O Sinner, come home.**

2

Why should we tarry when Jesus is pleading  
Pleading for you and for me?  
Why should we linger and heed not his mercies  
Mercies for you and for me.

Chorus

**Come home, come home, Come home, Come home  
Ye who are weary come home  
Earnestly tenderly Jesus is calling  
Calling, O Sinner, come home.**

3

Time is now fleeting, the moments are passing,  
Passing from you and from me  
Shadows are gathering death beds are coming  
Coming for you and for me.

Chorus

**Come home, come home, Come home, Come home  
Ye who are weary come home  
Earnestly tenderly Jesus is calling  
Calling, O Sinner, come home.**

4.

O for the wonderful love He has promised  
Promised for you and for me  
Though we have sinned he has mercy and pardon  
Pardon for you and for me.

Chorus

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Ye who are weary come home  
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