

Blessed Feasts of Blessed Martyrs

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1. Bless - ed feasts of bless - ed mar - tyrs, ho - ly wo - men,
2. Faith pre - vail - ing, hope un - fail - ing, lov - ing Christ with
3. There - fore, you co - heirs of glo - ry, all who dwell with



1. ho - ly men, with the mem - 'ry of their wit - ness greet we
2. sin - gle heart, thus they, glo - rious and vic - to - rious, brave - ly
3. Christ on high, join to ours your sup - pli - ca - tion, when be -



1. your re - turn a - gain. Wor - thy deeds are theirs, and
2. bore the mar - tyr's part, by con - tempt of ev - 'ry
3. fore him we draw nigh, pray - ing that, this life com -



1. won - ders, wor - thy of the name they bore; we, our joy - ful
2. an - guish, by un - yield - ing bat - tle done; vic - tors at the
3. plet - ed, all its fleet - ing mo - ments past, by his grace we



1. prais - es sing - ing, hon - our them for ev - er - more.
2. last, they tri - umph, with the host of an - gels one.
3. may be wor - thy of e - ter - nal bliss at last.

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Lyrics: 87.87 D; John M. Neale, 1818-1866, in "The Hymnal Noted", 1851.
Music: IN BABILONE; "Oude en Nieuwe Hollandse Boerenlities en Contradanseu", ca. 1710.