

# In The Silent Midnight Watches

*Piano e Marcato*

1. In the si - lent mid - night watch - es, List - thy bos - om's door!  
2. Death comes down with reck - less foot - steps, To the hall and hut;  
3. Then 'tis time to stand en - treat - ing Christ to let thee in;

How it knock - eth, knock - eth, knock - eth, Knock - eth ev - er - more!  
Think you death will tar - ry knock - ing, When the door is shut?  
At the gate of heav - en beat - ing, Wail - ing for thy sin?

Say not 'tis thy puls - es beat - ing, 'Tis thy heart of sin;  
Je - sus wait - eth, wait - eth, wait - eth; But the door is fast;  
Nay! a - las, thou guilt - y crea - ture! Hast thou, then, for - got?

'Tis thy Sav - ior knocks, and cri - eth, "Rise, and let me in!"  
Grieved, a - way thy Sav - ior go - eth, Death breaks in at last.  
Je - sus wait - ed long to know thee, Now He knows thee not!