

How shall they hear the Word of God
unless His truth is told?
How shall the sinful be set free,
the sorrowful consoled?
To all who speak the truth today
impart Your Spirit, Lord, we pray.

How shall they call to God for helplessness
unless they have believed?
How shall the poor be given hope,
the prisoner reprieved?
To those who help the blind to see
give light and love and clarity.

How shall the gospel be proclaimed
if heralds are not sent?
How shall the world find peace at last
if we are negligent?
So send us, Lord, for we rejoice
to speak of Christ with life and voice.