

## Keep Your Lamps Trimmed and Burning

Matt. 25:1-13; Gal. 6:9 African-American spiritual 1 Keep your lamps trimmed and burn-ing, keep your lamps trimmed and burn-2 It's our faith makes us hap - py, it's our faith makes us hap -3 We are climb-ing Ja - cobs's lad - der, we are climb-ing Ja - cob's lad -4 Ev - ery round goes high - er, high - er, ev - ery round goes high - er, high-- ing, keep your lamps trimmed and burn-ing, for this work's al-most done. makes us hap - py, for this work's al - most done. faith -py, it's our -der, we are climb-ing Ja - cob's lad - der, for this work's al-most done. - er ev - ery round goes high - er, high - er, for this work's al - most done. Refrain wear - y, broth-ers, Sis - ters, don't don't grow grow wear-y, chil-dren, don't grow wear-y, for this work's al-most done.

Jane Parker Huber, 1977; rev. 1993 Rom. 5:1-5 God, cre - at - ing still, by 1 Cre - a - tor will and word and deed, God, re - deem-ing still, with 2 Re - deem-er o - ver-flow-ing grace, 3 Sus - tain - er God, sus - tain - ing still, with strength for ev - ery day, 4 Great Tri - une God, for this new day we need your pres-ence still. Cre - ate a new hu - man - i - ty to meet the pres-ent need. Pour out your love on us, through us, make this a ho - ly place. Em - power us now to do your will. Cor - rect us when we stray. Cre - ate, re - deem, sus tain us now to do your work and will.