

Bye and bye

**We are tossed and driven on the restless sea of time;
Somber skies and howling tempests oft succeed a bright
sunshine;
In that land of perfect day, when the mists are rolled away,
We will understand it better by and by.**

Refrain

**By and by, when the morning comes,
When the saints of God are gathered home,
We'll tell the story how we've overcome,
For we'll understand it better by and by.**

**We are often destitute of the things that life demands,
want of food and want of shelter, thirsty hills and barren lands;
we are trusting in the Lord, and according to God's word,
we will understand it better by and by.
(Refrain)**

**Trials dark on every hand, and we cannot understand
All the ways of God would lead us to that blessed promised land;
But he guides us with his eye, and we'll follow till we die,
For we'll understand it better by and by.
(Refrain)**

**Temptations, hidden snares often take us unawares,
And our hearts are made to bleed for a thoughtless word or
deed;
And we wonder why the test when we try to do our best,
But we'll understand it better by and by.
(Refrain)**