



SAINT LOUIS ABBEY



Sing of One Who Walks Beside Us Ralph Wright, O.S.B.

Sing of one who walks beside us
And this day is living still,
One who now is closer to us
Than the thoughts our hearts distill,
One who once upon a hilltop
Raised against the power of sin,
Died in love as his own creatures
Crucified their God and King.

Strangers we have walked beside him
The long journey of the day,
And have told him of the darkness
That has swept our hope away.
He has offered words of comfort,
Words of energy and light,
And our hearts have blazed within us
As he saved us from the night.

Stay with us, dear Lord, and raise us,
Once again the night is near.
Dine with us and share your wisdom.
Free our hearts from every fear.
In the calm of each new evening,
In the freshness of each dawn,
If you hold us fast in friendship
We will never be alone.