255 Сидел слепец

One sat alone beside the highway begging,
His eyes were blind, the light he could not see.
He clutched his rags and shivered in the
shadows.

Then Jesus came and bade his darkness flee.

Сидел слепец с протянутой рукою,
Ни друг, ни брат не мог ему помочь,
Страдал без света телом и душою,
Пришёл Иисус — и тьма бежала прочь.

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When Jesus comes, the tears are wiped away, He takes the gloom and fills the life with glory, For all is changed when Jesus comes to stay.

Припев

- From home and friends the evil spirits
 drove him,
 Among the tombs he dwelt in misery;
 He cut himself as demon powers possessed him,
 Then Jesus came and set the captive free.
- Нечистой силой день и ночь гонимый Искал в гробах убежище себе,
 О камни бился... все бежали мимо...
 Пришёл Иисус принёс конец борьбе.

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3. "Unclean, unclean!" the leper cried in torment, The deaf, the dumb, in helplessness stood near; The fever raged, disease had gripped its victim, Then Jesus came and cast out every fear.

«Нечист, нечист!» — давал знать прокажённый,
 Глухой, немой — безмолвно слёзы лил...
 Больных, калек — неслися в небо стоны...
 Пришёл Иисус — все язвы исцелил.

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- 4. Their hearts were sad as in the tomb they laid him,
 For death had come and taken him away;
 Their night was dark and bitter tears were falling,
 Then Jesus came and night was turned to day.
- 4. В сердцах печаль, а в будущем страданье, Прибит на крест, Кто был их дум царём; Сгустился мрак, стеснили грудь рыданья, Пришёл Иисус и ночь сменилась днём.

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- 5. So men today have found the Saviour able, They could not conquer passion, lust and sin; Their broken hearts had left them sad and lonely, Then Jesus came and dwelt, Himself, within.
- И в наши дни так многие познали, Как страшен грех, как мучит он своих, Когда ж в бессильи к Господу воззвали, Пришёл Иисус — и поселился в них.

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