

I'M GOING HOME

"And I will rejoice in Jerusalem, and joy in my people; and the voice of weeping shall no more heard in her, nor the voice of crying." Isa. 65:19

Key of F Major

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1. { Fare - well, vain world! I'm go - ing home! My Sav - ior smiles and bids me come, And I don't care to stay here long! }
Sweet an - gels beck - on me a - way, To sing God's praise in end - less day, And I don't care to stay here long! }

2. { I'm glad that I am born to die, From grief and woe my soul shall fly, And I don't care to stay here long! }
Bright an - gels shall con - vey me home, A - way to New Je - ru - sa - lem, And I don't care to stay here long! }

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The musical score is written in F Major (one flat) and 2/4 time. It consists of four systems of music. Each system includes a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The first system contains the first two verses of the hymn. The second system contains the third and fourth verses. The third system contains the fifth and sixth verses. The fourth system contains the seventh and eighth verses. The piano accompaniment features a simple, rhythmic pattern of eighth and quarter notes, providing a steady accompaniment for the vocal line.