

Sweet By and By

Joseph P. Webster (music) & S. Fillmore Bennett (lyrics) (1868)

 C F C
There's a land that is fairer than day,
 G
And by faith we can see it afar,
 C F C
For the Father waits over the way
 G C
To prepare us a dwelling place there.

 C G G7 C
In the sweet by and by, we shall meet on that beautiful shore;
 C7 F C G C
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 C F C
We shall sing on that beautiful shore
 G
The melodious songs of the blessed;
 C F C
And our spirits shall sorrow no more,
 G C
Not a sigh for the blessing of rest. (Chorus)

 C F C
To our bountiful Father above,
 G
We will offer our tribute of praise
 C F C
For the glorious gift of His love
 G C
And the blessings that hallow our days. (Chorus)