

Softly and Tenderly

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Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling,
Calling for you and for me;
See, on the portals He's waiting and watching,
Watching for you and for me.
Come home, come home,
You who are weary come home;
Earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling,
Calling oh sinner come home!

Why should we tarry when Jesus is pleading,
Pleading for you and for me?
Why should we linger and heed not His mercies
Mercies for you and for me.
Come home, come home,
You who are weary come home;
Earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling,
Calling oh sinner come home!

Oh! For the wonderful love He has promised,
Promised for you and for me;
Though we have sinned He has mercy and pardon,
Pardon for you and for me.
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You who are weary come home;
Earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling,
Calling oh sinner come home!

Bible Verse: "Come to Me, all who labor and are heavy laden,
and I will give you rest." Matthew 11:28 ESV