Gathering Home

1. They’re gathering home-ward from ev’ry land, One by one, one by one;
   Their feet are now press-ing the shin-ing strand, Yes, one by one.

2. They’re gather-ing home-ward from ev’ry shore, One by one, one by one;
   To join with the faith-ful ones gone be-fore, Yes, one by one.

3. We are hast’ning home-ward to join the band, One by one, one by one;
   Who have en-ter-ed their rest in the bet-ter land, Yes, one by one.

Their la-bor-stained gar-ments are all laid down, Their brows are a-dorned with a
Thru great trib-u-la-tions they made their way From re-gions of dark-ness to
With an-gels we’ll sweep thru the pearl-y gates Of the cit-y where Christ, the
liv-ing crown, And clothed in white rai-ment, they rest on the shore Of the
end-less day; And now, in the pres-ence of God and the Lamb, They cease
fore-run-ner, waits, And join, with mil-lions a-round the white throne, In hymn-
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Chorus

river of life for evermore.
not to worship. the great I AM. Gath’ring home, gath’ring home, Cross-ing the praise of the Holy One.

river one by one, Gath’ring home, gath’ring home, Yes, one by one.