

Why Stand Ye Here Idle?

1. Why stand ye here i - dle? there's la - bor for all, The vine - yard needs
2. Why stand ye here i - dle? a broth - er's in need, His cries as - cend
3. Why stand ye here i - dle? a soul's be - ing lost, Speak, speak words of
4. Why stand ye here i - dle? O la - bor each day, To lead men to
5. Why stand ye here i - dle? a harp and a crown Are wait - ing in

work - men, the weeds are grown tall, The ripe fruit is wast - ing for
heav'n-ward, then pray you, give heed; For food and for rai - ment He
warn - ing, what - ev - er the cost; The soul you may res - cue from
Je - sus, the Truth, Life, and Way; The Spir - it has prom -ised its
glo - ry for sons of re - nown Who la - bor and suf - fer for

lack of strong hands, Why stand ye here i - dle? The Mas - ter de - mands.
suf - fers to - night, Then ren - der as - sis - tance; Oh, dare to do right.
sin and from shame, And give to the Sav - ior to praise His dear name.
pres - ence to lend, To com - fort and strength - en, till la - bors shall end.
tru - est and best, Then la - bor and en - ter the ha - ven of rest.

Chorus

Oh, why stand ye i - stand ye i - dle, Oh,
Oh, why stand ye i - dle, so i - dle all day? Oh,
Oh,

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A musical score for two voices or instruments, consisting of two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and the bottom staff uses a bass clef. Both staves are in common time and key signature of one sharp. The music features several melodic patterns with sustained notes and chords. The lyrics are integrated into the melody, appearing below the notes. The score is divided into four sections by vertical bar lines.

why stand ye stand ye i - dle, Oh, why stand ye stand ye
why stand ye i - dle, so i - dle all day? Oh, why stand ye i - dle, so

i - dle, all day, i - dle all day, dle all day? i - dle all day? The
idle all day, idle all day, idle all day, idle all day? The

har - vest is pass - ing, Is pass - ing a - way, The har - vest is
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pass - ing, pass - ing a - way, pass - ing a - way, ing a - way.
pass - ing, pass - ing a - way, pass - ing a - way, pass - ing a - way.