

BURNING LAMP. L.M.

1. Life is the time to serve the Lord, The time t'in-sure the great re-ward; And while the lamp holds out to burn, The vil-est sin-ner may re-turn.

2. Life is the hour that God has giv'n To 'scape from hell and fly to heav'n, The day of grace; and mor-tals may Se-cure the bless-ings of the day.

3. The liv-ing know that they must die, Yet all the dead for-got-ten lie; Their mem-'ry and their sense is gone, A-like un-know-ing and un-known.

4. Their ha-tred and their love are lost; Their en-vy bur-ied in the dust, They have no share in all that's done Be-neath the cir-cuit of the sun.