

As Rebels Lord Who Foolishly Have Wandered

1. As re - bels, Lord, who fool - ish - ly have wan - dered
2. Still we re - turn, our con - trite words re - hears - ing,
3. A feast of love for us You are pre - par - ing;

4
Far from your love— un - fed, un - clean, un - clothed—
Speech, that with - in Your warm em - brace soon dies;
We who were lost, you give an hon - ored place!

7
Dare we re - call Your wealth so rash - ly squan - dered,
All of our guilt, our shame, our pain re - vers - ing
"Come eat, come drink, and be no more des - pair - ing—

10
Dare hope to glean that boun - ty which we loathed?
As tears of joy and wel - come fill Your eyes.
Here taste a - gain the trea - sures of My grace."

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