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We tell thee, poor toiler, how hard we had striven,  
To better thy lot, and to sweeten thy life ;  
How much of our health and our brains we had given,  
Engaged for thy sake, for thy weal in long strife.  
And thou, ever-grateful to those few who love thee,  
Wouldst listen, and never remind us of this : —  
That but for thy toil, there would none be above thee,  
Not even to work in thy cause, for thy bliss.

**M. W.**

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