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OUR LADY OF PERSEVERANCE. (Equal voices)

Devoutly

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At Ma-ry's shrine like knights of old, In youthful zeal our

vows are told; To Her we pledge our troth sin-cere,

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Sweet Mother help us per-se-vere. per-se-vere.

2. Tho' world and flesh, and hell assail,
 And tempter's rage makes spirits quail;
 //:With Mary's aid we've naught to fear:
 Sweet Mother, help us persevere! :/

3. Tho' hard the cross, tho' keen the thrust
Of passion's sting, of fleshy lust,

/: 'Tis Mary brings us heav'nly cheer:
Sweet Mother, help us persevere! :/

4. As loyal knights, with courage bright,
We'll sally forth, to wage the fight,

/: In life, in death, for Mary, dear:
Sweet Mother, help us persevere! :/

109 LOURDES HYMN. (Equal voices)

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Andante

1. O pur- est of creatures sweet Mother, sweet maid, Im- ma-
2. He gazed on thy soul, it was spotless and fair, The em-

ulate bosom where Jesus was laid. A- ve, A- ve, A- ve
pire of sin it had never been there.

Ma- ri- a. A- ve, A- ve, A-

3. To sinners what comfort, to ang
That God found one creature, un