

Bear Fruit of True Repentance

A Hymn Inspired by Matthew 3:1-12

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Tune: MEIRIONYDD

Meter: 7.6.7.6.D

Music: William Lloyd, 1840

Piano

1. "Bear fruit of true re - pent - ance; God's king - dom has come near,"
2. Bear fruit that heals cre - a - tion. Plant seeds and watch them grow.
3. Bear fruit, for Christ is com - ing; we must pre - pare the way.

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said John be - side the ri - ver, "God's man - date now is clear."
Be ste - wards of the har - vest. To all God's grace be - stow.
For now's the time for just - ice; it can't wait one more day.

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The wa - ter wash - es o - ver and cleans - es you from sin.
For we are called as gard - 'ners to share in God's de - sign.
So come all to the wa - ter and let it fill the soul.

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12
to break your heart wide o - pen and let God's love flow in.
and serve as Christ would will us, the branch - es of his vine.
that by God's grace we flour - ish and make the wounded whole.