Latin Quarter, Remember

In the house of the almighty lord They all shall come, the great and small They have-nots, and the have-it shall enter. A body from a foreign war Is draped in flag, the bugle calls To prey in sorrow, bless the cause Remember Shall we not remember?

But would the man from Verdun speak Of glory if he laid a wreath? And if the Empire called again, would he defend her? And what of those who held Madrid While powers stalled and freedom hid? Or those that kept the Athens bridge, Traitored by the allied kiss? Shall we not remember?

And who believes he came to die For uniforms where padres hide To bless the violence from our side, Knowing smaller nations cry. "Thou shalt not kill" - unless of course The weak shall try and share the earth With those who found their power of birth Remember Shall we not remember.