A Hymn for Blessed Stanley Rother

1. From age to age, Lord Jesus, Your sacred call rings out,
   In spir-ing steadfast witness, Defeating fear and doubt.
   "Hosanna! Holy, Holy!" In ceaseless joy on high.
   Disciples of glad tidings Arise in ev’ry place,
   Proclaiming your salvation, Your mercy, love, and grace.

2. Apostles, saints, and martyrs, With hosts of angels cry
   "Take up your cross, and follow, They lived out your command,
   "Take up your cross, and follow, They lived out your command,
   And life itself surrendered, To sing at God’s right hand.

3. Your servant, Stanley Rother, Baptized into your name,
   Or-dained for Gospel mission Was filled with Spirit flame.
   To distant lands he traveled, God’s people in his care
   Through threats and mortal dangers His life was giv’n as prayer.

4. His martyr’s light and courage Shine bright for us today,
   To lead us on our journey, To follow in your way.
   O Father, Son, and Spirit, One faithful voice we raise,
   One humble hymn we offer, One sacrifice of praise.

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