



## **TILL TRUTH APPEARS**

Christmas bells on greeting cards,  
In story or in singing  
Are but the shells of real bells;  
I never hear their ringing.

Christmas Babes on greeting cards,  
In singing or in story  
Do but conceal – cannot reveal  
The Christmas Baby's glory.

Artist, toll your silent bells;  
Composer, make no ending;  
You writer, write with skill and might  
Till Truth appears, descending.

-- Edmund E. Wells

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