

Simple Gifts

1. 'Tis the gift to be sim - ple, 'tis the gift to be free, 'tis the
 2. 'Tis the gift to be gen - tle, 'tis the gift to be fair, 'tis the
 3. 'Tis the gift to be faith - ful, 'tis the gift to be free, 'tis the

gift to come down where we ought to be, and when we find our-selves in the
 gift to love and be more self - a - ware, that we may find con - tent - ment in the
 gift to live in true com - mu - ni - ty, where Je - sus is our lead - er, and he

place just right, it will be in the val - ley of love and de - light.
 sim - plest things, and to God all the joy in our hearts we will sing.
 rules with love, and we share in his Life that is from God a - bove.

When true sim - pli - ci - ty is gain'd, to bow and to bend we will not be a - sham'd. To

turn, turn will be our de - light, 'til by turn - ing, turn - ing we come 'round right.

vs.1 - traditional American Shaker hymn

vs.2-3 - adapted/written by Pete Haynes