Softly Fades the Twilight Ray

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Softly fades the twilight ray Of the

| m - s - f - m - | r - - - m - - f |
holy Sabbath day; Gently

| s - d' - t - l - | s - - - d - - r |
as life's setting sun; When the

| m - f - m - r - | d - - - |
Christian's course is run.

The other verses

2 Night her solemn mantle spreads
O'er the earth, as daylight fades;
All things tell of calm repose
At the holy Sabbath's close.

3 Peace is on the world abroad;
'Tis the holy peace of God, —
Symbol of the peace within,
When the spirit rests from sin.

4 Still the Spirit lingers near,
Where the evening worshipper
Seeks communion with the skies,
Pressing onward to the prize.

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