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4 Some wandered in the wilderness,
lost and homeless.

5 Hungry and thirsty,
they nearly died.

6 “LORD, help!” they cried in their trouble,
and he rescued them from their
distress.

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- ⁷ He led them straight to safety,
to a city where they could live.
- ⁸ Let them praise the LORD for his great love
and for the wonderful things he has done
for them.
- ⁹ For he satisfies the thirsty
and fills the hungry with good things. †




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