War and Peace

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GOD'S KINGDOM (8.7.8.7.8.7.)

1. War and conflict, strife and en- vy,
   In the world we see to-day.
   Armies wreaking their destruction,
   Refused by the Inner part.

2. In our streets the same things happen,
   Rival gangs each hold their own.
   Innocents are killed and wounded,
   By the Words and Actions part.

3. In some homes sad conflict rages,
   Families are torn apart.
   Anger then gives rise to violence,
   A generation is there to work.

4. In our hearts there too is conflict;
   Right and wrong each have their part.
   Paul the saint was very conscious,
   But to guide us: Ten Commandments.

For text of Verse 5, see following page.
5. "Peace I leave you", said the Saviour,  
    Peace for all, in every sphere.  
Let us follow Christ's injunctions;  
Give our lives to Him, Most Dear.  
Then all conflicts will be ended;  
Love and joy replaces fear.

Verse 5, incorporating the descant:-  
(Unison + descant)

Optional Descant to Verse 5:

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