

They All Made Excuses

(Luke 14:16-24)

There was a certain man, who a great supper made,
Then invited many, "Come feast!" his servant bayed.

But with one accord, excuses they began to make.
Reasons they could not come and of the great supper partake.

One bought a piece of property, that he'd never seen before.
The second bought untested oxen, who knew what lay in store?

The third man just got married, therefore he could not attend.
No one who was invited came, the master they all would offend.

In his anger the master said, "Invite the poor, the blind, the lame."
The servant did just that and the unfortunate souls all came.

When it comes time to go to worship, do we too make excuse?
I'm busy, tired or on vacation, could be some we use.

But on that Day of Judgement, when the Master will say,
"Oh my unprofitable servant, at My feast you cannot stay."

So let us all make the commitment, never an excuse make,
Serving our Lord and Master and of heaven's feast to partake!

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