

# KERSAL MOOR

You reformers of England and Ireland attend  
To this song of the times that I have lately penned  
It's concerning of a meeting just now taking place  
Demanding our rights and explaining our case

*For the time it has come and the work has begun  
To be free or for ever be slaves*

The rich man he lives in his luxury at ease  
The poor man's degraded, staring death in the face  
The rich they can choose what to eat, drink or wear  
The poor's clothed in rags, but what do the rich care

But our motto shall be, huzzah for liberty  
Now we're all met upon Kersal Moor

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To be free or for ever be slaves*

*Tune: Brian Peters; Words: Traditional; Arranged: Coe, Peters, Smyth*

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