

Song 1

This Child -secretly comes in the night
Oh this Child, - hiding a heavenly light
Oh this Child, - coming to us like a stranger
This heavenly Child

*This Child, - heaven come down now
To be with us - here
Heavenly love and mercy - appear
Softly in awe and wonder come near
To this heavenly Child*

This Child, - rising on us like the sun
Oh this Child,- given to light everyone
This Child, -
guiding our feet on the pathway
To peace on earth
This Child, .. heaven come down now

This Child, - raising the humble and poor
Oh this Child, - making the proud ones to fall
This Child, -
filling the hungry with good things
This heavenly Child
This Child, .. heaven come down now

Song 2

O come, all ye faithful Joyful and triumphant
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem
Come and behold Him Born the King of angels
*O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him Christ the Lord*

God of God - Light of Light
Lo, He abhors not the Virgins' womb
Very God begotten not created
O come, let us adore Him

Sing choirs of angels - Sing in exultation
Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above
Glory to God in the highest:
O come, let us adore him

Yea Lord we greet Thee
Born this happy morning
Jesu to Thee be glory given
Word of the Father Now in flesh appearing
O come, let us adore Him

Song 3

Away in a manger No crib for a bed
The little Lord Jesus Laid down His sweet head
The stars in the bright sky
Looked down where He lay
The little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay

The cattle are lowing the Baby awakes
But little Lord Jesus no crying He makes

I love Thee Lord Jesus Look down from the sky
And stay by my bedside Until morning is nigh

Be near me Lord Jesus I ask Thee to stay
Close by me for ever And love me I pray
Bless all the dear children In Thy tender care
And fit us for heaven To live with Thee there

Song 4

The first Nowell the angel did say

Was to certain poor shepherds
in fields as they lay
In fields where they lay keeping their sheep
On a cold winter's night that was so deep
Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell
Born is the King of Israel

They looked up and saw a star
Shining in the east beyond them far
And to the earth it gave great light
And so it continued both day and night
Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell
Born is the King of Israel

This star drew nigh to the north-west
O'er Bethlehem it took its rest
And there it did both stop and stay
Right over the place where Jesus lay
Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell
Born is the King of Israel

Then let us all with one accord
Sing praises to our heavenly Lord
That hath made heaven and earth of nought
And with His blood mankind hath bought
Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell
Born is the King of Israel

Song 5

Hark the glad sound the Saviour comes

The Saviour promised long
Let every heart prepare a throne
And every voice a song

He comes the prisoners to release
In Satan's bondage held
The gates of brass before Him burst
The iron fetters yield

He comes the broken heart to bind
The bleeding soul to cure
And with the treasures of His grace
To enrich the humble poor

Our glad hosannas Prince of Peace
Thy welcome shall proclaim
And heaven's eternal arches ring
With Thy beloved name

Prayer

The word became flesh. He came among us, he was one of us. Gracious God, you love us and your generous love surrounds us, you call us as you called Mary and as a mother calls her child. But the more you call us, the more we turn away. Yet you are the one who gave us birth; who cares for us. You draw us to you and pick us up; holding us to your cheek. Forgive and renew us, and fill us with your Spirit that in true thankfulness we may bear witness to your love, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

The true light that gives light to everyone has come into the world. To all who receive him, he gives power to become children of God. This is Christ's gracious word: 'your sins are forgiven.'
Amen -Thanks be to God.

Song 6

Angels from the realms of glory

Wing your flight o'er all the earth

Ye who sang creation's story

Now proclaim Messiah's birth

Come and worship

Christ, the new born King

Come and worship

Worship Christ, the new born King

Shepherds in the fields abiding

Watching o'er your flock by night

God with man is now residing

Yonder shines the infant Light

Come and worship

Christ, the new born King

Come and worship

Worship Christ, the new born King

Sages leave your contemplations

Brighter visions beam afar

Seek the great desire of nations

Ye have seen His natal star

Come and worship

Christ, the new born King

Come and worship

Worship Christ, the new born King

Saints before the altar bending

Watching long with hope and fear

Suddenly the Lord, descending

In His temple shall appear

Come and worship - Christ, the new born King

Come and worship

Worship Christ, the new born King

Song 7

See amid the winter's snow

Born for us on earth below

See the tender lamb appears

Promised from eternal years

Hail thou ever blessed morn

Hail redemption's happy dawn

Sing through all Jerusalem

Christ is born in Bethlehem

Lo within a manger lies

He who built the starry skies

He who throned in height sublime

Sits amid the cherubim

Hail thou ever blessed morn

Hail redemption's happy dawn

Sing through all Jerusalem

Christ is born in Bethlehem

Sacred Infant all divine

What a tender love was Thine

Thus to come from highest bliss

Down to such a world as this

Hail thou ever blessed morn

Hail redemption's happy dawn

Sing through all Jerusalem

Christ is born in Bethlehem

Teach O teach us Holy Child

By Thy face so meek and mild

Teach us to resemble Thee

In Thy sweet humility

Hail thou ever blessed morn

Hail redemption's happy dawn

Sing through all Jerusalem

Christ is born in Bethlehem

Song 8

Joy to the world! The Lord is come

Let earth receive her King

Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room

And heav'n and nature sing

And heav'n and nature sing

And heav'n and heav'n and nature sing

Joy to the earth! The Saviour reigns

Let men their songs employ

While fields and floods

rocks hills and plains

Repeat the sounding joy

Repeat the sounding joy

Repeat, repeat the sounding joy

He rules the world with truth and grace

And makes the nations prove

The glories of His righteousness

And wonders of His love

And wonders of His love

And wonders, wonders of His love