



Nikolaus Decius, 1519–41
tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827–78

1. All glory be to God on high,
Who hath our race befriended!
To us no harm shall now come
nigh,
The strife at last is ended;
God showeth His goodwill to men,
And peace shall reign on earth
again;
O thank Him for His goodness.

2. We praise, we worship Thee, we
trust,
And give Thee thanks for ever,
O Father, that Thy rule is just,
And wise, and changes never;
Thy boundless power o'er all things
reigns,
Done is whate'er Thy will ordains;
Well for us that Thou rulest!



**3. O Jesus Christ, Thou only Son
Of God, Thy heavenly Father,
Who didst for all our sins atone
And the lost sheep dost gather.
Thou Lamb of God, to Thee on high,
From out our depths, we sinners
cry,
Have mercy on us, Jesus!**

**4. O Holy Ghost, Thou precious Gift,
Thou Comforter unfailing:
O'er Satan's snares our souls uplift,
And let Thy power availing
Avert our woes and calm our dread;
For us the Saviour's blood was
shed,
We trust in Thee to save us!**



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- 1. Blessèd Jesus, You ransomed me;
A slave to sin was I, but You set me
free;
You paid the debt for sin, on
Calvary,
I am a child of God because of
Thee.**

***Behold, what manner of love
The Father has bestowed on us,
That we should be called
The children of God!***

- 2. Loving Father, I'll never know
The cost it was to You to let Him go;
Yet in Your grace and love it had to
be,
The precious blood of Christ has
redeemed me.**

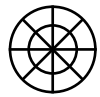


**3. Holy Spirit, You made me see
That blessed Sacrifice was made for
me;
Oh, words cannot express this joy
I've found,
Your peace is here within, and love
abounds!**

***Behold, what manner of love
The Father has bestowed on us,
That we should be called
The children of God!***

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**1. Father, how wonderful to call You
‘Father!’**

**To know Your loving arms
surround me,**

**Gently leading through each day,
through each day.**

**2. Jesus, the Son who brought me to
the Father,**

**The One who bore the shame of
Calv’ry,**

**To blaze the trail and lead the
way.**

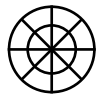


***Spirit, dear Holy Spirit,
Though I was dead in sin, You
quickenened me.
Through Christ, You breathed
Your life into me,
And made my blinded eyes to
see—
So now I'm singing:***

**3. Glory, living in God's love is glory,
I lift my hands in awe before Thee,
Lost in wonder, love, and praise.**

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Charles Wesley, 1707–88

- 1. Father, in whom we live,
In whom we are, and move,
The glory, power, and praise
receive
Of Thy creating love.
Let all the angel throng
Give thanks to God on high;
While earth repeats the joyful
song,
And echoes to the sky.**

- 2. Incarnate Deity,
Let all the ransomed race
Render in thanks their lives to
Thee,
For Thy redeeming grace.
The grace to sinners showed
Ye heavenly choirs proclaim,
And cry: Salvation to our God,
Salvation to the Lamb!**



3. Spirit of Holiness,

**Let all Thy saints adore
Thy sacred energy, and bless
Thine heart-renewing power.
Not angel tongues can tell
Thy love's ecstatic height,
The glorious joy unspeakable,
The beatific sight.**

4. Eternal, Triune Lord!

**Let all the hosts above,
Let all the sons of men, record
And dwell upon Thy love.
When heaven and earth are fled
Before Thy glorious face,
Sing all the saints Thy love hath
made
Thine everlasting praise.**



Christine Dieckmann

- 1. Jehovah, God Almighty,
You who created all,
We followed our own way,
Like sheep wandered astray,
And knew the terror of our fall.
But in great love and mercy
You graced us in Your Son,
Whilst we were dead in sin,
Made us alive in Him,
When salvation for us You won.**

- 2. O Jesus, our Redeemer,
Washed in Your blood, made new,
Your name we gladly bear,
In Your sufferings we share,
Take up our cross and follow You.
For we shall live in glory,
One day shall see Your face,
And suffering of this day
Will simply fade away
Within the triumph of Your grace.**



**3. We trust You, loving Father,
In all that You now bring;
Accept Your sovereign will,
If it be good or ill,
We give You praise and
 thanksgiving.
For You are pure and holy
And all You do is right,
And though our flesh may fail,
In Christ we shall prevail,
And in His Spirit stand upright.**

**4. O Spirit of the living God,
With truth our hearts refresh,
And keep us from all wrong,
In weakness make us strong,
Give us a thirst for righteousness.
And ever keep our eyes on Christ
Our minds on things above,
Christ in us glorify,
Him only magnify,
And keep us steadfast in His love.**



**5. O Father, Son and Spirit,
Almighty God who reigns,
You only will we praise,
Adore You endless days,
And we exalt Your holy Name.**

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Charles Wesley, 1707–88

**1. Since the Son hath made me free,
Let me taste my liberty;
Thee behold with open face,
Triumph in Thy saving grace,
Thy great will delight to prove,
Glory in Thy perfect love.**

**2. Abba, Father, hear Thy child,
Late in Jesus reconciled;
Hear, and all the graces shower,
All the joy, and peace, and power,
All my Saviour asks above,
All the life and heaven of love.**



**3. Heavenly Adam, Life divine,
Change my nature into Thine;
Move and spread throughout my
soul,
Actuate and fill the whole;
Be it I no longer now
Living in the flesh, but Thou.**

**4. Holy Ghost, no more delay;
Come, and in Thy temple stay;
Now Thine inward witness bear,
Strong, and permanent, and clear;
Spring of life, Thyself impart,
Rise eternal in my heart.**



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- 1. The love of the Father
Is seen in His Son,
The suffering Servant
Who brings life to men;
Men who reject Him,
Reviling His name,
Oh, the love of the Father
Is seen in His Son.**

- 2. The love of the Father
Is shown in the Cross,
For He planned through Christ
To save men who are lost.
And who knows the suffering,
And who the great cost?
As the love of the Father
Is shown in the Cross.**



**3. The love of the Father
The Spirit makes known,
By showing the rebels
The Father and Son;
Our hatred dissolved,
By His grace we are won,
For the love of the Father,
The Spirit makes known.**

**4. The love of the Father
The family proclaims,
As purged from our sin,
We delight in His name.
And in His presence,
With Christ we shall reign,
And forever the love
Of the Father proclaim!**

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- 1. We are sure of the truth that the
Father loves us,
Sure that His grace has extended
to us;
Sending His Son, the true Man, to
save us,
He has done all, that we may stand
tall
In the truth.**

- 2. We can know without doubt that
He justified us,
When from the dead He raised our
Lord, Jesus.
We are accounted, with Him, as
righteous;
We have been blessed, with a
conscience at rest
In the truth.**



**3. By the Spirit of truth, God bears
witness through us,
Causing His light to shine in the
darkness.
Until the Day it bursts fully on us,
We must declare, by love we will
share
His great truth!**

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Isaac Watts, 1674–1748

- 1. We give immortal praise
To God the Father's love,
For all our comforts here,
And better hopes above.
He sent His own eternal Son,
To die for sins that man had done.**

- 2. To God the Son belongs
Immortal glory too,
Who bought us with His blood
From everlasting woe;
And now He lives, and now He
reigns,
And sees the fruit of all His pains.**



**3. To God the Spirit's name
Immortal worship give,
Whose new-creating power
Makes the dead sinner live.
His work completes the great
design,
And fills the soul with joy divine.**

**4. Almighty God, to Thee
Be endless honours done,
The undivided Three,
And the mysterious One.
Where reason fails, with all her
powers,
There faith prevails and love
adores.**



Martin Bleby

- 1. Where can we find the love
That fills every longing?
Where can we find the love
That binds us in one?
Is it from high above?
Does it dwell here below?
Where can we find that love—
Do you know?**

- 2. I heard a Man once say
'Believe in the Father!
I will show you the way—
Believe in the Son!
Come now to Me and drink,
Live in the Spirit's flow,
There you will find that love—
You will know!'**



**3. See why the Father loves
The Son so completely!
See how the Father's loved
So much by the Son!
Jesus gives up His life,
Our Father's will is done—
Action of love for us—
They are One.**

**4. See now the Spirit brings
God's life to His children,
Cleanses and fills all things
With light and with love,
Here now the Family sings
Praises below, above,
Praise to the Trinity—
God of love!**

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Geoffrey Bingham

- 1. You are our Father, loving God!
The Sun and Sum of all our soul;
You are the Source of all our life,
You are our Sunset and our Goal.
Our heart and mind are full in You
Who are our birth and end-in-view.**

- 2. Oh Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
Your wisdom was—us to create;
All love, truth, good and holiness
Flowed from Your loving heart so great;
You shaped us in Your likeness true
That we might live and grow like You.**

- 3. The sadness of our sinful choice,
The hardness of unthankful hearts,
The sin that chained its captive souls
Brought sorrow into all our parts.
Apart from You is darkness dread,
And we are living as the dead.**



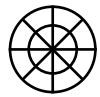
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- 4. Oh Christ of God, You then appeared,
You brought sweet healing from Your
balm—
The blood that on the Cross You shed
To save us from all hell and harm—
The cleansing that this blood has brought,
So long our souls in pain had sought.**
 - 5. Oh Spirit of the living God,
Oh Spirit dear—so holy, true—
Our hearts are melted in the love
That flows within our hearts from You.
The Father clearly now we see,
And Son—who sets our spirits free.**
 - 6. Oh Holy Father, low we bend;
Through Holy Son we come to You.
Oh Holy Spirit, keep us fresh,
And strong and rich and free in You.
Oh God of love, possess our hearts,
Fill us to full in all our parts.**



**7. Rise, all creation! Rise and sing
The glories of our God and King,
Let heart and soul, and mind rejoice,
We live in Him who is our choice.
We live in Him to endless days,
Who planned our acts and all our ways.**

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- 1. Abba! Abba! Father God!
You have filled us with Your love,
Abba! Abba! You are dear:
How we feel Your presence near.**

- 2. Thou great Heart—Eternal Love—
Pour upon us from above
Freedom from each bond and
chain,
That we may be Yours again.**

- 3. As that son returned from sin
To the father's arms of love,
So we turn, O Lord, to Thee,
Ever in Thy Home to be.**



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- 4. In the night-time of our soul,
You have healed and made us
whole;
You have banished pain and dread,
With Your hand our spirits fed.**
- 5. All the longings of our heart
Bid us from this life depart
That our eyes Your glory see,
That we may be one with Thee.**
- 6. Abba! Abba! Father God!
You have filled us with Your love,
Abba! Abba! You are dear:
How we feel Your presence near.**
- 7. Abba! Abba! Father dear,
You will bring us yet more near;
Take us to Your heart of love,
Make us one with You above.**

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Isaac Watts, 1674–1748
William Cameron, 1751–1811

- 1. Behold the amazing gift of love
The Father hath bestowed
On us, the sinful sons of men,
To call us sons of God!**

- 2. Concealed as yet this honour lies,
By this dark world unknown,
A world that knew not when He
came,
E'en God's eternal Son.**

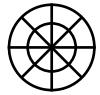
- 3. High is the rank we now possess;
But higher we shall rise;
Though what we shall hereafter be
Is hid from mortal eyes.**



**4. Our souls, we know, when He
appears,
Shall bear His image bright;
For all His glory, full disclosed,
Shall open to our sight.**

**5. A hope so great, and so divine,
May trials well endure;
And purge that soul from guilt and
sin,
As Christ Himself is pure.**

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Jean Johnson

- 1. Chosen by God, before the world's
beginning,
Destined to be His family beloved;
Precious to Him, created in His image,
Our Father God; our Father God.**

- 2. Once without God and hope, in
darkness living,
Far from the truth and strangers to His
will;
Now through the precious blood of
Christ we draw near
Our Father God; our Father God.**

- 3. O that we might walk worthy of His
calling,
Christian in daily living, as in name;
Loving all people, and to all revealing
Our Father God; our Father God.**



**4. Our loving Father, can our frame
contain it?**

**All that is God's, is ours to have, to be:
Holy and blameless, just as He is holy,
Our Father God; our Father God.**

**5. O praise His name, He is the great
Creator,
Lord of the universe and all therein;
The King of kings and Lord of lords
forever,
Our Father God; our Father God.**

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John Wesley, 1703–91

- 1. Father of all! whose powerful voice
Called forth this universal frame;
Whose mercies over all rejoice,
Through endless ages still the
same:**
- 2. Thou by Thy word upholdest all;
Thy bounteous love to all is
showed,
Thou hear'st Thy every creature's
call,
And fillest every mouth with good.**
- 3. Giver and Lord of life, whose
power
And guardian care for all are free,
To Thee, in fierce temptation's
hour,
From sin and Satan let us flee.**



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- 4. Thine, Lord, we are, and ours
Thou art;
In us be all Thy goodness showed.
Renew, enlarge, and fill our heart
With peace, and joy, and heaven,
and God.**
- 5. Father, 'tis Thine each day to yield
Thy children's wants a fresh
supply;
Thou cloth'st the lilies of the field,
And hearest the young ravens cry.**
- 6. On Thee we cast our care; we live
Through Thee, who know'st our
every need:
O feed us with Thy grace, and give
Our souls this day the living bread.**



Charles Wesley, 1707–88

- 1. Father of everlasting grace,
Thy goodness and Thy truth we
praise,
Thy goodness and Thy truth we
prove;
Thou hast, in honour of Thy Son,
The gift unspeakable sent down,
Spirit of life, and power, and love.**

- 2. Send us the Spirit of Thy Son,
To make the depths of Godhead
known,
To make us share the life divine;
Send Him the sprinkled blood to
apply,
Send Him our souls to sanctify,
And show and seal us ever Thine.**



**3. So shall we pray, and never cease,
So shall we thankfully confess
Thy wisdom, truth, and power, and
love;
With joy unspeakable adore,
And bless and praise Thee
evermore,
And serve Thee as Thy hosts
above:**

**4. Till, added to that heavenly choir,
We raise our songs of triumph
higher,
And praise Thee in a bolder strain,
Out-soar the first-born seraph's
flight,
And sing, with all our friends in
light,
Thy everlasting love to man.**



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- 1. God is all-loving, He is our Father,
He who loves all men, He who
loves you,
He who demands that we should
love all men,
Who loves this Father, must love
them too.**

- 2. Who loves the Father should love
his brother,
Who loves the Father must love
His son,
And so we love them—call them all
brothers—
Love them through Father—great
God of love!**



**3. There on Christ's Calv'ry He bore
our sorrows,
Our hurts and hatreds were on Him
laid,
There all the anger, sore wounds
and anguish
Were cleansed by suffering, each
debt was paid.**

**4. Gone is the anger, gone the
resentment,
Gone is the hatred, gone is the
pain.
Come is the wonder of a new spirit
As love comes coursing through
every vein.**



**5. We are forgiven: His love has
reached us,
We are forgiven, so we forgive.
Love we as brothers, love we as
sisters,
Love we as family—for this we
live.**

**6. Praise to the Father, who gives us
sonship,
Praise to the Spirit, who keeps us
free,
Praise to the Saviour, who makes
us brethren,
Praise be for ever—for Family!**

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Jenny Winter

**1. Heavenly Father, heavenly Father,
You have called us to Yourself and
so we sing,
Hallelujah, hallelujah,
We rejoice because the Lord is
King.**

**2. Thank You Father, thank You
Father,
For the strength that comes from
You in heaven above.
Hallelujah, hallelujah,
For Your never-ending source of
love.**



**3. Loving Father, loving Father,
We just thank You that You call
each one a son.
Hallelujah, hallelujah,
We are grateful for what You have
done.**

**4. God our Father, God our Father,
We just praise You that You've
made us family.
Hallelujah, hallelujah,
Through Christ Jesus You have
made us free.**

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1. I love, dear Father, for You first
 loved me,
And proved Your love by sending
 Christ
To die on Calvary.
My sin You laid upon Him there—
The shame, the guilt, the need—
You turned Your face away from
 Him
That I might be freed:

*Herein is love, not that we loved
 God,
But that He loved us, and sent His
 Son
To pay the price, the sacrifice,
To be the propitiation for our sins.*



**2. And now Your Holy Spirit has come
to dwell within,
His power gives me all I need
To turn away from sin.
The living water overflows,
I cannot stem the tide;
My heart cries out in love to You—
You draw me to Your side:**

***Herein is love, not that we loved
God,
But that He loved us, and sent His
Son
To pay the price, the sacrifice,
To be the propitiation for our sins.***



**3. You opened my mouth—I show
forth Your praise,
Telling those around me that
I am no more a slave.
Instead I am a child of God,
And growing up each day
Into the image of Your Son,
Your grace has me amazed:**

***Herein is love, not that we loved
God,
But that He loved us, and sent His
Son
To pay the price, the sacrifice,
To be the propitiation for our sins.***

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Walter Chalmers Smith, 1824–1908

- 1. Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
Most blessèd, most glorious, the
Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name
we praise.**
- 2. Unresting, unhasting, and silent as
light,
Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest
in might;
Thy justice like mountains high soaring
above,
Thy clouds which are fountains of
goodness and love.**



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- 3. To all life Thou givest, to both great
and small;
In all life Thou livest, the true life of all;
We blossom and flourish as leaves on
a tree,
And wither and perish: but nought
changeth Thee.**
- 4. Great Father of glory, pure Father of
light,
Thine angels adore Thee, all veiling
their sight;
Of all Thy rich graces this grace, Lord,
impart—
Take the veil from our faces, the veil
from our heart.**
- 5. All laud we would render: O help us to
see,
'Tis only the splendour of light hideth
Thee;
And so let Thy glory, Almighty, impart
Through Christ in the story, Thy Christ
to the heart.**



Geoffrey Bingham

- 1. Most holy Father, now we bow
before You,
Children created by the Breath of
God;
Formed for Your purpose, shaped
into Your image,
Glorious children of the living God.**

- 2. Sin had divided, love had changed
to hatred,
True adoration had been turned to
guilt;
Horror of horrors, man's fearful
divisions,
Man's blood by man had been so
wrongly spilt.**



**3. Lonely and wounded, hurt turned
into hatred,
Bitter and vengeful, living in sin's
doom;
No shaft of light to break through
life's deep sorrow,
Spirits of men unbowed before
wrath's doom.**

**4. Son of the Father, sent by Him
who loved us,
Warm flesh as ours became in
Bethlehem's inn,
Baptized by Spirit, mighty in His
power;
Great God's great Conqueror over
all our sin.**



**5. There on the Cross He wrestled
with our darkness,
Tracing His steps back through
mankind's sad sins,
Until He bears and suffers and
exhausts them
And the new family in God's love
begins.**

**6. Rise, sons and daughters, in His
resurrection,
Conquerors you are now over sin
and death;
Renewed in Christ, empowered for
holy living,
Created by the Holy Spirit's
breath.**



**7. Reign now in life by One—Christ
Jesus, Victor!
Reign in this world, and kingdom
yet to come;
Know fullest joy as members of
God's family,
Know what it is to live in Him as
one.**

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- 1. O, Father of all mercy,
O, Father of all might,
Grant boldness to Your children
As we go forth to fight!
The battle is a real one,
And many times we fall,
But Jesus is our Captain,
And He has conquered all!**

- 2. Love is the flag we carry,
And freedom we proclaim
To all who sit in darkness,
New light is now aflame!
The Saviour is the beacon,
Whose light brings life to all,
And trusting in His merit,
The child of grace stands tall!**



**3. The Spirit leads us onward,
This wondrous truth to share;
Our hearts cannot contain it,
God's grace we must declare.
And when in heaven we're
gathered
Around the Father's throne,
Our song of love will ever
Praise Him who brought us home.**

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- 1. O Father, our Father,
You give to Your children,
The glory You give
To Your own blessed Son;
You raise us from dust
And You give us Your Spirit:
You breathe Your own life
Into us, every one.**

- 2. We marvel, our Father,
Our God of creation,
We glow with the joy
That You gave us at birth;
Our eyes are serene
And our spirits are tranquil:
We worship You Father,
Lord of all the earth.**



**3. We failed in the mandate
You gave us—Your children—
We sank to the dust
And the dirt and the mire,
But Your Son came to rescue us
From our dread evil,
To lift us from death
And to cleanse us with fire.**

**4. The fire You lit
In the Cross of our Saviour,
The fire that blazed
In Your own heart of love,
That fire came burning
Upon us, Your children,
You cleansed all our hearts
By the power of the Dove.**



**5. The Cross and the Spirit
Unite in their power,
To shape us to glory,
To be like Your Son,
And one day the heavens
Will shout with the triumph:
'The people of God
Have been made to be one!'**

**6. Oh, how we adore You,
Great Father of glory!
Oh, how we all love You,
Dear Son, there, above;
And how we rejoice
In the life of the Spirit!
And worship and bless You,
Our great God of love!**

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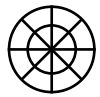
Philip Doddridge, 1702–51

- 1. Sovereign of all the worlds on high,
Allow my humble claim;
Nor, while unworthy I draw nigh,
Disdain a Father's name.**

- 2. My Father God!—that gracious sound
Dispels my guilty fear;
Not all the harmony of heaven
Could so delight my ear.**

- 3. Come, Holy Spirit, seal the grace
On my expanding heart;
And show that in the Father's love
I share a filial part.**

- 4. Cheered by a witness so divine,
Unwavering I believe;
And Abba, Father! humbly cry;
Nor can the sign deceive.**



Frances Jane van Alstyne, 1820–1915

**1. To God be the glory, great things He
has done!
So loved He the world that He gave
us His Son,
Who yielded His life an atonement
for sin
And opened the life-gate that all
may go in.**

***Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father, through
Jesus the Son;
And give Him the glory! great things
He has done!***



**2. O perfect redemption, the purchase
of blood,
To every believer the promise of
God!
And every offender who truly
believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon
receives.**

***Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father, through
Jesus the Son;
And give Him the glory! great things
He has done!***



**3. Great things He has taught us,
great things He has done,
And great our rejoicing through
Jesus the Son;
But purer, and higher, and greater
will be
Our wonder, our rapture, when
Jesus we see.**

***Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father, through
Jesus the Son;
And give Him the glory! great things
He has done!***



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- 1. We are the children, sons of the
Father,
We are the children, sons of the Lord.
Jesus has freed us, brought us to
pardon,
Lift we our voices to Father-God.**
- 2. When He created in His own likeness—
Gave us His glory, made us to reign—
We were as princes, born of the
Father,
He gave creation into our hands.**
- 3. Man, in temptation, sought his own
godhead,
Lost all the wonder of being a son;
Sought to be master, where he was
creature:
Lost all the glory, found he had none.**



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- 4. Gone was the glory, come was the
evil,
Heart steeped in sorrow, mind filled
with sin:
Anguish and sorrow marked his
relations
With God the Father, and fellow man.**
- 5. Praise for the Father, praise for His
Saviour,
Jesus the true Son, sent down for
man,
Revealed the Father by all His actions;
Took all our burdens, bore them each
one.**
- 6. Come we through Jesus, come to the
Father,
Deep in repentance, trembling in faith;
Receive His pardon, receiving our
cleansing,
Take up our sonship—His gift of grace.**



**7. Freed from our bondage, love we the
Father,
Led by the Spirit, live we as sons;
Joined to the brethren, living as family,
Praising the Father, who made us one.**

**8. Thine is the Kingdom, Thine is the
glory,
Thine is the power, Thine is the praise.
Glory to Jesus, and to the Spirit,
Glory, O Father, Ancient of Days!**

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- 1. Hark the glad sound! the Saviour
comes,
The Saviour promised long;
Let every heart prepare a throne
And every voice a song.**
- 2. On Him the Spirit largely poured
Exerts its sacred fire;
Wisdom and might and zeal and
love
His holy breast inspire.**
- 3. He comes the prisoners to release
In Satan's bondage held;
The gates of brass before Him
burst,
The iron fetters yield.**



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- 4. He comes from thickest films of
vice
To clear the mental ray,
And on the eyeballs of the blind
To pour celestial day.**
 - 5. He comes the broken heart to bind,
The bleeding soul to cure,
And with the treasures of His grace
To enrich the humble poor.**
 - 6. His silver trumpets publish loud
The jubilee of the Lord,
Our debts are all remitted now,
Our heritage restored.**
 - 7. Our glad hosannas, Prince of
Peace,
Your welcome shall proclaim,
And heaven's exalted arches ring
With Your beloved name.**



Charles Wesley, 1707–88,
George Whitefield, 1714–70
M. Madan, c. 1760, and others

- 1. Hark! the herald angels sing
Glory to the newborn King,
Peace on earth, and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled.
Joyful, all ye nations, rise,
Join the triumph of the skies;
With the angelic host proclaim,
‘Christ is born in Bethlehem’:**

***Hark! the herald angels sing
Glory to the newborn King.***

- 2. Christ, by highest heaven adored,
Christ, the everlasting Lord,
Late in time behold Him come,
Offspring of a virgin’s womb!
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see;
Hail the incarnate Deity!
Pleased as Man with man to dwell,
Jesus, our Immanuel:**



**3. Hail the heaven-born Prince of
Peace!**

**Hail the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all He brings,
Risen with healing in His wings.
Mild He lays His glory by,
Born that man no more may die,
Born to raise the sons of earth,
Born to give them second birth:**

***Hark! the herald angels sing
Glory to the newborn King.***

**4. Come, Desire of nations, come,
Fix in us Thy humble home;
Rise, the woman's conquering
Seed,
Bruise in us the serpent's head.
Adam's likeness now efface,
Stamp Thine image in its place:
Second Adam from above,
Reinstate us in Thy love:**



Isaac Watts, 1674–1748
Psalm 98

- 1. Joy to the world! the Lord is come:
Let earth receive her King;
Let every heart prepare Him room.
And heaven and nature sing,
And heaven and nature sing,
And heaven, and heaven and nature
sing.**
- 2. Joy to the world! 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.**



**3. No more let sins and sorrows grow,
Nor thorns infest the ground;
He comes to make His blessings
flow**

**Far as the curse is found,
Far as the curse is found,
Far as, far as the curse is found.**

**4. 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.**