

Good Christians All, Rejoice

Neale

1. Good Christians all, rejoice
with heart and soul and voice;
listen well to what we say;
Jesus Christ is born today!
Ox and ass before him bow,
and he is in the manger now.
Christ is born today!
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2. Good Christians all, rejoice
with heart and soul and voice;
now you hear of endless bliss;
Jesus Christ was born for this!
He has opened heaven's door,
and you are blest for evermore.
Christ was born for this!
Christ was born for this!
3. Good Christian all, rejoice
with heart and soul and voice;
now you need not fear the grave;
Jesus Christ was born to save!
Calls you one and calls you all,
to gain his everlasting hall.
Christ was born to save!
Christ was born to save!

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