

Hail, Queen of Heaven, the Ocean Star

Lingard / STELLA



1. Hail, Queen of heav'n, the o - cean star, guide of the wan - d'r'er here be - low,
2. O gen - tle, chaste and spot - less maid, we sin - ners make our prayers through thee;
3. And while to him who reigns a - bove, in God-head One, in Per - sons Three,



1. thrown on life's surge, we claim thy care: save us from per - il and from woe.
2. re - mind thy Son that he has paid the price of our in - i - qui - ty.
3. the source of life, of grace, of love, hom-age we pay on bend - ed knee.



1. Mo - ther of Christ, Star of the Sea, pray for the wan - d'r'er, pray for me.
2. Vir - gin most pure, Star of the Sea, pray for the sin - ner, pray for me.
3. Do thou, bright Queen, Star of the Sea, pray for thy chil - dren, pray for me.

Inspiration: "Ave maris stella", Latin, 9th cent.

Lyrics: 88.88.88; John Lingard, 1771-1851.

Music: STELLA; trad. English melody, arr. Henri Friedrich Hemy, 1818-1888, in "Easy Hymn Tunes for Catholic Schools", 1851.