

Saviour of the Nations, Come

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1. Sav - iour of the na - tions, come; show the glo - ry of the Son!
2. Not by hu - man flesh and blood, but the Spir - it of our God
3. Won - drous birth! O won - drous child of the Vir - gin un - de - filed!
4. From the Fa - ther forth he came and re - turn - eth to the same.
5. Bright - ly doth thy man - ger shine, glo - rious is its light div - ine.
6. Praise to God the Fa - ther sing; praise to God the Son, our King;



1. Mar - vel now, O heav'n and earth, that our Lord chose such a birth.
2. was the Word of God made flesh; wom - an's off - spring, pure and fresh.
3. Though by all the world dis - owned, still to be in heav'n en - throned.
4. Thou, the Fa - ther's on - ly Son, hast o'er sin the vic - t'ry won.
5. Let not sin o'er - cloud this light; ev - er be our faith thus bright.
6. praise to God the Spir - it be ev - er and e - ter - nal - ly.

Inspiration: "Veni, Redemptor gentium", Latin, St. Ambrose of Milan, 340-397; German tr., Martin Luther, 1483-1546, "Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland", 1524.
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Music: NUN KOMM, DER HEIDEN HEILAND; Erfurt "Enchiridion", 1524.