

# Praise to the Holiest in the Height

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1. Praise to the ho - liest in the height,
2. O lov - ing wis - dom of our God!
3. O wis - est love! that flesh and blood,
4. And that a high - er gift than grace
5. O gen - 'rous love! that he who smote
6. And in the gar - den se - cret - ly,
7. Praise to the ho - liest in the height,



- and 1. in the depth be praise, in all his words most  
When 2. all was sin and shame, a sec - ond A - dam  
which 3. did in A - dam fail, should strive a - fresh a -  
should 4. flesh and blood re - fine, God's pres - ence and his  
in 5. man for man the foe, the dou - ble ag - o -  
and 6. on the cross on high, should teach his breth - ren,  
and 7. in the depth be praise, in all his words most



1. won - der - ful, most sure in all his ways.
2. to the fight and to the res - cue came.
3. gainst the foe, should strive and should pre - vail.
4. ver - y self and es - sence all di - vine.
5. ny in man for man should un - der - go.
6. and in - spire to suf - fer and to die.
7. won - der - ful, most sure in all his ways.

Lyrics: 86.86; John Henry Newman, 1801-1890, as "The Dream of Gerontius" in 1865.  
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