

## **99 – The Advent of Our King**

1. The advent of our King  
Our pray'rs must now employ,  
And we must hymns of welcome sing  
In strains of holy joy.

2. The everlasting Son  
Incarnate deigns to be;  
Himself a servant's form puts on  
To set His servants free.

3. O Zion's Daughter, rise  
To meet thy lowly King;  
Repentant hearts He'll not despise,  
Forgiveness He doth bring.

6. All glory to the Son,  
Who comes to set us free,  
With Father, Spirit, ever One,  
Through all eternity.

## **411 - Christians, Come, in Sweetest Measures**

1. Christians, come, in sweetest measures  
Sing of those who spread the treasures  
In the holy Gospels shrined;  
Bless-ed tidings of salvation,  
Peace on earth their proclamation,  
Love from God to lost mankind.

2. See the rivers four that gladden  
With their streams the better Eden,  
Planted by our Savior dear.  
Christ the Fountain, these the waters,  
Drink, O Zion's sons and daughters;  
Drink and find salvation here.

3. Here our souls, by Jesus sated,  
More and more shall be translated  
Earth's temptations far above;  
Freed from sin's abhorred dominion,  
Soaring on angelic pinion,  
They shall reach the Source of love.

## **Chime Choir; 110 - O Come, O Come, Emmanuel**

1. O come, O come, Emmanuel,  
And ransom captive Israel,  
That mourns in lonely exile here,  
Until the Son of God appear.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

4. O come, Thou Rod of Jesse's stem;  
From ev'ry foe deliver them  
That trust Thy mighty pow'r to save,  
And give them vict'ry o'er the grave.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

5. O come, Thou Key of David, come,  
And open wide our heav'nly home;  
Make safe the way that leads on high,  
And close the path to misery.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

6. O come, Thou Dayspring, come and cheer  
Our spirits by Thine advent here;  
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,  
And death's dark shadows put to flight.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

## **121 – Behold, a Branch Is Growing**

1. Behold, a Branch is growing  
Of loveliest form and grace,  
As prophets sung, foreknowing;  
It springs from Jesse's race  
And bears one little Flow'r  
In midst of coldest winter,  
At deepest midnight hour.

2. Isaiah hath foretold It  
In words of promise sure,  
And Mary's arms enfold It,  
A Virgin meek and pure.  
Through God's eternal will  
This Child to her is given  
At midnight calm and still.

4. This Flow'r, whose fragrance tender,  
With sweetness fills the air,  
Dispels with glorious splendor  
The darkness ev'rywhere.  
True man, yet very God;  
From sin and death He saves us  
And lightens ev'ry load.

5. O Savior, Child of Mary,  
Who felt our human woe;  
O Savior, King of Glory,  
Who dost our weakness know,  
Bring us at length, we pray,  
To the bright courts of heaven  
And to the endless day.

### **Chime Choir; 109 - Hark the Glad Sound!**

1. Hark the glad sound! The Savior comes,  
The Savior promised long;  
Let ev'ry heart prepare a throne  
And ev'ry voice a song.

2. He comes the pris'ners to release,  
In Satan's bondage held.  
The gates of brass before Him burst,  
The iron fetters yield.

3. He comes the broken heart to bind,  
The bleeding soul to cure,  
And with the treasures of His grace  
To enrich the humble poor.

4. Our glad hosannas, Prince of Peace,  
Thy welcome shall proclaim,  
And heav'n's eternal arches ring  
With Thy beloved name.

### **97 – O Savior, Rend the Heavens Wide**

1. O Savior, rend the heavens wide;  
Come down, come down with mighty stride;  
Unlock the gates, the doors break down;  
Unbar the way to heaven's crown.

2. O Morning Star, O radiant Sun,  
When will our hearts behold Your dawn?  
O Sun, arise; without Your light  
We grope in gloom and dark of night.

3. Sin's dreadful doom upon us lies;  
Grim death looms fierce before our eyes.  
O come, lead us with mighty hand  
From exile to our promised land.

4. There shall we all our praises bring  
Ever to You, our Savior King;  
There shall we laud You and adore  
Forever and forevermore.

### **101 – The King Shall Come**

1. The King shall come when morning dawns  
And light triumphant breaks,  
When beauty gilds the eastern hills  
And life to joy awakes.

2. Not as of old a little child,  
To bear and fight and die,  
But crowned with glory like the sun  
That lights the morning sky.

3. O brighter than the rising morn  
When Christ, victorious, rose  
And left the lonesome place of death  
Despite the rage of foes.

4. O brighter than that glorious morn  
Shall dawn upon our race  
The day when Christ in splendor comes  
And we shall see His face.

5. The King shall come when morning dawns  
And light and beauty brings.  
Hail, Christ the Lord! Your people pray:  
Come quickly, King of kings.

6. O'er every foe victorious,  
He on His throne shall rest,  
From age to age more glorious,  
All-blessing and all-blest.  
The tide of time shall never  
His covenant remove;  
His name shall stand forever—  
That name to us is Love.

### **103 – Hail to the Lord's Anointed**

1. Hail to the Lord's Anointed,  
Great David's greater Son!  
Hail, in the time appointed,  
His reign on earth begun!  
He comes to break oppression,  
To set the captive free,  
To take away transgression,  
And rule in equity.

2. He comes with succor speedy  
To those who suffer wrong,  
To help the poor and needy  
And bid the weak be strong,  
To give them songs for sighing,  
Their darkness turn to light  
Whose souls, condemned and dying,  
Are precious in His sight.

5. Kings shall bow down before Him  
And gold and incense bring;  
All nations shall adore Him,  
His praise all people sing.  
To Him shall prayer unceasing  
And daily vows ascend,  
His kingdom still increasing,  
A kingdom without end.