

The Lord at First Did Adam Make

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1. The Lord at first did A - dam make Out of the dust and clay,
 2. Now mark the good-ness of the Lord, Which He to man - kind bore;
 3. Now for the bless-ings we en - joy, Which are from Heav'n a - bove,
 4. And now the tide is nigh at hand, In which our Sav - ior came;

And in his nos - trils brea - thed life, Ev'n as the Scrip-tures say.
 His mer - cy soon He did ex - tend, Lost man for to re - store;
 Let us re-nounce all wick - ed - ness, And live in per - fect love;
 Let us re - joice and mer - ry be In keep - ing of the same;

And then in E - den's pa - ra - dise He pla - ced him to dwell,
 And then, for to re - deem our souls From death and Hell-ish thrall,
 Then shall we do Christ's own com-mand, Ev'n His own writ - ten Word;
 Let's feed the poor and hun - gry souls, And such as do it crave;

That he with - in it should re - main, To dress and keep it well.
 He said His own dear Son should be The Sav - ior of us all.
 And when we die, in Heav - en shall En - joy our liv - ing Lord.
 Then when we die, in Heav - en we Our sure re - ward shall have.

Now let good Christ - ians all be - gin An ho - ly life to live,

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And to re-joyce and mer - ry be, For this is Christ-mas Eve.