

This is the day which the Lord hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24

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Isaac Watts, 1719

1. This is the day the Lord hath made; He calls the hours his own;
2. To - day he rose and left the dead, And Sa - tan's em - pire fell;
3. Ho - san - na to th'a - noint - ed King, To Da - vid's ho - ly Son!
4. Blest be the Lord, who comes to men With mes - sag - es of grace;
5. Ho - san - na in the high - est strains The church on earth can raise!

Let heav'n re-joice, let earth be glad, And praise sur-round the throne.
To - day the saints his tri-umphs spread, And all his won - ders tell.
Help us, O Lord; de - scend and bring Sal - va - tion from the throne.
Who comes in God his Fa - ther's Name To save our sin - ful race.
The high - est heav'ns in which he reigns Shall give him no - bler praise. A - MEN.

And God said, Let there be light: and there was light. . . . And the evening and the morning were the first day. Gen. 1:3, 5

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John Ellerton, 1867

Joseph E. Sweetser, 1849

1. This is the day of light: Let there be light to - day;
2. This is the day of rest: Our fail - ing strength re - new;
3. This is the day of peace: Thy peace our spir - its fill;
4. This is the day of prayer: Let earth to heav'n draw near:
5. This is the first of days: Send forth thy quick - 'ning breath,

O Day-spring, rise up - on our night, And chase its gloom a - way.
On wea - ry brain and trou-bled breast Shed thou thy fresh-ning dew.
Bid thou the blasts of dis-cord cease, The waves of strife be still.
Lift up our hearts to seek thee there; Come down to meet us here.
And wake dead souls to love and praise, O Van-quish-er of death! A - MEN.