

1. Roy-al Day that chas - est gloom! Day by glad - ness speed-ed!
 2. On the Vir - gin as He hung, God, the world's Cre - a - tor,
 3. As the sun-beam through the glass Pass-eth but not stain-eth,

Thou be - held'st from Ma - ry's womb How the King pro -
 Like a rose form li - ly sprung, - Stood a - stound - ed
 Thus the Vir - gin, as she was, Vir - gin still re -

ceed - ed; Whom, True man, with praise our Choir
 na - ture: That a Mai - den's arms en - fold
 main - eth: Bless - ed Mo - ther, in whose womb

Hails, and love, and heart's de - sire, Joy and ad - mi -
 Him That made the world of old, Him That ev - er
 Lay the Light that ex - iles gloom, God, the Lord of

ra - tion; Who, True God, en - throned in light,
 liv - eth: That a Mai - den's spot - less breast
 A - ges: Bless - ed Maid! from whom the Lord,

Pass-eth won-der, pass-eth sight, Pass - eth co - gi - ta - tion.
 To the King E - ter - nal rest, Warmth and nur - ture giv - eth!
 Her own In - fant, God a - dored, Hun - ger's pangs as - suag - es.