WIE SCHÖN LEUCHTET, IRREG. Phillip Nicolai, 1599; harm. chiefly J.S. Bach All hail to thee, O bless-èd morn! To tid-ings long men, will shed, Our **2.** He tears, like oth - er sor-rows share, and **3.** He comes, for our re - demp-tion sent, And by His glo-ry proph - ets borne Hast thou ful - fill - ment giv en. His be our aid, Through e - ter - nal pow er; heav'n is rent To close up - on us nev er; sa - cred and im - mor - tal day, When un - to earth, in Lord's good will un - to us show, And min - gle in bless - èd Shep-herd He would be, Whom we may fol - low glo - rious ray, Des cends the grace of heav en! of The drops of mer - cv's show cup woe er; faith - ful - ly And with Him be for ev er; Sing - ing, ring - ing, sounds are blending, Prais-es send-ing Dy - ing, buy - ing through His pas-sion Our sal - va-tion High - er, high - er glo - ry wing-ing, Prais-es sing-ing un - to heav For the Sav-ior en to us giv - en. tals O - pen - ing the heav'n-ly por - tals. and to mor the Fa ther And His Son, our Lord and Say - ior. to Swedish, Johan Olof Wallin (1779-1839) 1814, based on a German hymn of 1621; tr. Ernst William Olson (1870-1958)