



1. Of the Fa-ther's heart be - got - ten, Ere the world from
 2. By his word was all cre - a - ted; He command - ed
 3. He as - sumed this mor - tal bo - dy, Frail and fee - ble,
 4. O how blest that won - drous birth - day, When the Maid the
 cha - os rose, He is Al - pha: from that Foun - tain
 and 'twas done; Earth and sky and boundless o - cean,
 doomed to die, That the race from dust cre - a - ted
 curse re - trieved, Brought to birth mankind's sal - va - tion,
 All that is and hath been flows; He is O - me - ga, of
 U - ni - verse of three in one, All that sees the moon's soft
 Might not per - ish ut - ter - ly, Which the dread - ful Law had
 By the Ho - ly Ghost con - ceived; And the Babe, the world's Re -
 all things Yet to come the mys - tic Close,
 ra - - diance, All that breathes be - neath the sun,
 sen - - tenced In the depths of hell to lie,
 deem - - er, In her lov - ing arms re - ceived,
 Ev - er - more and ev - er - more!

5. This is he, whom seer and sibyl
 Sang in ages long gone by;
 This is he of old revealed
 In the page of prophecy;
 Lo! he comes, the promised Saviour;
 Let the world his praises cry!
7. Hail! thou Judge of souls departed;
 Hail! of all the living King!
 On the Father's right hand thronèd,
 Through his courts thy praises ring,
 Till at last for all offences
 Righteous judgement thou shalt bring,
6. Sing, ye heights of heaven, his praises; 8. Now let old and young uniting
 Angels and Archangels, sing!
 Wheresoe'er ye be, ye faithful,
 Let your joyous anthems ring,
 Every tongue his name confessing,
 Countless voices answering,
8. Now let old and young uniting
 Chant to thee harmonious lays,
 Maid and matron hymn thy glory,
 Infant lips their anthem raise,
 Boys and girls together singing
 With pure heart their song of praise,

9. Let the storm and summer sunshine,
 Gliding stream and sounding shore,
 Sea and forest, frost and zephyr,
 Day and night their Lord adore;
 Let creation join to laud thee
 Through the ages evermore,