



1. The ad - vent of our God With ea - ger prayers we greet,  
 2. The ev - er - last - ing Son Scorns not a Vir - gin's womb;  
 3. Daugh - ter of Si - on, rise To meet thy low - ly king;  
 4. In clouds of aw - ful light, As Judge he comes a - gain,  
 5. Let e - vil flee a - way Ere that dread hour shall dawn,  
 6. Praise to the In-car - nate Son, Who comes to set us free,



And sing - ing haste up - on his road His glo - rious gift to meet.  
 That we from bon - dage may be won He bears a bondsman's doom.  
 Let not thy stub - born heart de - spise The peace he deigns to bring.  
 His scattered peo - ple to u - nite, With them in heav'n to reign.  
 Let this old A - dam day by day God's i - mage still put on.  
 With God the Fa - ther, ev - er one, To all e - ter - ni - ty.

*Instantis adventum Dei*  
 Charles Coffin; tr. Harriett Packer, 1906