

## HYMN

## 244 O come, O come, Emmanuel

Em Bm G Am<sup>7</sup> G D<sup>7</sup> G D G C G

1 O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, and ran - som cap - tive  
 2 O come, O come, thou Lord of might, who to thy tribes from  
 3 O come, thou Branch of Jes - se's stem,<sup>a</sup> un - to thine own, and

Am Em Bm Em Am Em B<sup>7</sup> Em D A<sup>7</sup> D

Is - ra - el, that mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here,  
 Si - nai's height in an - cient times didst give the law  
 res - cue them! From depths of hell thy peo - ple save,

Em D Bm G Am<sup>7</sup> G D<sup>7</sup> G *Refrain* D Em Bm G

un - til the Son of God ap - pear.  
 in cloud and maj - es - ty and awe. Re - joice! Re - joice! Em -  
 and give them vic - tory o'er the grave.

Am<sup>7</sup> G D<sup>7</sup> Em D G C G Am Em Bm Em

man - u - el shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el.

Text: Latin, 12th cent. antiphons; tr. John M. Neale, 1851  
 Tune: *Processionale*, 15th cent. French; adapt. Thomas Helmore, 1854

LM with refrain  
 VENI EMMANUEL

# O come, O come, Emmanuel

4 O come, thou Bright and Morning Star,<sup>b</sup>  
and bring us comfort from afar!  
Dispel the shadows of the night,  
and turn our darkness into light.  
*Refrain*

5 O come, thou Lord of David's key!<sup>c</sup>  
The gate of heaven unfolds to thee;  
make safe for us the heavenward road,  
and bar the way to death's abode.  
*Refrain*

6 O come, Desire of nations,<sup>d</sup> bind  
in one the hearts of all mankind.  
Bid all our sad divisions cease,  
and be thyself our Prince of Peace.  
*Refrain*

<sup>a</sup> Isa. 11:1

<sup>b</sup> Rev. 22:16

<sup>c</sup> Isa. 22:22; Rev. 3:7

<sup>d</sup> Hag. 2:7 AV