

SONG LYRICS AND SCRIPTURE

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SONG OF PRAISE

Here I Am To Worship

Verse 1

Light of the world, You stepped down into darkness
Opened my eyes let me see
Beauty that made This heart adore You
Hope of a life spent with You

Chorus

So here I am to worship, Here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that You're my God
And You're altogether lovely, Altogether worthy
Altogether wonderful to me

Verse 2

King of all days, Oh so highly exalted
Glorious in heaven above
Humbly You came To the earth You created
All for love's sake became poor

Bridge

And I'll never know how much it cost To see my sin upon that cross
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PREPARATION FOR PRAYER

Come And Behold Him

Verse 1

Come and behold Him, Come see His glory
Come with an honest heart To see all He is
We will discover All of His beauty
His light will burn away All the darkness we've known

Chorus

Come and behold Him, Come and behold Him
Come with an honest heart To see all He is
Come and behold Him, Wait now before Him
Come with an honest heart To see all He is

Verse 3

Come and behold Him, come filled with wonder
Come see the Christ-child here, A Savior is born
In His redemption, we find perfection
Come now believing our Messiah has come

1After Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the time of King Herod, Magi ^a from the east came to Jerusalem 2and asked, “Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him.”

3When King Herod heard this he was disturbed, and all Jerusalem with him. 4When he had called together all the people’s chief priests and teachers of the law, he asked them where the Messiah was to be born. 5“In Bethlehem in Judea,” they replied, “for this is what the prophet has written:

6“ ‘But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for out of you will come a ruler who will shepherd my people Israel.’ ”

7Then Herod called the Magi secretly and found out from them the exact time the star had appeared. 8He sent them to Bethlehem and said, “Go and search carefully for the child. As soon as you find him, report to me, so that I too may go and worship him.”

9After they had heard the king, they went on their way, and the star they had seen when it rose went ahead of them until it stopped over the place where the child was. 10When they saw the star, they were overjoyed. 11On coming to the house, they saw the child with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. 12And having been warned in a dream not to go back to Herod, they returned to their country by another route.

DOXOLOGY

Hymn 815

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
 Praise Him all creatures here below, Praise Him above ye heavenly host
 Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

CLOSING SONG

Hymn 290

As With Gladness Men Of Old

Verse 1

As with gladness men of old Did the guiding star behold
 As with joy they hailed its light Leading onward beaming bright
 So most gracious Lord may we Evermore be led to Thee

Verse 2

As with joyful steps they sped To that lowly manger bed
 There to bend the knee before Him whom heaven and earth adore
 So may we with willing feet Ever seek Thy mercy seat

Verse 3

As their precious gifts they laid At Thy manger roughly made
 So may we with holy joy Pure and free from sin's alloy
 All our costliest treasures bring Christ to Thee our heavenly King

Verse 4

Holy Jesu every day Keep us in the narrow way
 And when earthly things are past Bring our ransomed souls at last
 Where they need no star to guide Where no clouds Thy glory hide