

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

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Text: Medieval Antiphon*, 9th Century

Tune: Medieval Plainsong*, 15th Century

1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, and ran - som cap - tive Is - ra - el,
2. O come, Thou Wis - dom from on high, and or - der all things far and nigh;
3. O come, O come, great Lord of might, who to Thy tribes on Si - nai's height
4. O come, Thou Day - spring, come and cheer our spir - its by Thine ad - vent here;
5. O come, De - sire of na - tions bind all peo - ples in one heart and mind.

that mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here un - til the Son of God ap - pear.
to us the path of knowl - edge show and cause us in her ways to go.
in an - cient times did give the law, in cloud and maj - es - ty and awe.
dis - pel the long night's lin - g'ring gloom and pierce the sha - dows of the tomb.
Bid Thou our sad di - vi - sions cease, and be Thy - self our King of Peace.

Re - joice! Re - joice! Em - man - u - el shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el.

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