“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel”

1. O come, O come, Emmanuel,

And ransom captive Israel,

That mourns in lonely exile here,

Until the Son of God appear.

Refrain:

Rejoice! Rejoice!

Emmanuel shall come to thee,

O Israel!

“Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus”

1. Come Thou long expected Jesus,

Born to set Thy people free;

From our fears and sins release us;

Let us find our rest in Thee.

Israel’s Strength and Consolation,

Hope of all the earth Thou art;

Dear Desire of every nation,

Joy of every longing heart.

2. Born Thy people to deliver,

Born a child and yet a King,

Born to reign in us forever,

Now Thy gracious Kingdom bring.

By Thine own eternal Spirit

Rule in all our hearts alone;

By Thine all sufficient merit

Raise us to Thy glorious throne.

“He Started the Whole World Singing”

1. Before the song started, the world,

Broken hearted, was dreamlessly

Passing the long, empty days;

Then a dark, lonely hillside was spangled with light,

And a song burst into the night!

Refrain: He started the whole world singing a song.

The words and the music were there all along!

What the song had to say was that love found a way

To start the world singing a song.

2. A new Word was spoken,

And chords that were broken wove

Gently together to make a new song.

It was more that a carol to greet the new morn –

For the Source of all music was born!

(Refrain)