See amid the winter's snow

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(Soprano or Tenor solo and SATB choir w/organ)

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1. See amid the winter's snow, Born for us on earth below,
2. Lo, with in a manger lies He who built the starry skies;
3. Say, ye holy Shepherds, say, What your joyful news today;
   Wherefore have ye left your sheep On the lonely mountain steep?
   Hail! Thou ever blessed morn! etc.
4. "As we watched at dead of night, Lo, we saw a wondrous light;
   Angels singing peace on earth, Told us of the Saviour's Birth."
   Hail! Thou ever blessed morn! etc.
5. Sacred Infant, all Divine, What a tender love was Thine;
   Thus to come from highest bliss Down to such a world as this!
   Hail! Thou ever blessed morn! etc.
6. Teach, O teach us, Holy Child, By Thy Face so meek and mild,
   Teach us to resemble Thee, In Thy sweet humility!
   Hail! Thou ever blessed morn! etc.

CHORUS

Hail! Thou ever blessed morn! Hail, Redemption's happy dawn!

Jerusalem,

Sing through all Jerusalem, Christ is born in Bethlehem.

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