

# Sing, O sing, this blessed morn

Words: Christopher Wordsworth (1807-1885), alt.

Tune: McShane 77.77.77

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*Congregation joins in singing the 3rd and 5th stanzas*

Sing, o sing, this blessed morn,  
unto us a child is born,  
unto us a son is given,  
God himself comes down from heav'n.

Sing, O sing, this blessed morn,  
Jesus Christ today is born.

God from God, and Light from Light,  
comes with mercies infinite,  
from high heav'n he comes to earth,  
one with us in human birth.

Sing, O sing, this blessed morn,  
Jesus Christ today is born.

3. God with us, Em - man - u - el, deigns for - ev - er now to dwell;

he on Ad - am's fall - en race sheds the full - ness of his grace.

Sing, O sing, this bless - ed morn, Je - sus Christ to - day is born. —

God comes down that we may rise,  
lifted by him to the skies;  
Christ is born for us, that we  
born again in him may be.

Sing, O sing, this blessed morn,  
Jesus Christ today is born.

5. O re - new us, Lord, we pray, with thy Spi - rit day - by day,

that we ev - er one — may be with the Fath - er and with thee.

Sing, O sing, this bless - ed morn, Je - sus Christ to - day is born. —

*The hymn tune McShane honors the mathematician Edward James McShane (1904-1989),  
Professor Emeritus of the University of Virginia, member of the National Academy of Sciences,  
and avid amateur musician. It was composed shortly before his death.*

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