

# Savior of the Nations, Come

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1. Sav - ior of the na - tions, come, vir - gin's Son, make here Thy home!  
2. Not by hu - man flesh and blood, but the Spir - it of our God,  
3. Wondrous birth! O won - drous Child of the vir - gin un - de - filed!  
4. From the Fa - ther forth He came and re - turn - eth to the same,

Mar - vel now, O heav'n and earth, that the Lord chose such a birth.  
was the Word of God made flesh— wo - man's off - spring, pure and fresh.  
Though by all the world dis - owned, still to be in heav'n en - throned.  
cap - tive lead - ing death and hell— high the song of tri - umph swell!

5. Thou the Father's only Son,  
hast o'er sin the victory won.  
Boundless shall Thy kingdom be;  
when shall we its glories see?

7. Praise to God the Father sing,  
praise to God the Son, our King,  
praise to God the Spirit be  
ever and eternally.

6. Brightly doth Thy manger shine,  
glorious is its light divine.  
Let not sin o'ercloud this light;  
ever be our faith thus bright.

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