


## 132 Of Eternal Love Begotten

1 Of e - ter - nal Love be - got - ten  
 2 At his Word the worlds were fram - ed.  
 3 O that birth for ev - er bless - ed,  
 4 This is he whom seers in old time  
 5 O ye heights of heaven, a - dore him;  
 6 Christ, to thee, with God the Fa - ther,


ere the worlds be - gan to be,  
 He com - mand - ed, it was done:  
 when the vir - gin, full of grace,  
 chant - ed of with one ac - cord,  
 an - gel hosts, his prais - es sing;  
 and, O Ho - ly Ghost, to thee,

he is Al - pha and O - me - ga,  
 heaven and earth and depths of o - cean  
 by the Ho - ly Ghost con - ceiv - ing,  
 whom the voic - es of the proph - ets  
 all do - min - ions, bow be - fore him,  
 hymn and chant and high thanks - giv - ing,


Text: Aurelius Clemens Prudentius (348–413?); tr. John Mason Neale (1818–1866), alt.  
 Music: Melody plainsong, Mode 8 (12th cent.?); adapt. *Piae Cantiones*, 1582;  
 harm. Healey Willan (1880–1968). Harm. © Estate of Healey Willan.



the source, the end - ing he,  
their three - fold or - der one;  
the Sav - iour of our race,  
prom - ised in their faith - ful word;  
and ex - tol our God and king;  
and un - wear - ied prais - es be,



of the things that are and have been,  
all that grows be - neath the shin - ing  
and the babe, the world's re - deem - er,  
now he shines, the long - ex - pect - ed;  
let no tongue on earth be si - lent,  
hon - our, glo - ry, and do - min - ion



and that fu - ture years shall see,  
of the moon and burn - ing sun,  
first re - vealed his sac - red face,  
let cre - a - tion praise its Lord, ev - er - more and ev - er - more.  
ev - ery voice in con - cert ring,  
and e - ter - nal vic - tor - y,

## 385 Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness

1 Wor - ship the Lord in the beau - ty of ho - li - ness;  
 2 Low at his feet lay thy bur - den of care - ful - ness;  
 3 Fear not to en - ter his courts in the slen - der - ness  
 4 These though we bring them in trem - bling and fear - ful - ness,  
 5 Wor - ship the Lord in the beau - ty of ho - li - ness;

bow down be - fore him, his glo - ry pro - claim;  
 high on his heart he will bear it for thee,  
 of the poor wealth thou canst reck - on as thine;  
 he will ac - cept for the name that is dear,  
 bow down be - fore him, his glo - ry pro - claim;

gold of o - be - dience and in - cense of low - li - ness  
 com - fort thy sor - rows, and ans - wer thy prayer - ful - ness,  
 truth in its beau - ty and love in its ten - der - ness,  
 morn - ings of joy give for eve - nings of tear - ful - ness,  
 gold of o - be - dience and in - cense of low - li - ness

bring, and a - dore him: the Lord is his name.  
 guid - ing thy steps as may best for thee be.  
 these are the of - ferings to lay on his shrine.  
 trust for our trem - bling, and hope for our fear.  
 bring, and a - dore him: the Lord is his name.

Text: John Samuel Bewley Monsell (1811-1875).

Music: Melody *Choral-buch vor Johann Heinrich Rheinhardt*, Üttingen, 1754;  
harm. *The English Hymnal*, 1906.12 000 000  
ÜTTINGEN (Waldemar)

## As with Gladness Men of Old 160

1 As with glad - ness men of old did the guid - ing  
 2 As with joy - ful steps they sped, Sa - viour, to thy  
 3 As they of - fered gifts most rare at that cra - dle  
 4 In the heaven - ly coun - try bright need they no cre -

star be - hold; as with joy they hailed its light,  
 low - ly bed, there to bend the knee be - fore  
 rude and bare, so may we with joy - ful song,  
 a - ted light: thou its light, its joy, its crown,

lead - ing on - ward, beam - ing bright; so, most gra - cious  
 thee, whom heaven and earth a - dore; so may we with  
 rais - ing voic - es pure and strong, all our cost - liest  
 thou its sun which goes not down; there for - ev - er

Lord, may we ev - er - more be led to thee.  
 will - ing feet ev - er seek thy mer - cy seat.  
 trea - sures bring, Christ, to thee our heaven - ly king.  
 may we sing al - le - lu - ias to our king.