

Christus! Anointed One!

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1. Chris - tus! A - noint - ed One! King at Thy birth! We drape Thy
 2. Sing to Je - ho - vah's name, blend - ed in One, In - fi - nite
 3. Myth, fa - bles spoke of all na - tions' De - sire, Through lutes of
 4. Hear - ken, O na - tions, and lis - ten, O land, For you a
 5. No lon - ger de - so - late de - serts are waste; Fields wait for
 6. Heav'n's rul - er now our guest, greet Him, O earth! Je - sus, the
 7. Re - joice, O mo - ther, most bless - ed thou art, A - mong all
 8. Wake psal - te - ry and harp! Sound cym - bal, lyre! This na - tal



ho - ly name with signs of mirth: Bring - ing bright hol - ly and
 God, the Fa - ther, Spi - rit, Son; Bet - ter than an - gels hath
 peace, and by Pro - me - thian fire; But then I - sai - ah saw
 Prince, De - liv - 'rer, is at hand, Whose gen - tle gov - ern - ment
 har - vest, O you reap - ers, haste! Wil - der - ness blos - som - ing,
 ho - ly Child of pur - est birth! Son of a vir - gin, yet
 wo - men's names thine dwells a - part; Yes, mag - ni - fy Him, thy
 day of Him whom hearts de - sire; Blow ye the trum - pets, com -



weird mis - tle - toe, With twin - ing i - vy joy and glad - ness show.
 Je - sus the Way Gained far more ex - cel - lent a name than they.
 vi - sion sub - lime And preached the full - ness of the prom - ised time.
 shall e'er in - crease, A reign of right - eous - ness and love, and peace!
 yes, as the rose, And clean - sing, spark - ling springs in - vite re - pose.
 mon - arch most high—Ho - san - na to the King, ex - ult - ing cry!
 Sav - ior and Son, Whose rule, ex - pec - ted long, at last be - gun!
 - mand to the feast, Of Christ Im - man - u - el, our king, high priest!

