

Word of God the Father

John 1:1-5

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Word of God the Fa - ther, ere the world be - gan,
He the world cre - a - ted, from Him all things flow.
Word made flesh a - mong us, life and light of men.
Light shines in the dark - ness, sent from God on high,

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Son of God Al - mi - ghty, born the Son of Man.
God who built the hea - vens, born on earth be - low.
Son and Lord of Da - vid, born in Beth - le - hem.
light by dark un - ma - stered, born as Christ to die.

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See, the an - gels ga - ther, look - ing down in awe
Can we grasp such glo - ry, God for us made man,
Ma - ry nur - ses gen - tly, Christ whose ve - ry voice
Hosts of hell shall tre - mble, hea - ven's vic - t'ry ring!

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at the Lord of Ar - mies laid up - on the straw.
in - fi - nite yet in - fant, li - on born as lamb?
holds the world to - geth - er by His sov - ereign choice.
Sa - tan shall not van - quish Christ the in - fant King.