

MORNING

2 Help us to venture near Thy throne,
And plead a SAVIOUR'S Name ;
For all that we can call our own
Is vanity and shame.

3 From all the guilt of former sin
May mercy set us free ;
And let the day we now begin,
Begin and end with Thee.

4 To FATHER, SON, and HOLY GHOST,
The GOD Whom we adore,
Be glory, as it was, is now,
And shall be evermore. Amen.

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'My voice shalt Thou hear in the morning, O Lord.' Ps. v. 3.

1 JESU, Sun of righteousness,
Brightest beam of love divine,
With the early morning rays
Do Thou on our darkness shine,
And dispel with purest light
All our night.

2 As on drooping herb and flower
Falls the soft refreshing dew,
Let Thy SPIRIT'S grace and power
All our weary souls renew ;
Showers of blessing over all
Softly fall.

3 Like the sun's reviving ray,
May Thy love with tender glow
All our coldness melt away,
Warm and cheer us forth to go,
Gladly serve Thee and obey
All the day.