Song Sheet

Featuring the lyrics of beloved Christian Hymns.
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What You'll Need To Make the Song Sheet

One sheet of 8½" × 11" paper makes two song sheets.

How to Print and Assemble the Song Sheet

We recommend printing this song sheet on a color printer using the highest quality resolution. The song sheet also prints well on a greyscale laser printer.

To separate the song sheet into two panels, cut along the center of the page (at 5½") to create two separate song sheets.

How You Can Use the Song Sheet

We encourage you to share these song sheets. Use them in your Sunday School class, give them to friends, use them in your devotionals.

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Lo, How a Rose E’er Blooming

GERMAN CAROL, “ES IST EIN ROS ENTSPRUNGEN,” CA. 1500
TRANSLATED BY THEODORE BAKER, 1894 (STANZAS 1–2),
HARRIET R. SPAETH, 1875 (STANZAS 3–4), AND JOHN C. MATTES, 1914 (STANZA 5)

Lo, how a Rose e’er blooming from tender stem hath sprung,
of Jesse’s lineage coming, as men of old have sung.
It came, a flow’ret bright, amid the cold of winter,
when half-spent was the night.

Isaiah ’twas foretold it, the Rose I have in mind;
With Mary we behold it, the virgin mother kind.
To show God’s love aright, she bore to men a Savior,
when half-spent was the night.

The shepherds heard the story, proclaimed by angels bright,
how Christ, the Lord of glory, was born on earth this night.
To Bethlehem they sped and in the manger found him,
as angel heralds said.

This flow’r, whose fragrance tender with sweetness fills the air,
dispels with glorious splendor the darkness ev’rywhere.
True man, yet very God; from sin and death he saves us
and lightens ev’ry load.

O Savior, child of Mary, who felt our human woe;
O Savior, King of glory, who dost our weakness know,
bring us at length, we pray, to the bright courts of heaven
and to the endless day.

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