

**LESSONS**

**AND**

**CAROLS**

## O COME, O COME, EMMANUEL

VENI, VENI, EMMANUEL

Verses



1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, And  
 2. O come, Thou Wis - dom from on high, Who  
 3. O come, O come, Thou Lord of might, Who  
 4. O come, Thou Rod of Jes - se's stem, From  
 5. O come, Thou Key of Da - vid, come, And  
 6. O come, Thou Day - spring from on high And  
 7. O come, De - sire of na - tions, bind In



1. ran - som cap - tive Is - ra - el, That mourns in  
 2. or - d'rest all things might - i - ly; To us the  
 3. to thy tribes on Si - nai's height In an - cient  
 4. ev - 'ry foe de - liv - er them That trust thy  
 5. o - pen wide our heav - 'nly home; Make safe the  
 6. cheer us by thy draw - ing nigh; Dis - perse the  
 7. one the hearts of all hu - man - kind; Bid thou our



1. lone - ly ex - ile here Un - til the Son of  
 2. path of knowl - edge show, And teach us in her  
 3. times didst give the law, In cloud and maj - es -  
 4. might - y pow'r to save, And give them vic - t'ry  
 5. way that leads on high, And close the path to  
 6. gloom - y clouds of night, And death's dark shad - ow  
 7. sad di - vi - sions cease, And be thy - self our

Refrain



1. God ap - pear. Re - joice! Re - joice! Em - man - u -  
 2. ways to go.  
 3. ty and awe.  
 4. o'er the grave.  
 5. mis - er - y.  
 6. put to flight.  
 7. Prince of Peace.



el Shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el!

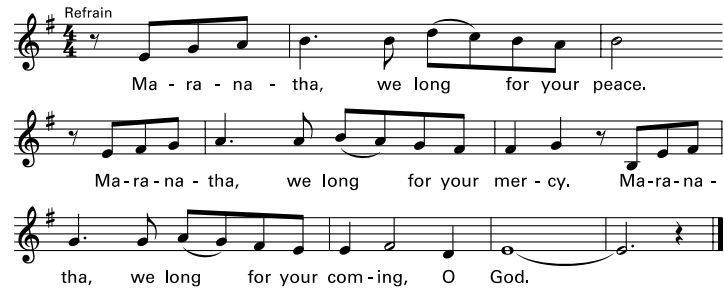
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 Music: *Processionale*, 15th cent. French; adapt. by Thomas Helmore, 1811–1890; Chant, Mode I.

# Lesson 1

## MARANATHA

Gerard Chiusano

**Refrain**

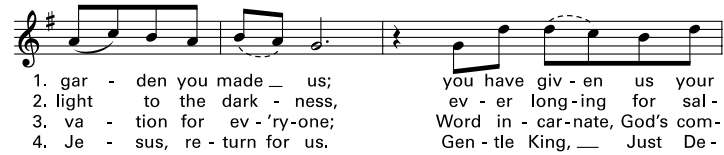


Ma - ra - na - tha, we long for your peace.  
 Ma - ra - na - tha, we long for your mer - cy. Ma - ra - na -  
 tha, we long for your com - ing, O God.

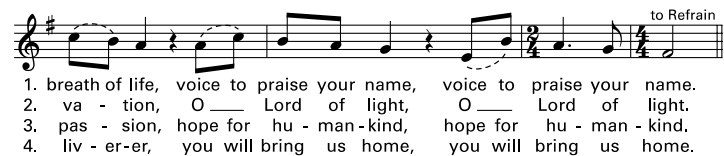
**Verses**



1. In your im - age you have fash - ioned us, in the  
 2. In our weak - ness we have turned from you, turned from  
 3. In your love \_\_\_ you have sent your Son, your sal -  
 4. We a - wait your day of glo - ry, Christ \_\_\_



1. gar - den you made \_\_\_ us; you have giv - en us your  
 2. light to the dark - ness, ev - er long - ing for sal -  
 3. va - tion for ev - 'ry-one; Word in - car - nate, God's com -  
 4. Je - sus, re - turn for us. Gen - tle King, \_\_\_ Just De -



1. breath of life, voice to praise your name, voice to praise your name.  
 2. va - tion, O \_\_\_ Lord of light, O \_\_\_ Lord of light.  
 3. pas - sion, hope for hu - man - kind, hope for hu - man - kind.  
 4. liv - er - er, you will bring us home, you will bring us home.

## **Lesson 2**

### **Blessed Be the Lord**

Refrain

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel,

for he has visited and brought redemption to his people.

1. He has raised up a horn for our salvation  
within the house of David,  
as he promised through the mouth  
of his holy prophets from of old.

2. Mindful of the covenant he swore to our father Abraham,  
and granting rescue from our foes,  
so we may worship him in holiness  
and righteousness all our days.

3. You, child, will be called his prophet,  
preparing the way before the Lord,  
giving knowledge of salvation  
through forgiveness of their sins.

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# Lesson 3

## THE KING SHALL COME

Trevor Thomson

Verses 1, 2

1. The King shall come when morn-ing dawns And  
2. O bright-er than the ris - ing morn When

1. light tri - um - phant breaks, When beau - ty gilds the  
2. he, vic - to - rious, rose And left the lone - some

1. east - ern hills And life to joy a - wakes.  
2. place of death, De - spite the rage of foes.

1. Not, as of old, a lit - tle child, To  
2. O bright-er than that glo-rious morn Shall

1. bear, and fight, and die, But crowned with glo - ry  
2. this fair morn - ing be, When Christ, our King, in

1. like the sun That lights the morn - ing sky.  
2. beau-ty comes, And we his face shall see!

Verse 3

3. The King shall come when morn-ing dawns And light and beau -  
3. - ty brings. Hail, Christ, the Lord! Thy peo-ple pray: Come

3. quick-ly, King of kings. Come quick-ly, King of kings.

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Lesson 4

ON THAT HOLY MOUNTAIN

Verses



1. The wolf is the guest of the lamb,  
 2. The poor shall receive from the rich,  
 3. ⁊ Jus - tice shall flow'r for all time,



on that ho - ly moun - tain. And the calf and the lion shall lie  
 on that ho - ly moun - tain. And the sick and the lame shall be  
 on that ho - ly moun - tain. ⁊ As long as the sun still can



down, on that ho - ly moun - tain. To - geth - er they shall  
 healed, on that ho - ly moun - tain. The wick - ed shall be  
 shine, on that ho - ly moun - tain. ⁊ Peace till the



rest with the child, on that ho - ly moun -  
 slain by God's breath, on that ho - ly moun -  
 moon be no more, on that ho - ly moun -



tain, on that ho - ly moun - tain,  
 tain, on that ho - ly moun - tain,  
 tain, on that ho - ly moun - tain,



on that ho - ly moun - tain of the Lord.  
 on that ho - ly moun - tain of the Lord.  
 on that ho - ly moun - tain of the Lord.

## Lesson 5

### Hail Mary; Gentle Woman/Silent Night Medley – Carey Landry

Hail Mary, full of grace  
The lord is with you  
Blessed are you among women  
And blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus

Silent night, Holy night  
All is calm, all is bright  
Round yon Virgin Mother and Child,  
Holy infant, so tender and mild  
Sleep in heavenly peace, sleep in heavenly peace

Gentle woman, gentle woman  
Quiet light, quiet light  
Morning star, morning star  
So strong and bright  
Gentle mother, gentle mother  
Peaceful dove, peaceful dove  
Teach us wisdom, teach us love

You were chosen by the father  
You were chosen for the son  
You were chosen from all women  
And for women, shining one

Gentle woman, gentle woman  
Quiet light, quiet light  
Morning star, morning star  
So strong and bright  
Gentle mother, gentle mother  
Peaceful dove, peaceful dove  
Teach us wisdom, teach us love

In a dark and lowly stable  
You gave birth that silent night.  
By your courage, love and labor,  
You brought forth the Lord of Light.

Gentle woman, gentle woman  
Quiet light, quiet light  
Morning star, morning star  
So strong and bright  
Gentle mother, gentle mother  
Peaceful dove, peaceful dove  
Teach us wisdom, teach us love

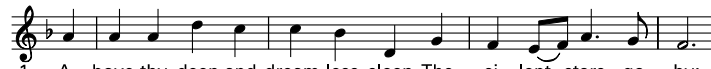
Lesson 6

O LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

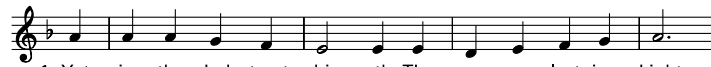
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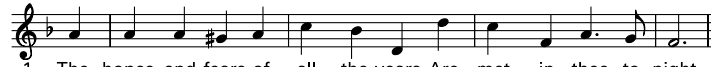
1. O lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem, How still we see thee lie!
2. For Christ is born of Ma - ry, And gath - ered all a - bove,
3. How si - lent - ly, how si - lent - ly, The won - drous gift is giv'n!
4. O ho - ly Child of Beth - le - hem! De - scend to us, we pray;



1. A - bove thy deep and dream - less sleep The si - lent stars go by;
2. While mor - tals sleep, the an - gels keep Their watch of won - d'ring love.
3. So God im - parts to hu - man hearts The bless - ings of his heav'n.
4. Cast out our sin and en - ter in; Be born in us to - day.



1. Yet in thy dark streets shin - eth The ev - er - last - ing Light;
2. O morn - ing stars, to - geth - er Pro - claim the ho - ly birth!
3. No ear may hear his com - ing, But in this world of sin,
4. We hear the Christ - mas an - gels The great glad tid - ings tell;



1. The hopes and fears of all the years Are met in thee to - night.
2. And prais - es sing to God the King, And peace to all on earth.
3. Where meek souls will re - ceive him, still The dear Christ en - ters in.
4. O come to us, a - bide with us, Our Lord Em - man - u - el!

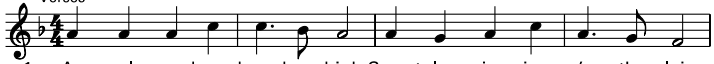
Text: 86 86 76 86; Phillips Brooks, 1835-1893. Music: Lewis H. Redner, 1831-1908.



ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH/  
 ÁNGELES CANTANDO ESTÁN

GLORIA

Verses



1. An - gels we have heard on high Sweet-ly sing - ing o'er the plains,
2. Shep-herds, why this ju - bi - lee? Why your joy - ous strains pro-long?
3. Come to Beth - le - hem and see Him whose birth the an - gels sing;
4. See him in a man-ger laid Whom the an - gels praise a - bove;


1. *Án - ge - les can - tan - do es - tán Tan dul - cí - si - ma can - ción;*  
 2. *Los pas - to - res sin ce - sar Sus can - ta - res dan a Dios;*  
 3. *Hoy a - nun - cian con fer - vor Que ha na - ci - do el Sal - va - dor;*  
 4. *Oh, ve - nid pron - to a Be - lén Pa - ra con - tem - plar con fe*




1. And the moun-tains in re - ply Ech - o back their joy - ous strains.
2. Say what may the tid - ings be Which in - spire your heav'n - ly song.
3. Come, a - dore on bend - ed knee Christ, the Lord, the new-born King.
4. Ma - ry, Jo - seph, lend your aid, While we raise our hearts in love.

1. *Las mon - ta - ñas su e - co dan Co - mo fiel con - tes - ta - ción.*  
 2. *Cuán glo - rio - so es el can - tar De su me - lo - dio - sa voz.*  
 3. *Los mor - ta - les go - za - rán Paz y bue - na vo - lun - tad.*  
 4. *A Je - sús, Au - tor del bien, Al re - cién na - ci - do Rey.*

Refrain



Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o!  
 Glo - ri - a a Dios en el cie - lo.



Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o!  
 Glo - ri - a a Dios en el cie - lo.

Text: 77 77 with refrain; trad. French Carol, ca. 18th cent.; tr. fr. *Crown of Jesus Music, II*, London, 1862;  
 English tr. by James Chadwick, 1813-1882; Spanish tr., anon. Music: trad. French Carol.

WE THREE KINGS

KINGS OF ORIENT

Verses

1. We three kings of O - ri - ent are; Bear - ing gifts we  
 2. Born a King on Beth - le - hem's plain, Gold I bring to  
 3. Frank - in - cense to of - fer have I: In - cense owns a  
 4. Myrrh is mine; its bit - ter per - fume Breathes a life of  
 5. Glo - rious now be - hold him a - rise, King and God and

1. tra - verse a - far Field and foun - tain, Moor and moun - tain,  
 2. crown him a - gain, King for - ev - er, Ceas - ing nev - er  
 3. De - i - ty nigh; Prayer and prais - ing Glad - ly rais - ing,  
 4. gath - er - ing gloom; Sor - rowing, sigh - ing, Bleed - ing, dy - ing,  
 5. Sac - ri - fice; "Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!"

Refrain

1. Fol - low - ing yon - der star. O star of won - der,  
 2. O - ver us all to reign.  
 3. Wor - ship him, God on high.  
 4. Sealed in the stone - cold tomb.  
 5. Sounds through the earth and skies.

star of night, Star with roy - al beau - ty bright; West - ward

lead - ing, still pro - ceed - ing, Guide us to thy per - fect light.

Text: 88 44 6 with refrain; based on Matthew 2:1-11.  
 Text and music: *Carols, Hymns and Songs*, 1863; John H. Hopkins, Jr., 1820-1891, alt.

Lesson 9

JOY TO THE WORLD

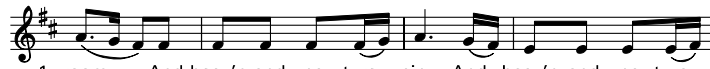
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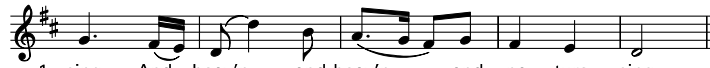
1. Joy to the world! the Lord is come; Let earth re -  
2. Joy to the world! the Sav - ior reigns; Let us our  
3. He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the



1. ceive her King; Let ev - 'ry heart pre - pare him  
2. songs em - ploy; While fields and floods, rocks, hills and  
3. na - tions prove The glo - ries of his righ - teous -



1. room, And heav'n and na - ture sing, And heav'n and na - ture  
2. plains Re - peat the sound - ing joy, Re - peat the sound - ing  
3. ness, And won - ders of his love, And won - ders of his



1. sing, And heav'n, and heav'n and na - ture sing.  
2. joy, Re - peat, re - peat the sound - ing joy.  
3. love, And won - ders, won - ders of his love.

Text: CM with repeats; based on Psalm 98; Isaac Watts, 1674–1748, alt.  
Music: T. Hawkes' *Collection of Tunes*, 1833; George Frideric Handel, 1685–1759.