

## #17 SING PRAISE TO GOD, YOU HEAVENS!

Sing praise to God, you heavens! Sing praise, each shining light!  
Sing, planets in your orbits; sing, stars all burning bright!  
Sing praise, you winds and tempests, you driving rain and snow!  
Sing, clouds that race and billow and shadow earth below!

Sing praise, O earth, sing praises! Sing praises, hill and plain,  
You mountains thrusting skyward, you valleys ripe with grain!  
Sing praise, each fragrant flower; your fairest hues display.  
Sing praise, you trees of autumn in glowing, glad array!

Sing praises all you creatures in whom God takes delight;  
You whales that roam the oceans, you eagles in your flight!  
Sing praise, you sheep on hillsides, you cattle in the stall!  
Though wordless, sing your praises to God who made you all!

Sing praises now, God's people; your gift of speech employ  
To praise the Lord, your Maker, with thankfulness and joy!  
Sing with the whole creation; a cosmic chorus raise:  
"To God alone be glory and everlasting praise!"

## #744 ARISE, YOUR LIGHT IS COME!

Arise, your light is come! The Spirit's call obey;  
Show forth the glory of your God, which shines on you today.

Arise, your light is come! Fling wide the prison door;  
Proclaim the captives' liberty, good tidings to the poor.

Arise, your light is come! All you in sorrow born,  
Bind up the brokenhearted ones and comfort those who mourn.

Arise, your light is come! The mountains burst in song!  
Rise up like eagles on the wing; God's power will make us strong.