

1. Jesus, Redeemer of all, who, being the equal of the Father's glory, was begotten of the Sovereign Father before the beginning of light.

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O Christ, Redeemer of all!
 Only-begotten of the Father!
 Thou alone before the beginning
 wast born ineffably of the Father.

v. 1

J Èsu Redemptor omni-um, Quem lucis ante
 ori-gi- nem, Patrem paternæ glóri-æ, Pater suprè-
 mus edidit.

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2. Thou light and splendor of the Father, Thou neverfailing hope of all, give ear to the prayers which Thy servants throughout the world pour forth.

v. 2

T U lumen et splendor Patris, Tu spes pe-
 rennis omni- um: Intende quas fundunt preces
 Tu-i per orbem servu-li.

3. Remember, O Creator of the world, that in being born Thou didst once assume the form of our body from the sacred womb of a Virgin.

v. 3

M Eménto, ré-rum Cón-di-tor, Nóstri quod
 o-lim córpo- ris, Sacráta ab álvo Vírginis
 Nascéndo, fórmam sumpse-ris.

4. The present day (Christmas) recurring in the course of each year, bears witness to this, that Thou alone didst come forth from the bosom of the Father, the salvation of the world.

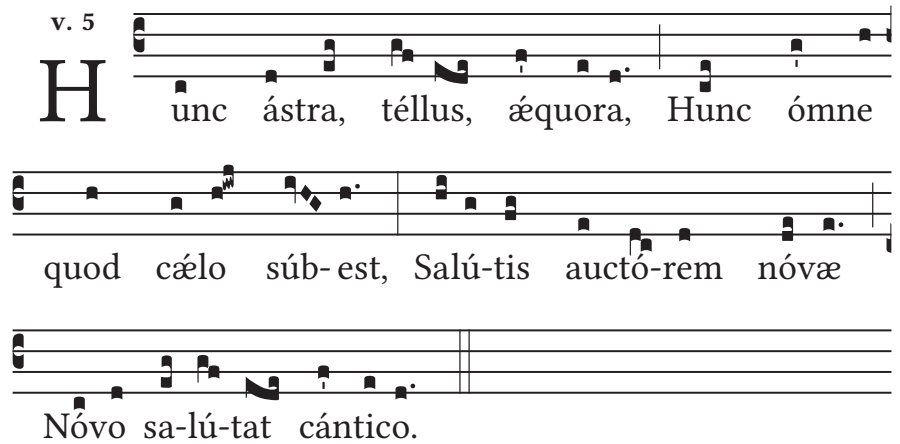
v. 4



T Estatur noc praesens di-es, Currrens per
 anni circu-lum, Quod solus e si-nu Patris
 Mundi sa-lus adve-ne-ris.

5. The stars, the earth, and the seas, and every creature under heaven doth greet Him with a new canticle, as the author of the new salvation.

v. 5



H unc astra, tellus, aequora, Hunc omne
 quod caelo sub-est, Salu-tis aucto-rem novae
 Novo sa-lu-tat cantico.

6. We also, whom the sacred stream of Thy blood hath cleansed, pay Thee the tribute of a hymn on Thy birthday.

v. 6



E t nos, be-a-ta quos sacri Rigavit unda
 sangui-nis, Nata-lis ob di-em tu-i, Hymni tribu-
 tum solvimus.

7. To Thee, O Jesus, who art born of the Virgin, be glory, together with the Father and the Blessed Spirit forever. Amen.

v. 7



J esu ti-bi sit glo-ri-a, Qui natus es de
 Virgi-ne, Cum Patre et almo Spi-ri-tu, In sem-
 pi-terna saecula. A-men.