

COME, O LONG-EXPECTED JESUS

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D A D

Come, O long - ex - pec - ted Je - sus, born to___ set your

G⁶ G D A D

peo - ple free! From our fears and sins___ re - lease us,

A G/A D G/D D

Christ, in___ whom our rest shall be. Is - rael's strength and

D/A A D Bm⁷ G D/F# D A

con - so - la - tion, born sal - va - tion to im - part;

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 TUNE: JOY OF EVERY LONGING HEART (87 87 D with refrain)
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D A D

dear de - sire of eve - ry na - tion, joy of eve - ry

A G/A D D/F# G

long - ing heart. *Come, O long - ex - pec - ted*

D D/F# G G/A A Bm

Je - sus, born sal - va - tion to im - part; dear de -

G Em7 D/F# Bm Bm/A G6 G A7(sus4)

sire of eve - ry na - tion, joy of eve - ry long - ing

(To end)

Bm Bm7/A G G/A D D

heart, joy of eve - ry long - ing heart.



COME, O LONG-EXPECTED JESUS,
 born to set your people free!
 From our fears and sins release us,
 Christ, in whom our rest shall be.
 Israel's strength and consolation,
 born salvation to impart;
 dear desire of every nation,
 joy of every longing heart.

*Come, O long-expected Jesus,
 born salvation to impart;
 dear desire of every nation,
 joy of every longing heart,
 joy of every longing heart.*

2 Born your people to deliver,
 born a child and yet a King;
 born to reign in us for ever,
 now your gracious kingdom bring.
 By your own eternal Spirit
 rule in all our hearts alone;
 by your all-sufficient merit
 raise us to your glorious throne.

Come, O long-expected Jesus...

3 Come to earth to taste our sadness,
 he whose glories knew no end;
 by his life he brings us gladness,
 our Redeemer, Shepherd, Friend.
 Leaving riches without number,
 born within a cattle stall;
 this the everlasting wonder:
 Christ was born, the Lord of all.

Come, O long-expected Jesus...

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