

Franconia UMC

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Raise a Hallelujah

I raise a Hallelujah
In the presence of my enemies
I raise a Hallelujah
Louder than the unbelief
I raise a Hallelujah
My weapon is a melody
I raise a hallelujah
Heaven comes to fight for me

(chorus)

*I'm gonna sing in the middle of the storm
Louder and louder, you're gonna hear my praises roar
Up from the ashes, hope will arise,
Death is defeated, the King is alive*

I raise a Hallelujah
With everything inside of me
I raise a Hallelujah
I will watch the darkness flee
I raise a Hallelujah
In the middle of the mystery
I raise a Hallelujah
Fear, you lost your hold on me

(chorus)

*I'm gonna sing in the middle of the storm
Louder and louder, you're gonna hear my praises roar
Up from the ashes, hope will arise,*

Death is defeated, the King is alive

Sing a little louder (in the presence of my enemies)
Sing a little louder (louder than the unbelief)
Sing a little louder (my weapon is a melody)
Sing a little louder (Heaven comes to fight for me)
(repeat)

(chorus)

*I'm gonna sing in the middle of the storm
Louder and louder, you're gonna hear my praises roar
Up from the ashes, hope will arise,
Death is defeated, the King is alive*

(chorus)

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I raise a Hallelujah
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Even So, Come

All of creation
All of the earth
Make straight a highway
A path for the Lord
Jesus is coming soon
Call back the sinner
Wake up the saint
Let every nation
Shout of Your fame
Jesus is coming soon

(Chorus)

Like a bride ready for her groom

We'll be a church

Ready for You

Every heart longing for our King

We sing

Even so, come

Lord Jesus, come

Even so, come

Lord Jesus, come

There will be justice

All will be new

Your name forever, faithful and true

Jesus is coming soon

(Chorus)

Like a bride ready for her groom

We'll be a church

Ready for You

Every heart longing for our King

We sing

Even so, come

Lord Jesus, come

Even so, come

Lord Jesus, come

So we wait

We wait for You

God we wait

You're coming soon

So we wait

We wait for You

God we wait

You're coming soon

(Chorus)

Like a bride ready for her groom

We'll be a church

Ready for You

Every heart longing for our King

We sing

Like a bride ready for her groom

We'll be a church

Ready for You

Every heart longing for our King

We sing

Even so, come

Lord Jesus, come

Even so, come

Lord Jesus, come

What Child is This (Threshold Moment)

What Child is this,

Who laid to rest,

On Mary's lap is sleeping?

Whom angels greet

With anthems sweet,

While shepherds watch are keeping?

This, this is Christ, the king,

Whom shepherds guard and angels sing:

Haste, haste, to bring Him laud,

The Babe, the Son of Mary!

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Whom shepherds guard and angels sing:

Haste, haste, to bring Him laud,

The Babe, the Son of Mary!

Come Emmanuel

Come and speak to us
Come and renew us
Come and live through us,
Emmanuel
Grace to implore us
Ever before us
Come and restore us,
Emmanuel

Come, Emmanuel
Come, Emmanuel
Come, Emmanuel
Come, Emmanuel

Hymn of Joy

Joyful, joyful we adore Thee
God of glory, Lord of love
Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee
Opening to the sun above
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness
Drive the dark of doubt away
Giver of immortal gladness
Fill us with the light of day

All Thy works with joy surround Thee
Earth and Heaven reflect Thy rays
Stars and angels sing around Thee
Center of unbroken praise
Field of forest, vale and mountain
Flowery meadow, flashing sea
Singing bird and flowing fountain
Call us to rejoice in Thee

(Chorus)

Rejoice, rejoice

Emmanuel

Your love has come

Here to dwell

Rejoice, rejoice

Emmanuel

Your love has come

Here to dwell

Mortals join the happy chorus
Which the morning stars began
Father love is reigning o'er us
Brother love binds man to man
Ever singing march we onward
Victors in the midst of strife
Joyful music leads us sunward
In the triumph song of life

He Has Come for Us (God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen)

God rest ye merry gentlemen
Let nothing you dismay
Remember Christ our Savior
Was born on Christmas day
To save us all from Satan's power
When we were gone astray
O tidings of comfort and joy
Comfort and joy
O tidings of comfort and joy

(chorus)

He has come for us, this Jesus

He's the hope for all mankind

He has come for us, the Messiah

Born to give us life

From God our heavenly Father
A blessed angel came
And unto certain shepherds
Brought tidings of the same
How that in Bethlehem was born
The Son of God by name
O tidings of comfort and joy
Comfort and joy
O tidings of comfort and joy

(chorus)

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He's the hope for all mankind
He has come for us, the Messiah
Born to give us life*

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Born to give us life
He is born to give us life*