

(Topics and Lead-in Below)

Come, Our Lord!

TUNE: Old Black Joe
Isaiah 65:17-25; Revelation 21:1-22:5

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C $\frac{G^7}{C}$ C F $\frac{G}{F}$ F C $\frac{Am^7}{G}$ G

1. Lift up your eyes To the earth we now can see.
 2. See all the joy On the Fa-ther's smil-ing face.
 3. Come, join the meal, With the fam-'ly all a-round.

C $\frac{G^7}{D}$ C E F Fadd9 Dm7 $\frac{Am}{F\#}$ Gsus G $\frac{Dm}{G}$ G

Lift up your hearts To the world that soon will be.
 Come, feel the warmth Of e-ter-nal love's em-brace.
 Come, drink the wine Of a love now more pro-found.

C $\frac{G^7}{C}$ C F G7 $\frac{Dm}{B}$ C C $\frac{C}{B}$ C

Life will be new, And its sor-rows come no more. We
 Taste all the fruits Of an E-den now re-stored. We
 Breathe all the peace Of His bless-ings now out-poured. The

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G⁷/_D C^{sus} G⁷/_B G⁷/_F Am F C/_E Dm⁷ C/_G G⁷/_{sus} G⁷ C

hun - ger for Your new cre - a - tion. Come, our Lord! "I'm
sing the hope that ris - es in us: Come, our Lord! "I'm
Morn - ing Star is bright - ly shin - ing. Come, our Lord! "I'm

C C F G/_F F C f C/_E

com - ing! I'm com - ing To the loved ones I a - dore." We
com - ing! I'm com - ing To be with you ev - er - more." We
com - ing! I'm com - ing, So be pa - tient through the storm." We

G G^{sus} G/_F C/_E F C/_G F C/_G G⁷/_{sus} G⁷ C

hear Your voice and trust Your prom - ise. Come, our Lord!
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TOPICS: Advent; Assurance & Comfort; Eternal Life

LEAD-IN: *Behold, I will create new heavens and a new earth.
The former things will not be remembered,
nor will they come to mind. (Isaiah 65:17, NIV)*

LEAD-IN DEVOTIONAL READING:

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1 Thessalonians 4 promises this:

The Lord himself will come down from heaven with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever. (vv.16-17, NIV)

Be assured
that the One who left heaven to come to us,
who suffered the ultimate suffering to draw us near,
has physically left us for this reason:

He is preparing a place for us so that
soon we can be with Him forever.
When the time is exactly right,
He will return.

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