

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

French Traditional

1. O come, Thou Wis-dom, whose de - cree Doth go-vern all things peace - ful - ly:
 1. Ve - ni, O Sa - pi - en - ti - a: Quae hic dis-po-nis o - mni - a,

The way of pru-dence here be - low, And life here af - ter deign to show.
 Ve - ni vi-am pru - den - ti - ae, Ut do - ce - as et glo - ri - ae.

Refrain:

Re - joice! Re - joice! Em - ma - nu - el Shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el.
 Gau - de! Gau - de! E - ma - nu - el Na - sce-tur pro te, Is - ra - el.

2. O come, O come A - do - na - i, Who in thy glo-rious ma - je - sty
 2. Ve - ni, ve - ni A - do - na - i, Qui po - pu - lo in Si - na - i

From thathighmoun tain clothed with awe Gav - est thy folk the el - der law.
 Le - gem de - di - sti ver - ti - ce In ma - je - sta - te glo - ri - ae.

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3. O come, thou Branch of Jes - se, draw The quar-ry from the li - on's claw.
 3. Ve - ni, O Jes - se vir - gu - la, Ex ho-stis tu - os un - gu - la,

From the dread ca-vern of the grave, From ne-ther hell thy peo - ple save
 De spe-cu tu - os tar - ta - ri E - duc et an - tro ba - ra - thri.

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4. O come, thou Lord of Da - vid's Key! The roy-al door fling wide and free.
 4. Ve - ni, Cla-vis Da - vi - di - ca, Re - gna re-clu-de cae - li - ca,

Safe-guard for us the heav'n - ward road, And bar the way to death's a - bode.
 Fac i - ter tu - tum su - per - um, Et clau-de vi - as in - fer - um.

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5. O come, O come, thou Day - spring bright: Pour on our soul thy heal - ing light.
5. Ve - ni, ve - ni, O O - ri - ens, So - la - ri nos ad - ven - i - ens.

Dis - pel the long night's lin - g'ring gloom, And pierce the shad - ow of the tomb.
Noc - tis de - pel - le ne - bu - las, Di - ra - sque mor - tis te - ne - bras.

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6. O come, of Gen tile hearts the King, A world that needs thee ran - som - ing.
6. Ve - ni, ve - ni, Rex Gen - ti - um, Ve - ni Re - demp - tor ho - mi - num,

Save us, thy ser - vants, who con - fess With con trite hearts their sin - ful - ness.
Ut sal - ves tu - os fa - mu - los Pec - ca - ti si - bi con - sci - os.

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7. O come, O come, Em - ma - nu - el, Re - deem thy cap tive Is - ra - el,
 7. Ve - ni, ve - ni, E - ma - nu - el, Cap - ti - vum sol - ve Is - ra - el,

That in - to ex - ile drear is gone, Far from the face of God's dear Son.
 Qui ge - mit in ex - i - li - o, Pri - va - tus De - i Fi - li - o.

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