

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (1/2)

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1. Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love!
 2. All thy works with joy sur - round thee; earth and heaven re - flect thy rays;
 3. Mor - tals, join the hap - py cho - rus which the morn - ing stars be - gan.

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Hearts un - fold like flowers be - fore thee, o - pening to the sun a - bove.
 stars and an - gels sing a - round thee, cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise.
 Love di - vine is reign - ing o'er us, join - ing all in heav - en's plan.

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Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness; drive the dark of doubt a way.
 Field and for - est, vale and moun - tain, flower - y mead - ow, flash - ing sea.
 Ev - er sing - ing, march we on - ward, vic - tors in the midst of strife.

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Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad - ness, fill us with the light of day.
 Chant - ing bird and flow - ing foun - tain, call us to re - joice in thee.
 Joy - ful mu - sic leads us sun - ward in the tri - umph song of life.

1. Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee,
God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flowers before
Thee,
Praising Thee, their 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!

2. All Thy works with joy surround
Thee,
Earth and heaven reflect Thy rays,
Stars and angels sing around Thee,
Center of unbroken praise:
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
Blooming meadow, flashing sea,
Chanting bird and flowing fountain
Call us to rejoice in Thee.

3. Thou art giving and forgiving,
Ever blessing, ever blest,
Well - spring of the joy of living,
Ocean - depth of happy rest!
Thou our Father, Christ our brother,
All who live in love are Thine:
Teach us how to love each other,
Lift us to the joy divine.

4. Mortals, join the mighty 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.