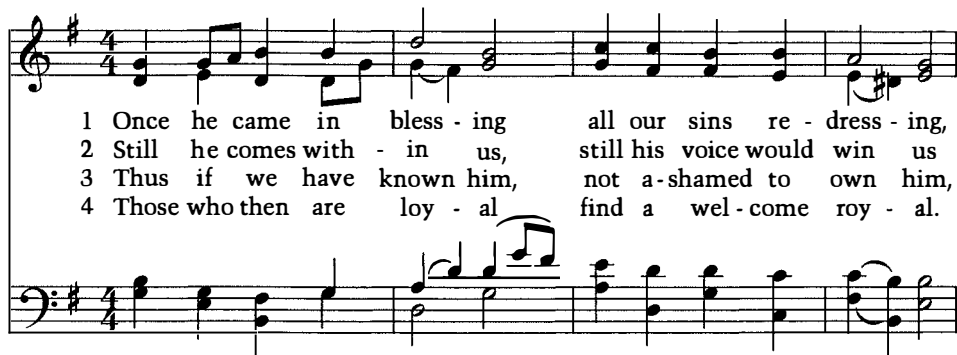
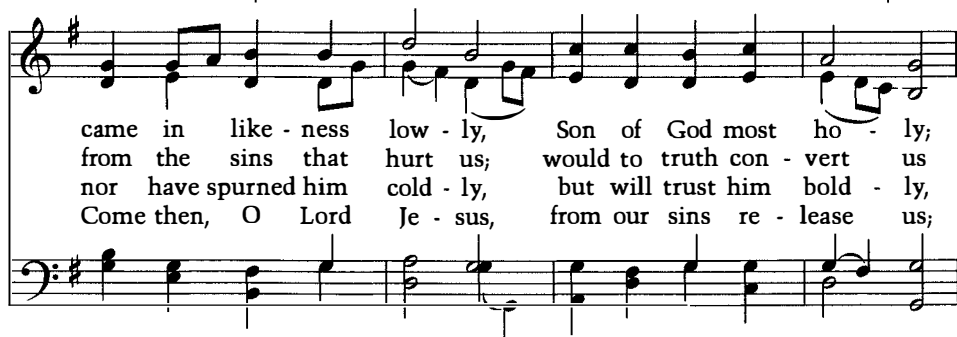


Once He Came in Blessing

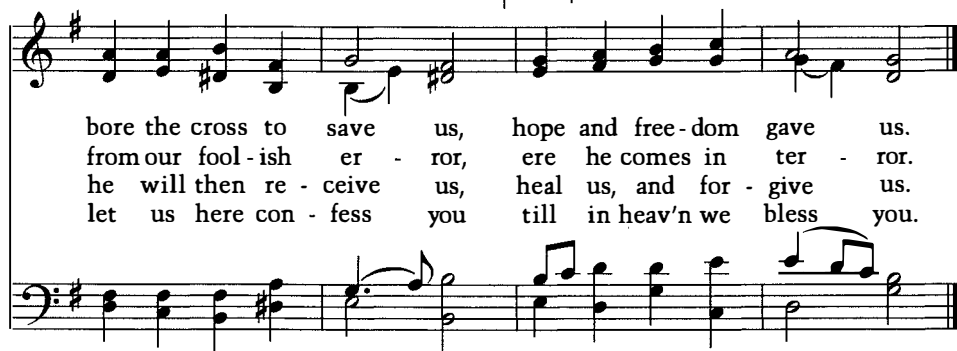
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1 Once he came in bless - ing all our sins re - dress - ing,
2 Still he comes with - in us, still his voice would win us
3 Thus if we have known him, not a - shamed to own him,
4 Those who then are loy - al find a wel - come roy - al.



came in like - ness low - ly, Son of God most ho - ly;
from the sins that hurt us; would to truth con - vert us
nor have spurned him cold - ly, but will trust him bold - ly,
Come then, O Lord Je - sus, from our sins re - lease us;



bore the cross to save us, hope and free - dom gave us.
from our fool - ish er - ror, ere he comes in ter - ror.
he will then re - ceive us, heal us, and for - give us.
let us here con - fess you till in heav'n we bless you.

TEXT: Jan Roh (1544). Tr. Catherine Winkworth (1863), alt.

TUNE: John Frederick Wolle (1888)

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