All Creatures of Our God and King

Draper

- All creatures of our God and King, lift up your voice and with us sing alleluia, alleluia! O burning sun with golden beam, and silver moon with softer gleam; O sing praises, O sing praises, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 2. Swift rushing wind, you are so strong,6. And you, most kind and gentle death, white clouds that sail in heav'n along, O sing praises, alleluia! O rising morn, in praise rejoice. and lights of evening, find a voice; O sing praises, O sing praises, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 3. O flowing water, pure and clear, make music for your Lord to hear, alleluia, alleluia! O fire so masterful and bright, providing us with warmth and light, O sing praises, O sing praises, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 4. Dear mother earth, who day by day unfolds rich blessings on our way, O sing praises, alleluia! All flow'rs and fruits that in you grow, let them his glory also show; O sing praises, O sing praises, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

- 5. And ev'ry one of tender heart, forgiving others, take your part, alleluia, alleluia! All who deep pain and sorrow bear, praise God and on him cast your care; O sing praises, O sing praises, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
 - waiting to hush our latest breath, O sing praises, alleluia! You lead to heav'n the child of God, and Christ our Lord the way has trod; O sing praises, O sing praises, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 7. Let all things their Creator bless and worship him in humbleness; alleluia, alleluia! Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, Three-in-One; O sing praises, O sing praises, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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