

August 25, 2024 Hymns

## 27. Come, Thou Almighty King

1 Come, thou almighty King,  
help us thy name to sing;  
help us to praise:  
one God, all-glorious,  
o'er all victorious,  
come and reign over us,  
ancient of days.

2 Come, thou incarnate Word,  
gird on thy mighty sword,  
our prayer attend;  
come, and thy people bless,  
and give thy word success;  
Spirit of holiness,  
on us descend.

3 Come, holy Comforter,  
thy sacred witness bear,  
in this glad hour!  
Thou, who almighty art,  
now rule in every heart,  
and ne'er from us depart,  
Spirit of power.

4 To the great One in Three,  
eternal praises be,  
hence evermore!  
Thy sovereign majesty,  
may we in glory see,  
and to eternity  
love and adore.

## 323. Wonderful Words of Life

1 Sing them over again to me,  
wonderful words of life;  
let me more of their beauty see,  
wonderful words of life.  
Words of life and beauty,  
teach me faith and duty:

[Refrain:]

Beautiful words, wonderful words,  
wonderful words of life.

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2 Christ, the blessed one, gives to all  
wonderful words of life;

sinner, list to the loving call,  
wonderful words of life.

All so freely given,  
wooing us to heaven: [Refrain]

3 Sweetly echo the gospel call,  
wonderful words of life;

offer pardon and peace to all,  
wonderful words of life.

Jesus, only Savior,  
sanctify forever. [Refrain]

## 632. Lead On, O King Eternal

1 Lead on, O King eternal,  
the day of march has come;  
henceforth in fields of conquest  
thy tents shall be our home;  
through days of preparation  
thy grace has made us strong;  
and now, O King eternal,  
we lift our battle song.

2 Lead on, O King eternal,  
till sin's fierce war shall cease,  
and holiness shall whisper  
the sweet amen of peace;  
for not with swords loud clashing,  
nor roll of stirring drums;  
with deeds of love and mercy  
the heavenly kingdom comes.

3 Lead on, O King eternal,  
we follow, not with fears,  
for gladness breaks like morning  
where'er thy face appears;  
thy cross is lifted o'er us,  
we journey in its light;

the crown awaits the conquest;  
lead on, O God of might.