

JESUS, JOY OF MAN'S DESIRING

Martin Janus, 1661

Johann Schop, 1642, Mar. J. S. Bach, 1727

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Je - sus, joy of man's de - sir - ing, Ho - ly wis - dom, love most bright,  
Thro' the way where hope is guid - ing, Hark, what peace - ful mu - sic rings,

Drawn by Thee, our souls as - pir - ing, Soar to realms of end - less light.  
Where the flock, in Thee con - fid - ing, Drink of joy from liv - ing springs.

Word of God, our flesh that fash - ioned, With the fire of life im - pas - sioned,  
Theirs is beau - ty's fair - est plea - sure; Theirs is wis - dom's ho - liest trea - sure;

Striv - ing still to truth un - known, Soar - ing, dy - ing round Thy throne.  
Thou dost ev - er lead Thine own In the love of joys un - known.

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