THE LIFE OF CHRIST

Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

The Lord hath sent Me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives. Isaiah 61:1

1. Come, Thou long-expected Jesus, Born to set Thy people free.
2. Born Thy people to deliver, Born a Child and yet a King,

From our fears and sins release us; Let us find our rest in Thee.
Born to reign in us for ever, Now Thy gracious kingdom bring.

Israel's Strength and Consolation, Hope of all the earth Thou art;
By Thine own eternal Spirit, Rule in all our hearts alone;

Dear Desire of every nation, Joy of every longing heart.
By Thine all-sufficient mercy, Raise us to Thy glorious throne.

TEXT: Charles Wesley
MUSIC: Rowland H. Prichard; arranged by Robert Harkness
A lower setting may be found at No. 309

Optional choral ending

Em-man-u-el, Em-man-u-el.

The end of GOD WITH US - A Worship Sequence