

338 Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

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1 Come, Thou long-ex-pect-ed Je-sus, Born to set Thy peo-ple free;

2 Born Thy peo-ple to de-liv-er, Born a child and yet a king;



From our fears and sins re-lease us; Let us find our rest in Thee.

Born to reign in us for-ev-er, Now Thy gra-cious king-dom bring.



Is-rael's strength and con-so-la-tion, Hope of all the earth Thou art,

By Thine own e-ter-nal Spir-it Rule in all our hearts a-lone;



Dear de-sire of ev'-ry na-tion, Joy of ev'-ry long-ing heart.

By Thine all-suf-fi-cient mer-it Raise us to Thy glo-rious throne.

Isaiah 5:1

*I will sing for the one I love a song
about his vineyard: My loved one had
a vineyard on a fertile hillside. (NIV)*

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