Immanuel, to You We Sing 280

1. Immanuel, to you we sing,
O Prince of life, almighty King;
that you, expected ages past,
did come to visit us at last.
2. For you, since first the world was made,
all hearts have waited, watched and prayed;
prophets and patriarchs, year by year,
have longed to see your light appear.
3. All glory, worship, thanks and praise,
that you have come in these our days!
O heav'nly guest, expected long,
we hail you with a joyful song.

TEXT: Paul Gerhardt (1650). Tr. Ludolph Ernst Schlicht (1748), alt.

TUNE: William Gardiner's Sacred Melodies (1815)

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