

1 AWAKE, AS IN THE SKIES ABOVE

Awake, as in the skies above
the darkness yields to dawn;
so came God's gift of light and love,
our Saviour Christ was born.

Awake and watch! The hour draws on
of his return to reign;
our night of sin and sorrow gone
when Christ shall come again.

Awake from sleep, from time and place
to God's eternal now,
when every eye shall see his face
and every knee shall bow.

Behold the Sun of Righteousness
whose glories blaze abroad,
till every tongue on earth confess
that Jesus Christ is Lord!

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