music by Heinrich Schütz (original in Eb)



- 3. Bringing joy to earth, the sun Rises up, his course to run, As the son God calls his own Comes forth to ascend His throne.
- 4. Forth from out his chamber there
 To the royal hall so fair,
 Now the champion, God and man,
 Races o'er the heavens' span.
- 5. His path does the Lord ordain To soar, then return again. Nothing can escape his heat, Climbing to the Father's seat.
- May your word, Lord, richly share Its rewards so great and rare.
 And may we in fear and awe Strive to keep your perfect law.