

827 O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright

1 O Morn - ing Star, how fair and bright! You shine with
 2 Lord, when you look on us in love, at once there
 3 What joy to know, when life is past, the Lord we

God's own truth and light, a - glow with grace and mer - cy!
 falls from God a - bove a ray of pur - est plea - sure.
 love is first and last, the end and the be - gin - ning!

Of Ja - cob's line, King Da - vid's son, our Lord and Sav - ior,
 Your word and Spir - it, flesh and blood re - fresh our souls with
 He will one day, O glo - rious grace, trans - port us to that

This “Queen of Chorales” (see no. 349 for the “King”) is often associated with Epiphany because of the star imagery, but the text is really addressed to Christ as the Morning Star (Revelation 22:16), who guides and sustains us in this life and is our hope for the life to come.



heaven-ly food. You are our dear - est trea - sure! Let your
hap - py place be - yond all tears and sin - ning! A - men!



mer - cy warm and cheer us! O draw near us! For you
A - men! Come, Lord Je - sus! Crown of glad - ness! We are



teach us God's own love through you has reached us.
yearn - ing for the day of your re - turn - ing.

