Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,  
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,  
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,  
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,  
Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might;  
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above  
Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.

To all life Thou givest, to both great and small;  
In all life Thou livest, the true life of all;  
We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,  
And wither and perish, but nought changeth Thee.

Thou reignest in glory; thou dwellest in light;  
Thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight.  
All laud we would render, oh, help us to see,  
Tis only the splendor of light hideth thee!

Children of the Heavenly Father LBW #474

Children of the heavenly Father,  
Safely in his bosom gather,  
Nestling bird or star in heaven,  
Such a refuge, ne’er was given.

God his own doth tend and nourish,  
In his holy courts they flourish.  
From all evil things he spares them,   
In his mighty arms he bears them.

Neither life nor death shall ever,  
From the Lord his children sever;  
Unto them his grace he showeth,  
And their sorrows all he knoweth.

Though he giveth or he taketh,  
God his children ne’er forsaketh;  
His the loving purpose solely,  
To preserve them pure and holy.

My God, How Wonderful Thou Art

My God, how wonderful thou art, Thy majesty how bright!  
How beautiful thy mercy seat, In depths of burning light!

How wonderful, How Beautiful, the sight of Thee must be-  
Thine endless wisdom, boundless pow’r, and awesome purity!

No earthly father loves like thee, No mother, e’er so mild,  
Bears and forbears as thou hast done, With me, thy sinful child.

Yet I may love thee too, O, Lord, Almighty as thou art,  
For thou has stooped to ask of me, the love of my poor heart.

My God, How Wonderful thou art, Thou everlasting friend!  
On Thee I stay my trusting heart, Till faith in vision end.