Moravian Lessons & Christmas Vespers

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Love caused Thy incarnation,
Love brought Thee down to me;
Nove geniture cedit ius nature. Contra carnis iura parit virgo pura. Novo quodam iure premitur natura.
Oh, how shall I receive Thee?
How greet Thee, Lord, aright?

Christ is born.

Savior who shall be King of earth and Heaven
emonoh, my indeed! I cease capture. My Spirit lifts in rapture to ever nigher!
Sancta Maria, mater Dei, ora pro nobis
Blessed art thou among women
Pray for us sinners now and in the hour of our death.
THE CONGREGATE
Hodie exultant justi, dicentes: Gloria in excelsis Deo, et
Twas that have us Christ to save us:
Not Jerusalem
Wondrous Child!

El Niño Perdido

Joaquín Mc Guinness (U.K. 1908)

Madre a la puerta

prayer and supplication let your petitions be
manifest unto God with giving of thanks. And the
peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall
keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesu.

ox and ass beside him,
n the cold would hide Him.

Him the Father gave us.

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Regent Square

James Montgomery, 1825

Wing your flight o'er all earth!
Ye who sang creation's story
Now proclaim Messiah's birth:
Come and worship, come and worship
Worship Christ, the new-born King.

Lo! celestial visions beam afar:
Seek the great Desire of nations;
Ye have seen His natal star.

Morning Star, O cheering sight!
Ere Thou cam'st how dark earth's nigh
Jesus mine, in me shine;

Johann Scheffler, 1657

Thy glad beams, thou Morning Star,
Cheer the nations near and far:
Thee we own, Lord alone,

Julie Carr

Susan Bergey

Justin Hull

Michael Fister

Andrew Meeker

Susan Bishop

Chris Eppinger

Jeffrey K. Fiona

Susan Meyer

Ox and ass before Him bow, And He is in the man

Christ was born for this; Christ was born for this;

Heart, and soul, and voice;

Calls you one and calls you all to gain His everlasting hall.

Christ was born to save! Christ was born to save!

Moravian has celebrated Christmas w

attend vespers, and students and faculty participate

wax candles. The tapers w