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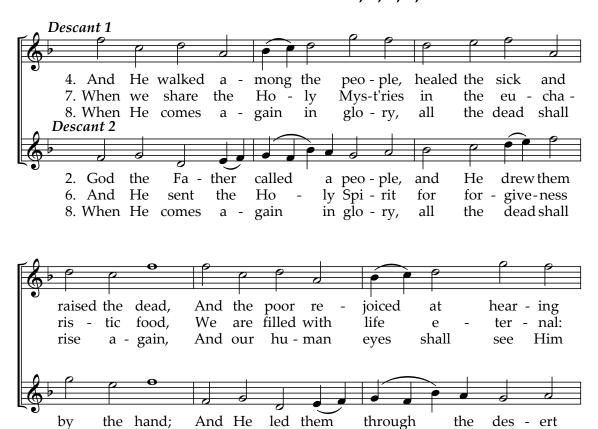


- 4. And He walked among the people, healed the sick and raised the dead, And the poor rejoiced at hearing the appealing words He said.

 Refrain
- 5. On the Cross, our gracious Savior Jesus laid his body down, Dying as the Man of Sorrows; giving humankind a crown. *Refrain*
- 6. And He sent the Holy Spirit for forgiveness of our sins. Even now God dwells among us; even now, new life begins. *Refrain*
- 7. When we share the Holy Myst'ries in the eucharistic food, We are filled with life eternal: Jesus' Body and His Blood. *Refrain*
- 8. When He comes again in glory, all the dead shall rise again, And our human eyes shall see Him in the splendor of His reign. *Refrain*

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Descants* for stanzas 2, 4, 6, 7, 8



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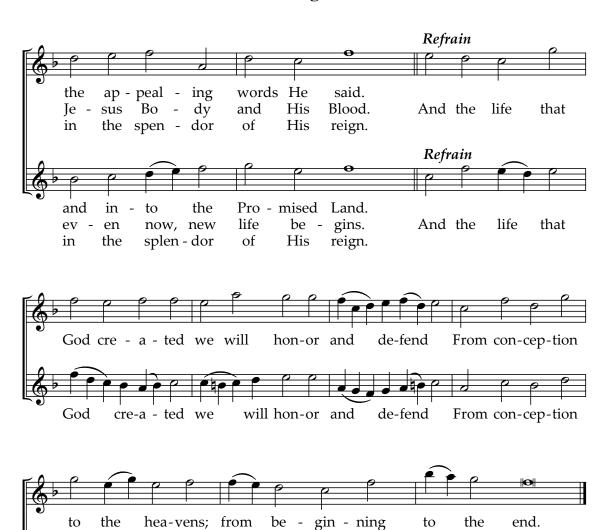
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^{*} Descant 1 was a part of the original composition of CORDE NATUS for the hymn *Of the Father's Love Begotten*. Descant 2 was composed for this setting of Kathy Pluth's hymn text. Each descant is sung separately in two stanzas apiece. Then in the final stanza, the two descants are sung together.



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