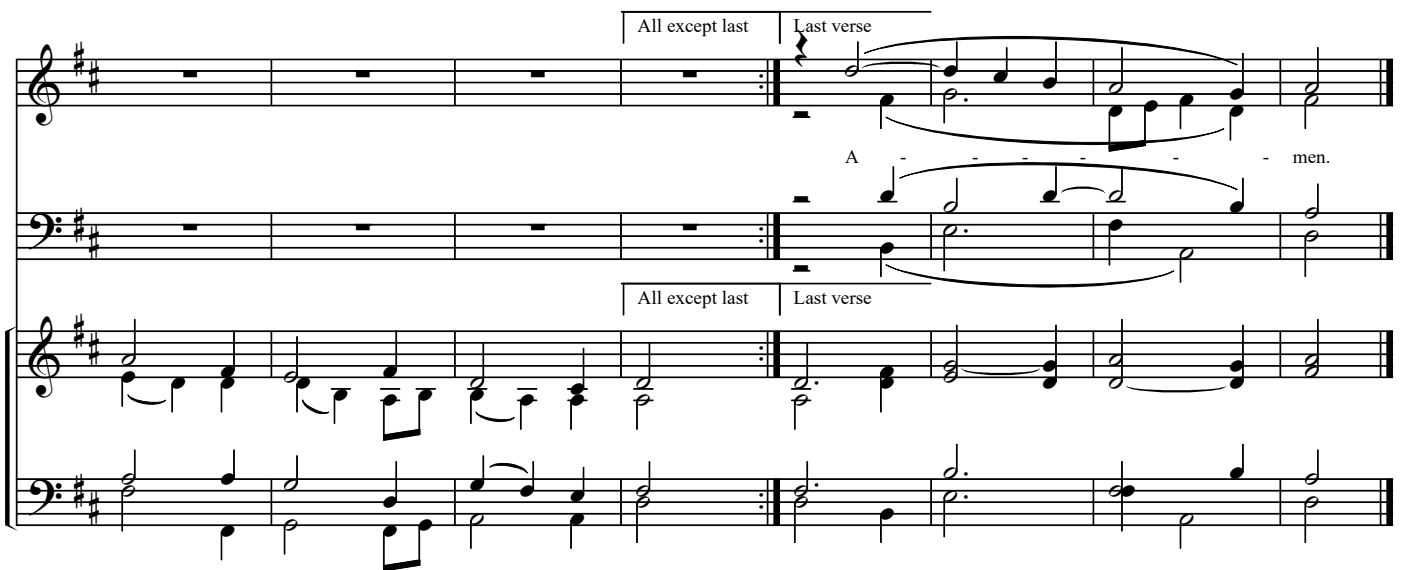
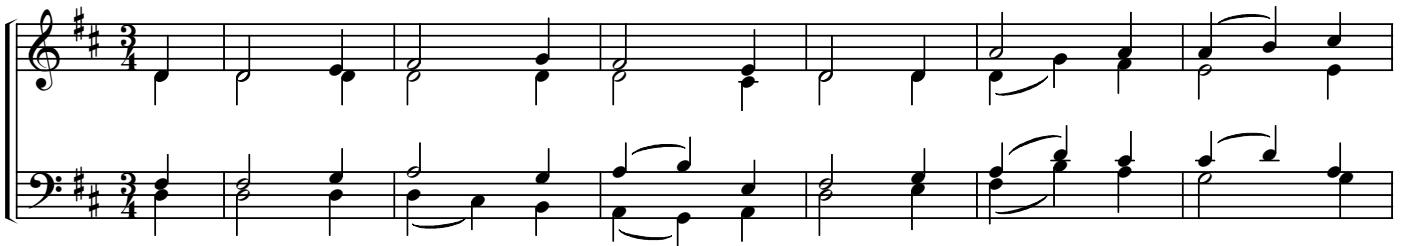


Come, thou Redeemer of the earth

Words: St Ambrose
Tr: J M Neale and others

Music: Puer Nobis Nascitur
Adapted: M Praetorius; Arr: David Lee



All except last | Last verse

A - - - - - men.

All except last | Last verse

1. Come, thou Redeemer of the earth,
And manifest thy virgin-birth:
Let every age adoring fall,
Such birth befits the God of all.

2. Begotten of no human will,
But of the Spirit, thou art still
The Word of God, in flesh arrayed,
The Saviour, now to man displayed.

3. O equal to thy Father, thou!
Gird on thy fleshly mantle now;
The weakness of our mortal state
With deathless might invigorate.

4. Thy cradle here shall glitter bright,
.And darkness glow with new-born light,
.No more shall night extinguish day,
.Where love's bright beams their power display.

5. O Jesu, Virgin-born, to thee
.Eternal praise and glory be,
.Whom with the Father we adore
.And Holy Spirit evermore.