

The Hymnal 1982 - #65 Prepare the way, O Zion



- 1 Pre - pare the way, O Zi - on, your Christ is draw - ing near!  
 2 He brings God's rule, O Zi - on; he comes from heaven a - bove.  
 3 Fling wide your gates, O Zi - on; your Sa - vior's rule em - brace.



Let ev - ery hill and val - ley a lev - el way ap - pear.  
 His rule is peace and free - dom, and jus - tice, truth, and love.  
 His tid - ings of sal - va - tion pro - claim in ev - ery place.



Greet One who comes in glo - ry, fore - told in sa - cred sto - ry.  
 Lift high your praise re - sound - ing, for grace and joy a - bound - ing.  
 All lands will bow be - fore him, their voic - es will a - dore him.



*Refrain*  
 Oh, blest is Christ that came in God's most ho - ly name.

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- 1 Prepare the way, O Zion,  
 your Christ is drawing near!  
 Let every hill and valley  
 a level way appear.  
 Greet One who comes in glory,  
 foretold in sacred story.  
*Oh, blest is Christ that came  
 in God's most holy Name.*
- 2 He brings God's rule, O Zion;  
 he comes from heaven above.  
 His rule is peace and freedom,  
 and justice, truth, and love.  
 Lift high your praise resounding,  
 for grace and joy abounding.  
*Refrain*
- 3 Fling wide your gates, O Zion;  
 your Savior's rule embrace.

His tidings of salvation  
    proclaim in every place.  
All lands will bow before him,  
their voices will adore him.  
*Refrain*

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