

GOTTES SOHN IST KOMMEN.

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Old Church Melody
Ave Hierarchia
Michael Weisse's G. B. 1531.

Got - tes Sohn ist kom - men, uns al - len zu From - men, hie auf die - se Er - den,



in ar - men Ge - ber - - den, dass er uns von Sün - de frei - et und ent - bin - de.



Johann Roh. - 1547.

This Choral was also sung to the following hymn. In three verses, it is really a Trinity Sunday hymn, but in Thuringia was used in Advent as an alternative to 'Gottes Sohn ist kommen'.

Once He came in blessing,
All our life redressing,
Came in likeness lowly,
Son of God most holy,
Bore the Cross to save us,
Hope and freedom gave us.

Tr. Catherine Winkworth.

Gott, durch deine güte
wolst uns arme leute
Hertze, synn und gemüte
fur des Teuffels wüten
Am leben und im Todt
gnediglich behüten.

Johann Spangenberg.
1484-1550.

Lord, our strength and tower,
Thou wouldst us deliver
From the Devil's power,
And wouldst guard us mortals,
Body, soul and spirit,
Till we pass Death's portals.

Tr. D. M. Atkins.