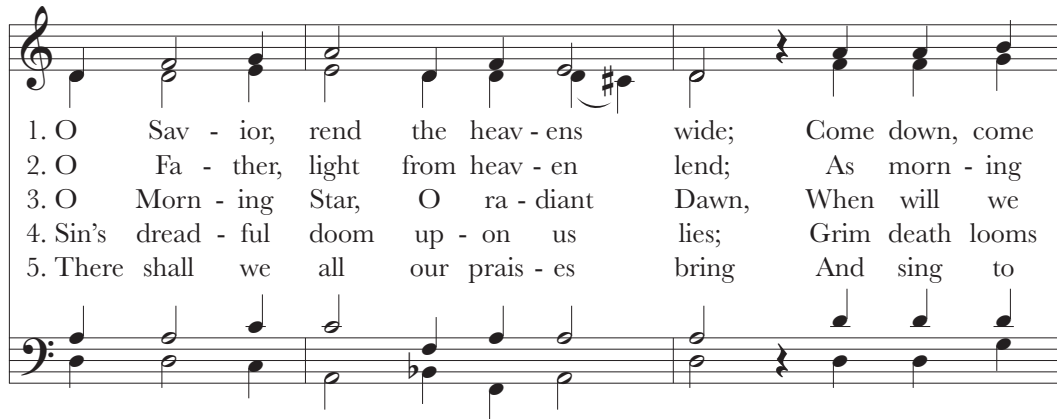


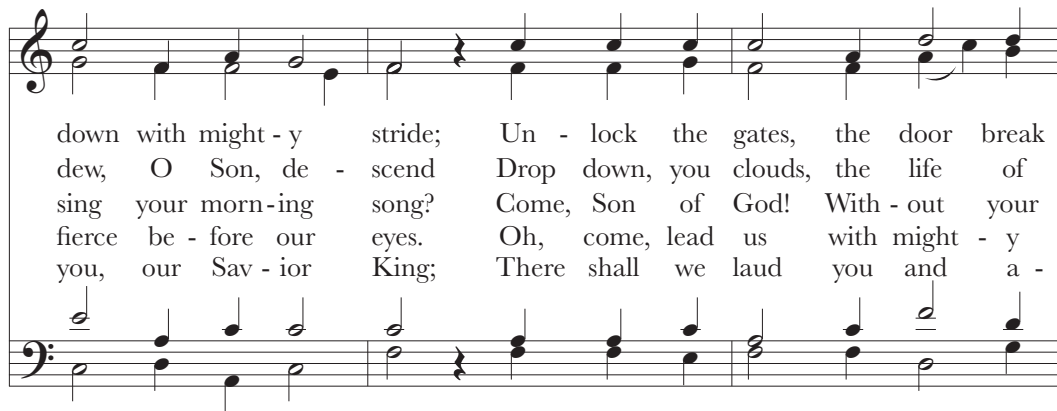
# O Savior, Rend the Heavens Wide

O HEILAND, REISS  
*Rheinfelsisches Deutsches*  
*Catholisches Gesangbuch, 1666*

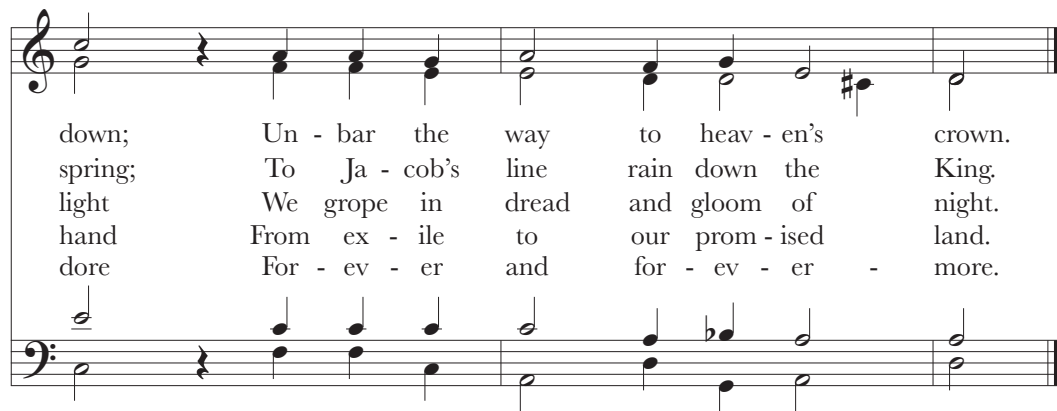
Friedrich von Spee (1591-1635)  
tr. Martin L. Seitz (1909-1967)



1. O Sav - ior, rend the heav - ens wide; Come down, come  
2. O Fa - ther, light from heav - en lend; As morn - ing  
3. O Morn - ing Star, O ra - diant Dawn, When will we  
4. Sin's dread - ful doom up - on us lies; Grim death looms  
5. There shall we all our prais - es bring And sing to



down with might - y stride; Un - lock the gates, the door break  
dew, O Son, de - scend Drop down, you clouds, the life of  
sing your morn - ing song? Come, Son of God! With - out your  
fierce be - fore our eyes. Oh, come, lead us with might - y  
you, our Sav - ior King; There shall we laud you and a -



down; Un - bar the way to heav - en's crown.  
spring; To Ja - cob's line rain down the King.  
light We grope in dread and gloom of night.  
hand From ex - ile to our prom - ised land.  
dore For - ev - er and for - ev - er - more.