

# Brightest and Best of the Stars

## Star in the East



1. Hail the blest morn see the great med - i - a - tor.  
2. Cold on his cra - dle the dew - drops are shi - ning,  
3. Shall we then yield him, in cost - ly re - vo - tion,  
4. Vain - ly we of - fer each am - ple de - vo - tion,



5 Down from the re - gions of the glo - ry des - cend.  
low lies his head on the beasts of the stall.  
o - dours of E - dom, and of - frings di - vine,  
vain - ly with gifts would his fa - vor se - cure.



9 Shep - herds go wor - ship the babe in the man - ger,  
An - gels a - dore him in slum - ber re - cli - ning,  
gems of the moun - tain, and pearls of the o - cean,  
Rich - er by far is the heart's a - do - ra - tion,



13 Lo for his guard - the bright an - gels at - tend.  
Ma - ker and Mon - arch and Sa - viour of all.  
myrrh from the fo - rest, and the gold from the mine?  
dear - er to God are the prayers of the poor.

### Refrain:



17 Bright - est and best of the stars of the mor - ning, dawn on our dark - ness and



23 lend us thine aid. Star of the east, the hor - i - zon a dor - ning,



29 guide where our in - fant Re - deem - er is laid.