

Be Near Us, Holy Trinity  
From the Latin.  
Frederick Gore-Ouseley, 1875.

Be near us, Holy Trinity,  
One Light, one only Deity!  
All things are Thine, on Thee depend,  
Who art Beginning without end.

The myriad armies of the sky  
Praise, bless, adore Thy majesty:  
Earth's triple frameland, air, and sea  
Upraise their canticle to Thee.

We, too, Thy suppliant servants all,  
Before Thy feet adoring fall:  
To Thee our vows and prayers we bring  
With hymns that saints and angels sing.

One we believe Thee, Light divine,  
And worship in a glorious Trine:  
O First and Last, we humbly cry,  
And all things having breath reply.

Praise to the Father, made of none,  
Praise to the sole-begotten Son,  
Praise to the Holy Spirit be  
Mysterious Godhead, One in Three!