

The God Whom Earth, and Sea, and Sky  
Silvio Antoniano, 1603.  
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The God whom earth, and sea, and sky,  
Adore, and laud, and magnify,  
Who o'er their threefold fabric reigns,  
The virgin's spotless womb contains.

The God whose will by moon and sun  
And all things in due course is done,  
Is borne upon a maiden's breast,  
By fullest heavenly grace possessed.

How blest the mother, in whose shrine  
The great Artificer Divine,  
Whose hand contains the earth and sky,  
Vouchsafed, as in His ark, to lie!

Blest, in the message Gabriel brought;  
Blest, by the work the Spirit wrought:  
From whom the Great Desire of earth  
Took human flesh and human birth.

All honor, laud, and glory be,  
O Jesu, virgin-born, to Thee!  
All glory, as is ever meet,  
To Father and to Paraclete.