## Creator of the Stars of Night

With the introit for the First Sunday of Advent

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1. Cre -	a -	tor	of	the	stars	of	night,	
2. In	sor -	row	that	the	an	- cient	curse	
3. When	$\mathbf{this}$	old	world	drew	on	toward	night,	
4. At	your	great	Name,	0	Je	- sus,	now	
5. Come	in	your	ho -	ly	might,	we	pray,	
6. To	God	the	Fa -	ther,	God	the	Son,	
Introit. To	you,	0	God,	Ι	lift	my	soul.	
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Your	peo	- ple's	ev	-	er	-	last	-	ing		light,	
Should	doom	to	death		а		u	-	ni	-	verse,	
You	came,	$\mathbf{but}$	not		in		splend	-	or		bright,	
All	knees	must	bend,		all		hearts		must		bow;	
Re -	deem	us	for		е	-	ter	-	nal		day;	
And	God	the	Spi	-	rit,		Three		in		One,	
In	you	Ι	trust,		your		grace		ex	-	tol.	
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0	Christ,	Re -	deem	-	er	of	us	all,	
You	came,	0	Sa	-	vior,	to	$\mathbf{set}$	free	
Not	as	а	mon	-	arch,	but	the	child	
All	things	on	earth		with	one	ac	- cord	
De -	fend	us	while		we	dwell	be	- low	
Praise,	hon	- or,	might,		and	glo	- ry	be	
Let	not	my	foes		ex	- ult	o'er	me,	
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We	pray	you	hear	us	when	we	call.	
Your	own	in	glo	- rious	lib	- er	– ty.	
Of	Ma	- ry,	blame	- less	Mo	- ther	mild.	
Like	those	of	heav'n	shall	call	you	Lord.	
From	all	as -	saults	of	our	dread	foe.	
from	age	to	age	e	- ter	– nal	- ly.	
Spare	all	from	shame	who	hope	in	thee.	
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