

# 507 Blessing and honour

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1. Bless - ing and hon - our and glo - ry and pow'r, \_\_\_\_\_  
2. In - to the glo - ry of heav'n He has gone \_\_\_\_\_  
3. Gone is the dark - ness and ris - en the Star, \_\_\_\_\_  
4. Give we the glo - ry and praise to the Lamb, \_\_\_\_\_

wis - dom and rich - es and strength ev - er - more. \_\_\_\_\_  
and with the Fa - ther now sits on His throne. \_\_\_\_\_  
come is the ra - diance that spark - les a - far, \_\_\_\_\_  
take we the robe and the harp and the palm, \_\_\_\_\_

Give now to Him who the bat - tle has won, \_\_\_\_\_  
There He now wears of the king - dom the crown; \_\_\_\_\_  
break - ing, the gleam of the day with - out end, \_\_\_\_\_  
sing we the song of the Lamb that was slain, \_\_\_\_\_

whose are the king - dom, the crown and the throne.  
great is His pow - er and great His re - nown.  
ris - ing, the Sun that shall nev - er de - scend.  
dy - ing for sin - ners and ris - ing to reign.

*Refrain*

Ev - er as - cend - ing, the song and the joy. Ev - er de -

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glo - ry and praise, this is the theme of the hymns we raise.