

Creator of the Stars of Night

text: *Creator alme siderum*,

—Latin (9th-cent.)

transl.: J.M. Neale (1818-1866), alt.

tune: PUER NOBIS 8.8 8.8 (LM),

—Trier manuscript (15th-cent.)

adap.: Michael Praetorius (1571-1621)

harm.: George Woodward (1848-1934), alt.

1. Cre - a - tor of the stars of night, Your
2. In sor - row that the an - cient curse Should
3. When this old world drew on toward night, You
4. At your great Name, O Je - sus, now All
5. Come in your ho - ly night, we pray, Re -
6. To God Cre - a - tor, God the Son, And

peo - ple's ev - er - last - ing light, O Christ, Re - deem - er
doom to death a u - ni - verse, You came, O Sav - ior,
came; but not in splen - dor bright, Not as a mon - arch,
knees must bend, all hearts must bow: All things on earth with
deem us for e - ter - nal day; De - fend us while we
God the Spir - it, Three in One, Praise, hon - or, might, and

of us all, We pray you hear us when we call.
to set free Your own in glo - rious lib - er - ty.
but the child Of Mar - y, blame - less moth - er mild.
one ac - cord, Like those in heav'n, shall call you Lord.
dwell be - low From all as - saults of our dread foe.
glo - ry be From age to age e - ter - nal - ly.