

# Blessed Mary Ever-Virgin

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1. Bles - sed Ma - ry e - ver - Vir - gin, Rose of Is - rael  
2. Sin - less one from Thy con - cep - tion, Born to Jo - a -  
3. Vir - gin when be - trothed to Jo - seph, Vir - gin still in  
4. When Thine earth - ly life was en - ded, Soul and bo - dy  
5. Now Thou reign - est, Queen of Hea - ven, Light of Bro - ther  
6. Bles - sed Ma - ry e - ver - Vir - gin, The - o - to - kos,

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in full bloom; Mo - ther to a world of sin - ners,  
chim and Anne, Ne - ver has a sweet - er mai - den  
cat - tle stall; Vir - gin as Our Lord grew dai - ly,  
pure as light Were as - sumed by God to Hea - ven;  
Sun Thy gown; Sis - ter Moon Thy path il - lu - mines  
grant this grace: May our souls be wombs for Je - sus;

The - o - to - kos, in Thy womb Christ of all the  
Lived on earth since time be - gan; Who else could have  
Vir - gin when He raised His call; Vir - gin wit - ness  
O what splen - dor! O what might! How the an - gels  
And twelve stars a - dorn Thy crown; Whirl - ing pla - nets  
Make our lives His dwel - ling - place Till like stars we

star - ry hea - vens Came to make His earth - ly home.  
borne our Je - sus, Ve - ry God and ve - ry Man?  
to His Pas - sion, Vir - gin Mo - ther of us all:  
bade Thee wel - come, How the saints sang their de - light!  
pause in greet - ing, Count - less ga - lax - ies bow down.  
rise to meet Him And be - hold Him face to face.