**Come, Christ’s Beloved**

**REFRAIN** With the freedom of chant \( \text{\( q \)} = \text{ca. 60} \)

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D \quad A/D \quad D \quad G \quad A9 \quad D/sus4 \quad D
\]

Come, Christ’s beloved, feed on Christ’s true flesh;

\[
D \quad G/B \quad A7 \quad D
\]

drink your redemption in his precious blood.

**VERSES**

\[
D \quad A7/E \quad Bm \quad D/A \quad A7 \quad D
\]

1. Here is salvation, here the risen Lord;
2. Son of the Father, Lord of all the world;
3. Christ, our salvation, Christ, the light of all;
4. Bring to this banquet faithful hearts sincere;
5. Christ gives the hungry heav’nly bread to eat;

\[
D/C# \quad G/B \quad D/A \quad D \quad D/sus4 \quad Gmaj7 \quad Em/A \quad A \quad Em7/A \quad D.C.
\]

1. here God’s great banquet: Let us thank our God;
2. Christ is our Savior through his cross and blood;
3. has yet enriched us by this gift sublime;
4. receive the safeguard of eternal life;
5. he gives the thirsty living springs of grace.

**ADDITIONAL VERSES**

\[
D \quad A7/E \quad Bm \quad D/A \quad A7 \quad D
\]

6. Christ in this mystery gives his flesh and blood;
7. Christ, priest and victim, gave himself for all;
8. Priests of the old law, of f’ring blood out pour’d;
9. Christ, everwatchful shepherd of his sheep;
10. Al pha, the first born, Omega, the end,

Note: Refrain melody based on the chant “O Sacrum Convivium,” the Magnificat antiphon for the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) evening prayer.

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6. guiding us safely through death's gates to life.
7. at once the giver and his gift divine.
8. did but foretell the life of Christ, the victim priest.
9. gives true believers life that knows no end.
10. you came as Savior, you will come as Judge.

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