HYMN : CREATOR ALME SIDERUM

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HYMN IV.

Cru-cem E Virgi-nis sacra-ri-o Intácta prodis ví-ctima.

3. Cujus potéstas gló-ri-ae, Noménque cum pri-mum sonat,

Et coé-li-tes et ínfe-ri Treménte curvántur genu.

4. Qui daémonis ne fraúdibus Perí-ret orbis, ímpe-tu Amóris

actus, lángui-di Mundi me-dé-la factus es.

5. Te depre-

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1. BRIGHT Builder of the heavenly poles, Eternal light of faithful souls, Jesus, Redeemer of mankind, Our humble prayers vouchsafe to mind.

2. Who, that Thou mightst our ransom pay And wash the stains of sin away, Wouldst from a Virgin's womb proceed And on the Cross a Victim bleed.

3. Whose glorious power, whose saving name No sooner any voice can frame, But heaven and earth and hell agree To honor them with trembling knee.

4. Who, lest the fraud of hell's black king Should all men to destruction bring, Didst, by an act of generous love, The fainting world's physician prove.

5. Thee, Christ, who at the latter day Shalt be our Judge, we humbly pray Such arms of heavenly grace to send As may Thy Church from foes defend.

6. O Lord, the Virgin-born, to Thee Eternal praise and glory be, Whom with the Father we adore And Holy Ghost forevermore.