Praise to the Holiest in the height 1982 no. 446 Melody: Newman C.M.



Praise to the Holiest in the height,

and in the depth be praise;

in all his words most wonderful,

most sure in all his ways!

O loving wisdom of our God!

When all was sin and shame,

a second Adam to the fight

and to the rescue came.

O wisest love! that flesh and blood,

which did in Adam fail,

should strive afresh against the foe,

should strive, and should prevail;

and that the highest gift of grace

should flesh and blood refine:

God’s presence and his very self,

and essence all-divine.

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