

# Come, Holy Spirit, raise our songs

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John Wesley (1703-91)

Peru, by James Leach, (1762-98)

Arr. David Weyman (1771-1822)

Edited and a symphony added by Francis Roads

Soprano [Air] *f* Come, Ho - ly Spir - rit, raise our songs, *p* To reach the

6 won - ders of the day, *f* When with thy fie - ry

11 clo - ven tongues *p* Thou didst those glo - rious scenes dis - play, *ff* Thou

16 didst those glo rious scenes dis - play. Symphony

2. O, 'twas a most auspicious hour,  
Season of grace and sweet delight,  
When thou did'st come with mighty power,  
And light of truth divinely bright.

3. By this the blest disciples knew  
Their risen head had entered heaven;  
Had now obtained the promise due,  
Fully by God the Father given.

4. Lord, we believe to us and ours  
The apostolic promise given;  
We wait the Pentecostal powers,  
The Holy Ghost sent down from heaven.

5. Ah! leave not us to mourn below,  
Or long for thy return to pine;  
Now, Lord, the Comforter bestow,  
And fix in us the grace divine.

6. Assembled here with one accord,  
Calmly we wait the promised grace,  
The purchase of our dying Lord!  
Come, Holy Ghost, and fill the place.

7. If everyone that asks may find,  
If still thou dost on sinners fall,  
Come as a mighty rushing wind;  
Great grace be now upon us all.

8. Behold, to thee our souls aspire,  
And languish thy descent to meet;  
Kindle in each the living fire,  
And fix in every heart thy seat.

Circled numbers correspond with lines of text;  
transposed down a semitone.