

Now Thank We All Our God

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Johann Crüger, 1648

Martin Rinkart, c. 1636

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1. Now thank we all our God With heart and hands and voices,
2. O may this bounteous God Through all our life be near us,
3. All praise and thanks to God The Father now be given,

Who wondrous things hath done, In whom His world rejoices;
With ever joyful hearts And blessed peace to cheer us;
The Son, and Him who reigns With Them in highest heaven,

Who, from our mothers' arms, Hath blessed us on our way
And keep us in His grace, And guide us when perplexed,
The one eternal God, Whom earth and heav'n adore;

With count-less gifts of love, And still is ours to-day.
And free us from all ills, In this world and the next.
For thus it was, is now, And shall be ever more.