

The Harp at Nature's Advent

John Greenleaf Whittier, 1847

Thomas Commuck, 1845
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1. The harp at Na - ture's ad - vent strung Has
2. And prayer is made, and praise is given, By
3. The green earth sends her in - cense up From
4. The blue sky is the tem - ple's arch, Its

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nev - er ceased to play; The song the stars of
all things near and far; The o - cean look - eth
many a moun - tain shrine; From fold - ed leaf and
tran - sept earth and air, The mu - sic of its

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morn - ing sung Has nev - er died a -
up to heaven, And mir - rors ev - ery
dew - y cup She pours the sa - cred
star - ry arch The cho - rus of a

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way, Has nev - er — died a - way.
star, And mir - rors ev - ery star.
wine, She pours the — sa - cred wine.
prayer, The cho - rus — of a prayer.