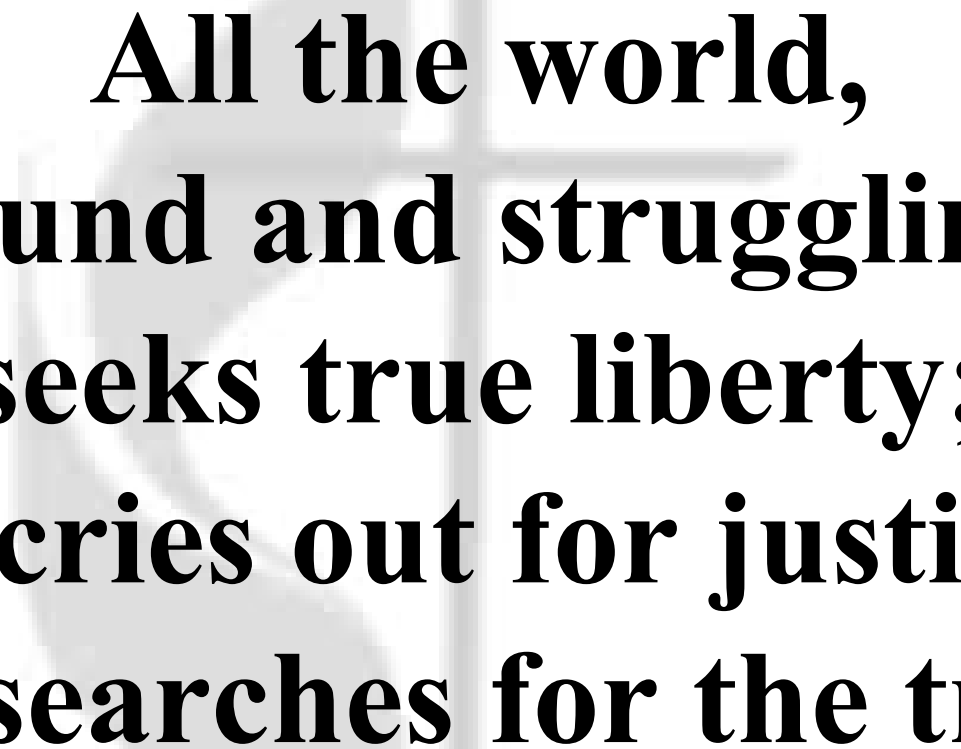


# Toda la Tierra (All Earth Is Waiting)

WORDS: Catalan text by Alberto Taulè, 1972; English trans by Gertrude C. Suppe, 1987 (Is. 40:3-5)

**1. All earth is waiting  
to see the Promised One,  
and the open furrows,  
the sowing of the Lord.**



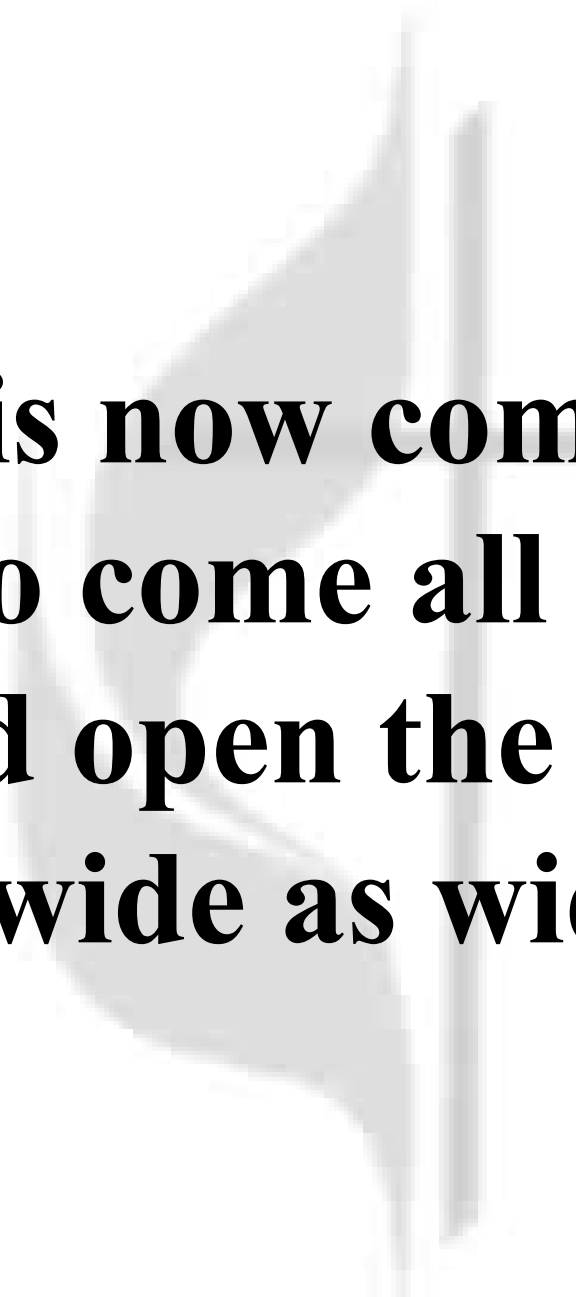
**All the world,  
bound and struggling,  
seeks true liberty;  
it cries out for justice  
and searches for the truth.**



**2. Thus says the prophet  
to those of Israel,  
“A virgin mother  
will bear Emmanuel,”**

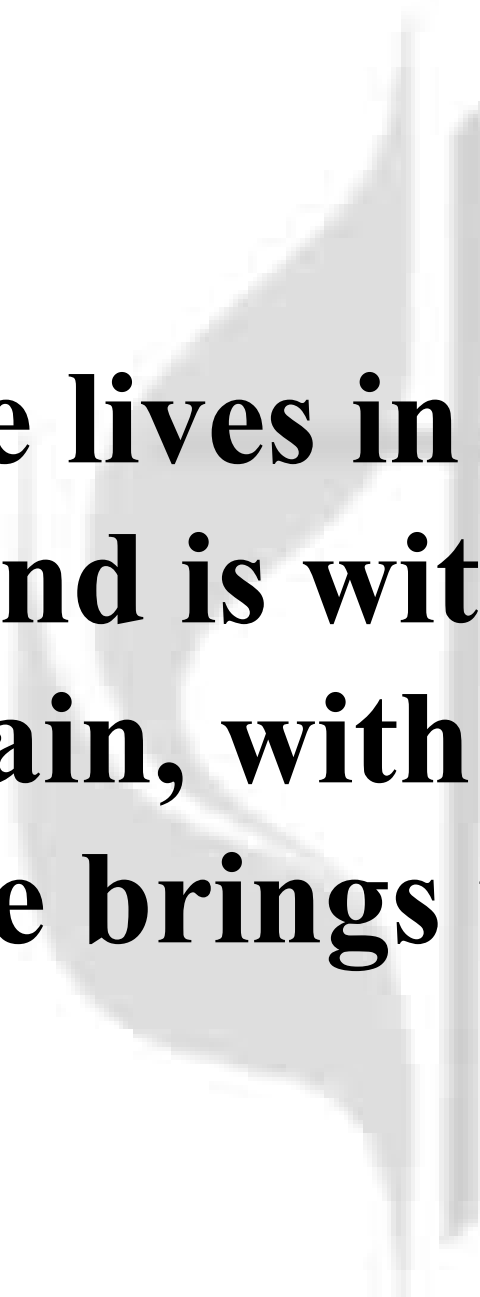
**For his name is  
“God with us,”  
our brother shall be,  
with him hope will blossom  
once more  
within our hearts.**

**3. Mountains and valleys  
will have to  
be made plain;  
open new highways,  
new highways  
for the Lord.**



**He is now coming closer,  
so come all and see,  
and open the doorways  
as wide as wide can be.**

**4. In lowly stable  
the Promised  
One appeared,  
yet, feel his presence  
throughout the  
earth today,**



**for he lives in all Christians  
and is with us now;  
again, with his coming  
he brings us liberty.**