#### People, Look East

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### 1. People, look east. The time is near of the crowning of the year.

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Make your house fair as you are able, trim the hearth and set the table.

(People, look east: )

### and sing today:

(People, look east: )

Love, the Guest, is on the way.

# 2. Furrows, be glad. Though earth is bare, one more seed is planted there.

# Give up your strength the seed to nourish, that in course the flower may flourish.

(People, look east: )

### and sing today:

(People, look east: )

Love, the Rose, is on the way.

# 3. Stars, keep the watch. When night is dim, one more light the bowl shall brim,

shining beyond the frosty weather, bright as sun and moon together.

(People, look east: )

### and sing today:

(People, look east: )

Love, the Star, is on the way.

### 4. Angels announce with shouts of mirth him who brings new life to earth.

### Set every peak and valley humming with the word, the Lord is coming.

(People, look east: )

### and sing today:

(People, look east: )

Love, the Lord, is on the way.