

# Rise, Crowned with Light

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Hymn 36

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Hymnal: according to the use of the  
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1. Rise, crowned with light, im - pe - rial Sa - lem, rise; Ex - alt thy  
2. See a long race thy spa - cious courts a - dorn, See fu - ture  
3. See bar - b'rous na - tions at thy gates at - tend, Walk in thy  
4. The seas shall waste, the skies to smoke de - cay, Rocks fall to

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tow'r - ing head and lift thine eyes; See heav'n its spar - kling  
sons, and daugh - ters yet un - born, In crowd - ing ranks on  
light, and in thy tem - ple bend; See thy bright al - tars  
dust, and moun - tains melt a - way; But fixed His word, His

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por - tals wide dis - play, And break up - on thee in a flood of day.  
eve - ry side a - rise, De - mand - ing life, im - pa - tient for the skies.  
thronged with pros - trate kings, While eve - ry land, its joy - ous trib - ute brings.  
sav - ing pow'r re - mains; Thy realms shall last, thy own Mes - si - ah reigns.

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