

Lux Prima

(1872)

John Stainer

(1840 - 1901)



1. Come, my soul, thou must be waking
Now is breaking over the ear
Come to Him Who made t'
See thou render all thy fee

musicalion

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2. Thou, too, hail the light return
Ready burning be the incense of thy powers;
For the night is safely ended,
God hath tended with His care thy helpless hours.

3. Pray that He may prosper ever
Each endeavor when thine aim is good and true;
But that He may ever thwart thee,
And convert thee, when thou evil wouldst pursue.

ways beholdeth;
that lurks within;
ssed over
each deed of sin.

me's last morrow,
Free from sorrow, pass away in slumber sweet:
And, released from death's dark sadness,
Rise in gladness that far brighter Sun to greet.

6. Only God's free gifts abuse not,
Light refuse not, but His Spirit's voice obey;
Thou with Him shalt dwell, beholding
Light enfolding all things in unclouded day.

Words: Friedrich Rudolf Ludwig Freiherr von Canitz, 1700
(Seele du musst munter werden)
translat-ed from German to English by Henry J. Buckoll, 1838.

Type: Sheet music

Title: [Lux Prima](#)

Composer: [John Stainer](#)

Period: Romantic

Theme: .miscellaneous

Series: Stand Alone Pieces

Difficulty: Leicht bis mittel

Arrangement group: Keyboard instruments solo

Arrangement: Piano

Orchestration: Piano (pianoforte) = Pf(1)

for organ or piano accompaniment of a hymn