

A Minor. "Atlanticus" (Thomas Paine), 1775.

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1. In chariots of light from the regions of day, The Goddess of Lib - er - ty came;
 Ten thousand celestials directed the way, And thither conducted the dame,
D.C. She bro't in her hand, as a pledge of her love, The plant she call'd Liberty Tree.

This fair budding branch, from the garden above,
 Where millions with millions agree;

2. This heav'nly exotic struck deep in the ground, Like native it flourish'd and bore;
 The fame of its fruit drew the nations around, To seek out its peaceable shore.
D.C. With one mind endow'd, they one friendship pursu'd; Their temple was Liberty Tree.

Unmindful of names or distinction they came,
 For freemen like brothers agree: