

BLOOMING WILDERNESS. 11s.

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1. The Prince of sal - va - tion is com - ing, pre - pare A way in the des - er - t his bless - ings to share;

2. His reign shall ex - tend from the east to the west, Com - pos - ing the tu - mults of na - ture to rest;

3. The brute-heart-ed tem - per of man shall grow tame, The wolf and the li - on lie down with the lamb,

He comes to re - lease us from sin and from woes, And bids the rude wil - derness bloom like the rose. rose.

The dayspring of glo - ry il - lu-mine the skies, And ag - es on ag - es of hap - pi-ness rise. rise.

The bear with the kine shall con - tent-ed - ly feed, While chil - dren their young ones in har - mo-ny lead. lead.