



- 1 BLESSED be the Lord God of Israel : for he hath visited and re-  
'deemed his people ;
  - 2 And hath raised up a mighty salvation for us : in the house of his  
'servant David ;
  - 3 As he spake by the mouth of his holy Prophets : which have been  
'since the world began ;
  - 4 That we should be saved from our enemies : and from the hands of  
'all that hate us ;
  - 5 To perform the mercy promised to our forefathers : and to re-  
'member his holy Covenant ;
  - 6 To perform the oath which he swore to our fore-father Abraham : that  
'he would give us ;
  - 7 That we being delivered out of the hand of our enemies : might serve him  
with'out fear ;
  - 8 In holiness and righteousness before him : all the days of our life.
  - 9 And thou Child shalt be called the Prophet of the Highest : for thou  
shalt go before the face of the Lord to prepare his ways ;
  - 10 To give knowledge of salvation unto his people : for the re'mission  
'of their sins,
  - 11 Through the tender mercy of our God : whereby the day-spring  
'from on high hath visited us ;
  - 12 To give light to them that sit in darkness, and in the shadow of death :  
and to guide our feet into the way of peace.
- Glory be to the Father, and to the Son : and to the Holy Ghost ;  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be : world without  
'end A'men.