

# London Gallery Quire 273

Christ is the world's true light

J S Bach (1685-1750)

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[♩=56]

Soprano [Air]

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2. *In Christ all ra - ces meet,* Their an - cient feuds for - get - ting,  
3. One Lord, in one great name U - nite us all who own thee;

Alto

Tenor

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Bass

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Cast out our pride and shame That hin - der to en - throne thee;

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 New life, new hope\_ a - wakes,\_\_\_\_\_ Wher - e'er\_ we own his sway;\_\_\_\_\_   
 When Christ is throned as Lord,\_\_\_\_\_ All shall for - sake their fear,\_\_\_\_\_   
 The world has wait - ed long,\_\_\_\_\_ Has tra - vailed long\_ in pain;\_\_\_\_\_

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 Free - dom her bon - dage breaks,\_\_\_\_\_ And night\_ is turned to day.\_\_\_\_\_   
 To plough - share beat the sword,\_\_\_\_\_ To pru - ning-hook the spear.\_\_\_\_\_   
 To heal its an - cient wrong,\_\_\_\_\_ Come, Prince\_ of peace, and reign.\_\_\_\_\_

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Symphony

□ ▮ show instrumental notes.