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Son of the Lord most high

Henry Lawes (1595-1662)

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[♩=120]

Soprano [Air]

Alto

Tenor

Bass

1. Son of the Lord most high Who gave the worlds their birth, He came to live and
 2. *Born in so low es - tate, Schooled in a work-man's trade, Not with the high and*
 3. Then, when his hour was come, He heard his Fa - ther's call; And, leav - ing friends and
 4. *Toil - ing by night and day, And of - ten bur - dened sore, Where hearts in bon - dage*
 5. O low - ly ma - je - sty, Loft - ly in low - li - ness! Blest Sa - viour, who am

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die The Son of man on earth; In Beth-I'hem's sta - ble born was He, And
great His home the high - est made: But la - b'ring by His bre - thren's side Life's
 home, He gave him - self for all, Glad news to bring, the lost to find, To
lay, Him - self their bur - den bore; Till, scorned by them he died to save, Him -
 I To share thy bles - sed - ness? Yet thou hast called me, e - ven me, Ser -

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hum - bly lived in Ga - li - lee.
com - mon lot He glo - ri - fied.
 heal the sick, the lame, the blind.
self in death, as life, he gave.
 vant di - vine, to fol - low thee.