

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring

Johann Schopp, arranged by Johann Bach, 1723

Je - su, joy of man's de - si - ring, Ho - ly wis - dom, love most bright;
Through the way where hope is guid - ing, Hark, what peace - ful mu - sic rings;

Drawn by Thee, our souls a - spir - ing Soar to un - cre - a - ted light.
Where the flock, in Thee con - fi - ding, Drink of joy from death - less springs.

Word of God, our flesh that fa - shioned, With the fire of life im - pas - sioned,
Theirs is beau - ty's fair - est plea - sure; Theirs is wis - dom's holi - est trea - sure.

Striv - ing still to truth un - known, Soar - ing, dy - ing round Thy throne.
Thou dost e - ver lead Thine own In the love of joys un - known.