O Wisdom! Spreading Mightily
LENZ L. M. with Refrain

1. O Wisdom! spreading mightily
   From out the mouth of God most high,
   All nature sweetly ordering,
   With in Thy paths Thy children bring.
   Draw near, O Christ, with us to dwell,
   In mercy save Thine Israel. Amen.

2. O Israel's Scepter! David's Key!
   Come Thou, and set death's captive free;
   Unlock the gate that bars their road,
   And lead them to the throne of God.
   Draw near, O Christ, with us to dwell,
   In mercy save Thine Israel. Amen.

3. O King! Desire of nations! come,
   Lead sons of earth to heav'n's high home,
   Thou chief and precious Cornerstone,
   Binding the sever'd into one.
   Draw near, O Christ, with us to dwell,
   In mercy save Thine Israel. Amen.

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