

# Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nature

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German melody



1. Fair - est Lord Je - sus, Ru - ler of all na - ture, O thou of  
2. *Fair are the mea - dows, fair - er still the wood - lands, robed in the*  
3. Fair is the sun - shine, fair - er still the moon - light, and all the



God and man the Son; thee will I cher - ish,  
*bloom - ing garb of spring: Je - sus is fair - er,*  
twink - ling, star - ry host: Je - sus shines bright - er,



thee will I hon - or, thou, my soul's glo - ry, joy, and crown.  
*Je - sus is pur - er, who makes the woe - ful heart to sing.*  
Je - sus shines pur - er, than all the an - gels heav'n can boast.

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