# Thou didst leave Thy throne

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Thou didst leave Thy throne and Thy kingly crown, When Thou camest to earth for me; But in Bethlehem's home was there found no room For Thy holy nativity:

Refrain
Oh, come to my heart, Lord Jesus!
There is room in my heart for Thee;
Oh, come to my heart, Lord Jesus, come,
There is room in my heart for Thee.

Heaven's arches rang when the angels sang, Of Thy birth and Thy royal degree; But in lowly birth didst Thou cam'st to earth, And in greatest humility:

### Refrain

Foxes found their rest, and the birds had their nest In the shade of the cedar tree; But Thy couch was the sod, O Thou Son of God, In the deserts of Galilee:

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Thou camest, O Lord, with the living Word That should set Thy people free; But with mocking and scorn, and with crown of thorn, Didst they bear Thee to Calvary:

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Heaven's arches shall ring, and its choirs shall sing At Thy coming to victory, Thou wilt call me home, saying, "Yet there is room, There is room at My side for thee!"

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