

Orientis Reges Tres

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Reges: 1. Or - ri - en - tis reg - ges tres pro - cul do - na por - tan - tes
Melchior: 2. In - fans na - te Beth - le - hem, por - ta - mus hanc cor - o - nam,
Caspar: 3. Tus Sa - bæ - um ti - bi fe - rom Tus di - gnum mag - no De - o;
Balthazar: 4. Myrrh am - ar - am de - fe - ro; cir - cum te fu - mat cal - i - go,

1. per cam - pos et mon - tes i - mus, stell(am) il - lam se - quen - tes.
 2. Rex æ - ter - ne, sem - pi - ter - ne, Do - mi - ne ter - ra - rum
 3. Te lau - dan - tes et or - an - tes col - i - mus in cæ - lo.
 4. Te lan - guen - tem et ge - men - tem, con - di(tum) in tu - mu - lo.

O____ stel - la po - tens et mi - ra, stel - la re - ga - lis pul - chra,

sem - per mov - ens ad oc - cas - um duc nos ad cla - ram lu - cem.

1.

We three kings of Orient are
Bearing gifts, we traverse afar.
Field and fountain, moor and
mountain,
Following yonder star.

Chorus

O Star of Wonder, Star of Night,
Star with Royal Beauty bright,
Westward leading, Still
proceeding,
Guide us to Thy perfect Light.

2.

Born a King on Bethlehem plain,
Gold I bring to crown Him again,
King forever, ceasing never
Over us all to reign.

3.

Frankincense to offer have I;
Incense owns a Deity nigh:
Prayer and praising all men
raising,
Worship Him God on high.

4.

Myrrh is mine; it's bitter
perfume;
Breathes a life of gathering
gloom:
Sorrowing, sighing, bleeding,
dying,
Sealed in the stone-cold tomb.