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For S.A.T.B. Voices and Piano Accompaniment

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John Wyeth's *Repository*  
of Sacred Music, 1813

Excitedly (♩ = c. 82)

Piano

*mp* *sim.*

4

8

11

S.A. Unison *mf*

Come, thou long - ex - pect - ed

T.B. Unison *mf*

*mf*

The musical score is arranged in systems. The first system shows the piano introduction in 3/4 time, marked 'Excitedly' with a tempo of approximately 82 beats per minute. The piano part features a melody in the right hand with accents and a bass line in the left hand. The second system continues the piano accompaniment. The third system shows the piano accompaniment with a key signature change to one flat. The fourth system begins the vocal entry for Soprano and Alto (S.A.) Unison, marked 'mf', with the lyrics 'Come, thou long - ex - pect - ed'. Below this, the Tenor and Bass (T.B.) Unison part is shown, also marked 'mf'. The piano accompaniment continues below the vocal parts, marked 'mf'.

14

Je - sus, born to set thy peo - ple free; from our fears and sins re -

18

lease us; let us find our rest in thee.

21

Is - rael's strength and con - so - la - tion, hope of -



34

of the world;

of the world; come to

37

come, we pray, we pray.

us, we pray.

40

Je - sus, en - ter

Cast our sin and en - ter

in; come to -  
 in; come to us to -

*poco rit.* S.A. *f* *a tempo*  
 day. Born thy peo - ple to de -  
 day. *(end solo)* T.B. *f*

*poco rit.* *f* *a tempo*

8<sup>vb</sup>

liv - er, born a child, and yet a king, born to reign in us for -

53

ev - er, now thy gra - cious king - dom bring. — By thine —

56

own e - ter - nal spir - it rule in - all our hearts a - lone;

60

*poco rit. ff* by thine all - suf - fi - cient mer - it, raise us *a tempo*

*poco rit. ff* *a tempo*



to thy glo - rious throne! Come, —

*mf*

Je - sus, come, — Je - sus.

*mf*

Lord Je - sus, Lord Je - sus.

*dim. e rall. poco a poco*

Lord, we pray.

*p*

