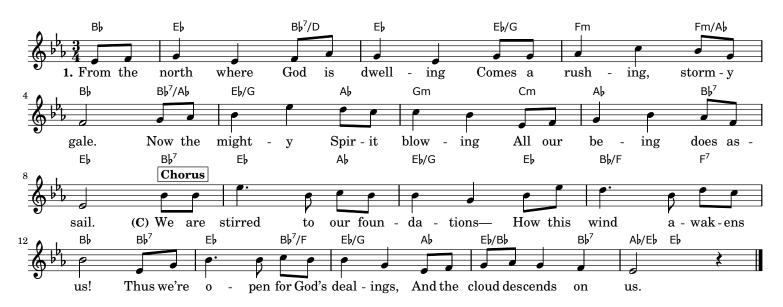
From the north where God is dwelling

Experience of God — As the Wind, Cloud, Fire, and Electrum

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- 2. With the cloud we have His presence Sweetly hov'ring over us; So enveloped by His nearness; In the Lord we put our trust. But the cloud brings with it fire To consume our selfish lusts; That as ashes something higher May be added into us.
- 3. Then from out the flashing fire
 Comes th' electrum glowing bright.
 God as gold and man as silver
 Now are mingled. What a sight!
 This bright metal, O Lord Jesus,
 Is Thyself, Lamb-God sublime.
 O Lord, work Thyself within us
 Till th' electrum in us shines.
- 4. By our passing through this cycle,
 Living creatures we become
 To express the life of Jesus;
 He with whom we've been made one.
 We express Him as a human,
 As a man so good and fine;
 Balanced, normal, never striving;
 Fully human, yet divine.

- 5. We express Him as a lion
 Conquering every enemy;
 As an ox obedient, lowly,
 Faithful in His ministry.
 We express Him as an eagle,
 So transcendent, soaring high;
 Never held by fear or flatter,
 He above it all does fly.
- 6. Hallelujah! What a figure
 Of the way God deals with us!
 From the wind, cloud, fire, electrum,
 To the creatures glorious:
 As the man, the ox and lion,
 As the eagle—all the four
 Will be our complete expression
 As we eat Him more and more.