1. O Lord, when you were shown in your glory,
2. There with you on the mount in witness
3. There, too, came Moses and Elijah,
4. O Christ, the light, all lights outshining,

Tabor became like heaven that day.
Were Peter, James, and John, who came
Witnesses to your coming death,
Call us from sin to follow you,

A cloud of dazzling brightness came o'er you;
To see you there in transfigured splendor,
Thus testifying, Law and Prophets,
That we, transfigured by our Baptism,

Then came the Father's voice, heard to say:
Giving them strength to spread your Name.
Of your great love, to your last breath.
May in our lives be ever true.

This is my Son, in whom I rejoice!
Listen to him! Make him your heart's own choice!

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