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Hosanna to the Son of David! Hosanna in the highest! Matthew 21:9

1. "Ho - san - na, loud ho - san - na," The lit - tle chil - dren sang;
 2. From Ol - i - vet they fol - lowed 'Mid an ex - ul - tant crowd,
 3. "Ho - san - na in the high - est!" That an - cient song we sing,

Thro' pil - lared court and tem - ple The love - ly an - them rang;
 The vic - tor palm branch wav - ing And chant - ing clear and loud;
 For Christ is our Re - deem - er, The Lord of heav'n, our King;

To Je - sus, who had blessed them Close fold - ed to His breast,
 The Lord of earth and heav - en Rode on in low - ly state,
 O may we ev - er praise Him With heart and life and voice,

The chil - dren sang their prais - es, The sim - plest and the best.
 Nor scorned that lit - tle chil - dren Should on His bid - ding wait.
 And in His bliss - ful pres - ence E - ter - nal - ly re - joice!

TEXT: Jenette Threlfall; based on Matthew 21:15,16
 MUSIC: From *Gesangbuch der Herzog, Württemberg, 1784*
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