

GOOD CHRISTIAN FRIENDS, REJOICE

F C/F B♭ F C

1-3. Good Chris - tian friends, re - joice, _____ With heart and soul and voice; _____

F C F Dm Gm7 C F

1. Give ye heed to what we say: Je - sus Christ is born to - day!
 2. Now ye hear of end - less bliss; Je - sus Christ was born for this!
 3. Now ye need not fear the grave; Je - sus Christ was born to save!

C F Dm Gm7 C Dm F

1. Ox and ass be - fore him bow, And he is in the man - ger now.
 2. He has o - pened heav - en's door, And we are blest for ev - er - more.
 3. Calls you one and calls you all, To gain his ev - er - last - ing hall.

Dm A7 Dm C F C F

1. Christ is born to - day! _____ Christ is born to - day! _____
 2. Christ was born for this! _____ Christ was born for this! _____
 3. Christ was born to save! _____ Christ was born to save! _____

Note: When guitar and keyboard play together, keyboardists should improvise using the guitar chords above the melody.

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 Music: IN DULCI JUBILO; J. Klug's *Geistliche Lieder*, Wittenberg, 1535; arr. adapt. fr. John Stainer, 1840-1901.