

# All my heart this night rejoices

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The musical score is written for Soprano (S.), Alto (A.), and Men's voices. It consists of three systems of music. Each system has a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is common time (C). The lyrics are: "All my heart this night re - joi - ces, as I hear, far and near, swee - test a - ngel voi - ces 'Christ is born' their choirs are si - nging. till the air e - 'vry - where now with joy is ri - nging."

2. Hark ! a voice from yonder manger,  
Soft and sweet,  
Doth entreat,  
"Flee from woe and danger;  
Bretheren, come, from all doth grieve you  
You are freed,  
All you need  
I will surely give you."

small notes for  
2nd soprano  
ad lib

3. Come then, let us hasten yonder;  
Here let all,  
Great and small,  
Kneel in awe and wonder.  
Love him who with love is yearning;  
Hail the star  
That from far  
Bright with hope is burning.

4. Thee, dear Lord, with heed I'll cherish,  
Live to thee,  
And with thee  
Dying, shall not perish;  
But shall dwell with thee for ever,  
Far on high,  
In the joy  
That can alter never.

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# How Far is it to Bethlehem?

English Traditional

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1

How far to Beth - le - hem, how far to Beth - le - hem?

How far to Beth - le - hem, how far, how far?

How far to Beth - le - hem, how far to Beth - le - hem?

9

1. How far is it to Beth - le - hem? Not ve - ry far. Shall we find a sta - ble room  
2. May we stroke the crea - tures there, ox, ass, or sheep? May we peep like them and see

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16

lit by a star? Can we see the lit - tle child, is he with - in? If we lift the  
Jes - us a - sleep? If we touch his ti - ny hand, will he a - wake? Will he know that we've

lit by a star? Can we see the lit - tle child, is he with - in? If we lift the  
Jes - us a - sleep? If we touch his ti - ny hand, will he a - wake? Will he know that we've

23

wood - en latch may we go in? O, how far? 3. Great kings have  
come so far just for his sake?

wood - en latch may we go in? How far to Beth - le - hem? 3. Great kings have  
come so far just for his sake?

32

pre - cious gifts, and we have naught, lit - tle smiles and lit - tle tears are all we brought. For  
 pre - cious gifts, and we have naught, lit - tle smiles and lit - tle tears are all we brought. For

39

all wea - ry chil - dren Ma - ry must weep. And here on his bed of straw, sleep, chil - dren,  
 all wea - ry chil - dren Ma - ry must weep. And here on his bed of straw, sleep, chil - dren,

46

sleep. How far to Beth - le - hem? Ah, \_\_\_\_\_  
 sleep. How far, how far? Ah, \_\_\_\_\_  
 O, how far to Beth - le - hem? 4. And God in his mo - ther's arms, babes in the

55

ah, \_\_\_\_\_ ah, \_\_\_\_\_  
 ah, \_\_\_\_\_ ah, \_\_\_\_\_  
 byre, they sleep, as they sleep who find their life's de - sire. How far is it to Beth - le - hem?

62

ah, Yes, lit,  
ah, Lit  
Not ve - ry far. Shall we find a sta - ble room lit by a star? Ah, \_\_\_

69

by a star? Ah, \_\_\_  
by a star, a star. Ah, \_\_\_  
Shall we find a sta - ble room lit by a star?

### Ring Out the Christmas Bell

76

1  
Ring out the Christ - mas bell, ring out and tell that  
born is the Christ child so meek and so mild. Ding  
3  
dong, ding dong, ding dong, ding dong.

### What Sweeter Music can We Bring?

80

1  
What sweet - er mu - sic can we bring  
2  
than a car - ol, for to sing  
3  
of the birth of our heav'n - ly King?

in Bethlehem City  
English or Irish Traditional  
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Ah, \_\_\_\_\_

1. SA: In  
2. Full: And  
3. Men: And

In Beth - le - hem ci - ty on that day;

6

Beth - le - hem ci - ty on Christ - mas day morn, Lord, in a bare  
thou, whom an - ge - ic - al troops ay sur - round, by cer - tain poor  
at the same sea - son, be - hold from a - far there fared un - to

11

ca - ven thou would - est be born: and thou, who for throne hast the  
herds - men didst deign to be found, and this, of thy good - ness, to  
Beth - le - hem, led by a star, three prin - ces of Sa - ba, who

16

hea - ven on high, wast fain in a ship - pon 'mid ox - en to lie.  
res - cue our race: so sing we, "All glo - ry, and thanks for thy grace."  
knew by that sign that born u - pon earth was a Mon - arc di - vine.

Before verses 3 & 4

22 Ah, \_\_\_\_\_

A: In Beth - le - hem ci - ty on that day;

Ah, \_\_\_\_\_

27 Ah, \_\_\_\_\_

4. Choice trea - sure they bare thee, myrrh in - cense and gold: and

Ah, \_\_\_\_\_

32 ah, \_\_\_\_\_ ah, \_\_\_\_\_

though thou wert crad - led 'mid beasts of the fold, they knelt, for they

ah, \_\_\_\_\_ ah, \_\_\_\_\_

37 \_\_\_\_\_ the Son of the Fa - ther the An - cient of days.

\_\_\_\_\_ the Son of the Fa - ther the An - cient of days.

saw, when they ren - der'd the praise, the Son of the Fa - ther, the An - cient of days.

# Little Jesus, Sweetly Sleep

Czech Traditional

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1

Ah, ah, 1. Lit - tle Jes - us,  
Ah, ah, 2. Ma - ry's lit - tle

6

sweet - ly sleep, do not stir; we will lend a coat of fur.  
ba - by sleep, sweet - ly sleep, sleep in com - fort, slum - ber deep.

10

We will rock you, rock you, rock you, we will rock you rock you, rock you.  
1 & 2: Rock you. Rock you.

14

See the fur to keep you warm, snug - ly round your ti - ny form.  
2. We will serve you all we can, dar - ling, dar - ling lit - tle man,

18

Ah, ah,

3. Lit - tle Jes - us, sweet - ly sleep, do not stir, we will lend a

22

ah, ah, ah,

coat of fur. We will rock you, rock you, rock you, we will rock you, rock you, rock you.

27

ah,

See the fur to keep you warm, snug - ly round your lit - tle form.



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When she to

*p* Sweet was the song the vir - gin sung, When she to Beth -

When she to Beth - lem

5

Beth - lem Ju - da came, lem, to Beth - lem came, and was de - liv - er'd of a Son, that

came, to Beth - lem came, and was de - liv - er'd of a Son, a Son,

9

That bless - ed Je - sus hath to name. Lul - la, lul - la

bless - ed Je - sus hath to name. *pp* Lul - la,

that bless - ed Je - sus hath to name.

13

lu - la, lu - la - by, Lul - la, lul - la, lul - la, lu - la - by, sweet Babe, sang

lul - la - by, lul - la, lul - la, lu - la - by sang she,

lul - la - by, lul - la, lul - la - by sang

17 she, My Son, and eke a Sa - viour born, *p* Who hast vouch -

My Son, and eke a Sa - viour born, Who hast vouch - saf - ed from on

she, My Son, and eke a Sa - viour born, Who hast vouch -

21 saf - ed from on high to vis - it us that wer for -

high, from on high to vis - it us that were for - lorn, for -

saf - ed from on high to vis - it us, to vis - it us, for -

25 orn; lul - la, lul - la, la - lul - la - by, sweet babe, sang

lorn; lul - la, la - lul - la, la - lul - la - by, sweet babe, sang

lorn; La - lul - la, lul - la, sweet babe, sang

29 she, and rock'd Him sweet - - ly on her knee.

she and rock'd him, and rock'd him on her knee.

she, and rock'd him, rock'd him sweet - ly on her knee.

# Mary's Boy Child

Jester Hairston

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1

1. Long time a - go in Beth - le - hem, so the ho - ly bi - ble say, Ma - ry's boy child,  
(2). Shep - herds watch'd their flocks by night and saw a bright new star, and heard a choir sing  
4. By and by they find a nook in a sta - ble all for - lorn, and in a man - ger,

6

Jes - us Christ was born on Christ - mas Day.  
in the sky the mus - ic came from a - far. 1.,2 Hark, now hear the an - gels sing, "A  
cold and dark, there Ma - ry's boy was born.

Jes - us Christ was born on Christ - mas Day.  
in the sky, the mus - ic came from a - far Hark now hear the an - gels sing, "A  
cold and dark, there Mar - ry's boy was born.

11

*Fine*

newborn king to day, and man will live for ev - er - more, be - cause of Chrst - mas Day 2. When  
newborn king to day, — and man will live for ev - er - more, be - cause of Christ - mas Day. 2. When

17

4.

Day, Christ - mas Day. O, hark, now hear \_\_\_\_\_ the

Day. 3. Now, Jo - seph and his wife, Ma - ry came to Beth - le - hem that

Day, Christ - mas day. O, hark, now hear - the

21

an - gels sing. O. hark, now hear them

night and found no place to bear the child, not a sin - gle room was in

an - gels sing. O. hark, now hear them

25

sing. So long a - go in Beth - le - hem, in

sight. Hark, now hear the an - gels sing, "A new-born king to - day. And

sing. Hark, now hear the an - gles sing, "A new-born king to day. and

30

*D.C. al Fine*

Beth - le - hem, in Beth - le - hem. So hem.

man shall live fore ev - er - more, be - cause of Christ - mas day. day. \_\_\_\_\_

man shall live for ev - er - more, be - cause of Christ - mas day. Day.

# The Great God of Heaven

English Traditional

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1

Ah, \_\_\_\_\_ ah, \_\_\_\_\_

Ah, \_\_\_\_\_ ah, \_\_\_\_\_

9

1. The great God of hea - ven is come down to earth, his mo - ther a

3. Lo, here is Em - man - u - el, here is the child, the Son that was

15

vir - gin, and sin - less his birth; the Fa - ther e - ter - nal his

prom - is'd to Ma - ry so mild; whose pow'r and do - mi - nion shall

20

Fa - ther a - lone: he sleeps in the man - ger; he reigns on the

ev - er in - crease, the Prince that shall rule o'er a king - dom of

25

throne. Then let us a - dore him, and praise his great love, to

peace. Then etc.

30

save us poor sin - ners he came from a - bove. Ah, 1.

Ah,

Go to verse 2

Go to verse 4

35

ah, 2.

ah, Ah,

46

In dul - ci ju - bi -

2. A babe on the breast of a maid - en he lies, yet

4. The won - der - ful coun - sel - lor, bound - less in might, the

In dul - ci ju - bi -

51

lo! Ju - bi - lo! In

sits with his Fa - ther on high in the skies; be - fore him their

Fa - ther's own i - mage, the beam of his light; be - hold him now

lo! Ju - bi - lo!

56

dul-ci ju - bi - lo! In dul-ci ju - bi - lo  
 fac - es the se - ra - phim hide, while Jo - seph stands wai - ting, un -  
 wear- ing the like - ness of man, weak, help - less and speech- less, in

In dul-ci ju - bi - lo! In dul-ci ju - bi - lo, in

61

In ju - bi - lo! In dul-ci ju - bi - lo, in  
 scar'd by his side. Then let us a - dore him and praise his great  
 mea- sure a span. Then etc.

dul - ci ju - bi - lo, In dul-ci ju - bi -

66

**2nd time to verse 5**

dul - ci ju - bi - lo, ju - bi - lo!  
 love, to save us poor sin - ners he came from a - bove.

lo, in dul - ci ju - bi - lo, ju - bi - lo!

71

**Go to verse 3**

Ah, Ah,

76

5. O,

Ah, ah,  
 Ah, ah,

won - der of won - ders, which none can un - fold: the An - cient of

81

days is an hour or two old; the Ma - ker of all things is

86

made of the earth, man is wor - shipp'd by an - gels, and God comes to

91

earth. Then let us a - dore him, and praise his great love; to

96

save us poor sin - ners he came from a - bove.