

While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks



1 While shep - herds watched their flocks by night, all
2 "Fear not," said he— for might - y dread had
3 "To you, in Da - vid's town, this day is
4 "The heav - enly babe you there shall find to



seat - ed on the ground, an an - gel of the
seized their trou - bled mind— "glad ti - dings of great
born of Da - vid's line a Sav - ior who is
hu - man view dis played, all sim - ply wrapped in



Lord came down, and glo - ry shone a - round.
joy I bring to you and all man-kind.
Christ the Lord; and this shall be the sign:
swad - dling clothes and in a man - ger laid."

5 Thus spoke the angel. Suddenly
appeared a shining throng
of angels praising God, who thus
addressed their joyful song:

6 "All glory be to God on high,
and to the earth be peace;
to those on whom his favor rests
goodwill shall never cease."