

Christmas

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Th'Al - might - ty spake, and Ga - briel sped, Up - borne on wings of

The first system of the musical score is in G major (one sharp) and common time. It features a vocal line with lyrics, a piano accompaniment, and a bass line. The vocal line begins with a whole rest followed by a quarter note, then continues with a melody. The piano accompaniment consists of whole rests. The bass line starts with a whole note chord and continues with a simple harmonic accompaniment.

5
light, Je - ho-vah's glo - ry round him spread, And chang'd, to day, the night.

The second system of the musical score continues the melody from the first system. It includes a vocal line with lyrics, a piano accompaniment, and a bass line. The vocal line has a melodic line with lyrics. The piano accompaniment has whole rests. The bass line continues the harmonic accompaniment.

9
p Swift dwon to earth th'arch an - gel flew, From God's e ter - nal throne; His

The third system of the musical score continues the melody. It includes a vocal line with lyrics, a piano accompaniment, and a bass line. The vocal line has a melodic line with lyrics. The piano accompaniment has whole rests. The bass line continues the harmonic accompaniment. The system ends with a piano (*p*) dynamic marking.

13

shin-ing robe of rain-bow hue, The stars, moon, sun out shone.

17 **Andante**

p
One

mf
Ten thou - sand thou - sand left the sky, To catch sal - va-tion's sound;

mf *p*

20

note of peace was heard on high, Glad tid - ings roll'd a - round. *mf*

mf
Shout,

mf *mf*

25

shout, for joy' re - joice, O earth, All hail, All hail, this

31

glo - rious morn, Re - joice! re-joice in Je - sus' birth, To - day are na - tions

35

And
born From Zi-on's hill to worlds a - bove Re - ec - ho back the strain,

39

Gol - den harps, a - ttun'd to love, Thuswep E - phra-tah's plain.

He

42

f comes! He comes! The Sav-ior God. *p* Good will, *f* peace, peace, *f* joy for men.

47

Glad ti-dings shout to all a - broaud, a - men, a - men, a - men, a - men.