

Shepherd's Christmas Song

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Austrian Folksong
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Comodo (♩ = c.88)

SOPRANO
ALTO
TENOR
BASS

Shep - herds now go we to

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Organ

Comodo (♩ = c.88)

6

S.
A.
T.
B.

yon fair Beth-le-hemtown, To us the an - gels from hea- ven have come

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Org.

11

S. *f*
down, Told a sweet sto - ry that there in low - ly stall,

A. *f*

T. *f*
down, Told a sweet sto - ry that there in low - ly stall,

B. *f*

Org. *f*



16

S. *p*
Lies the child Je - sus, the dear Lord of us all.

A. *p*

T. *p*
Lies the child Je - sus, the dear Lord of us all.

B. *p*

Org. *p* *mf*

21

S. *mf*
Come to earth has He, God's love to us to

A. *mf*
Come to earth has He, God's love to us to

T. *mf div.*
Come to earth has He, God's love to us to

B. *mf div.*
Come to earth has He, God's love to us to

Org.



26

S. show Strong men and weak, rich and poor its joy may know.

A. show Strong men and weak, rich and poor its joy may know.

T. show Strong men and weak, rich and poor its joy may know.

B. show, Strong men and weak, rich and poor its joy may know.

Org.

31

f *p*

S. Kings now and shep - herds ad - vance where He_ doth lie, Lit - tle Lord

A. Kings now and shep - herds ad - vance where He_ doth lie, Lit - tle Lord

T. Kings now and shep - herds ad - vance where He_ doth lie, Lit - tle Lord

B. Kings now and shep - herds ad - vance where He_ doth lie, Lit - tle Lord

Org.

36

Poco rit. *a tempo*

S. Je - sus, who came down from the_ sky.

A. Je - sus, who came down from the_ sky.

T. Je - sus, who came down from the_ sky.

B. Je - sus, who came down from the_ sky.

Fl.

Hp.

Poco rit. *a tempo*

Org.

If organ alone is used, left hand (with super-octave coupler)
right hand flute

41 *solo* *p*

S. En - ter we soft lest the ba - by_ be a - sleep,

Fl. *p*

Hp.

Org.

46 *sempre p*

S. An - gels from heav - en their watch o'er Him do_ keep, Ma - ry His

Fl.

Hp.

Org.

S. moth - er sweet lul - la - by_ doth sing. We hear, I fear me, scant

Fl.

Hp.

Org.

56 *rit.* *mf* *a tempo*

S. tri - bute for a king. A - ges have passed since on

A. *mf*

T. *Div. mf* A - ges have passed since on

B. *Div. mf* A - ges have passed since on

Fl.

Hp. *mf* *mf*

Org. *rit.* *a tempo* *mf*

60

S. *f*
that first_Christ- mas_ Day Shep - herds went sing - ing their

A. *f*

T. *f*
that first_Christ- mas_ Day Shep - herds went sing - ing their

B. *f*
that first Christ-mas Day Shep-herds went sing-ing their

Fl.

Hp.

Org.

64

S. *f*
sweet ten - der lay; Yet sing we Christ's love to

A. *f*

T. *f*
sweet ten - der lay; Yet sing we Christ's love to

B. *f*
sweet ten - der lay;

Fl.

Hp.

Org.

molto meno mosso

68

rit.

pp

S. *pp*
 all His lit - tle ones_ poor, And by the man - ger kneel

A. *pp*

T. *pp*
 all His lit - tle ones_ poor, And by the man - ger kneel

B. *pp*

Fl.

Hp. *pp*

Org. *rit.* **molto meno mosso** *pp*

72 *molto rit.* . . . *a tempo* *rit.*

S. down and a - dore.

A.

T. down and a - dore.

B.

Fl. *pp*

Hp. *pp*

Org. *pp*