

This day Christ was born

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Soprano I This day Christ was_ born, Christ was_ born, Christ was_ born,

Soprano II This day Christ was_ born.

Alto I This day Christ was_ born, Christ was_ born, Christ was_

Alto II This day Christ was_ born, Christ was_ born,

Tenor This day Christ was born,

Bass This day Christ

S this day Christ was_ born. This day our Sa - viour

was_ born, Christ was born. This day our Sa - viour did

A born, Christ was born. This day our Sa - viour did

Christ was_ born. This day our Sa - viour did ap -

T this day Christ was_ born. This day our Sa - viour did ap -

B was_ born, Christ was born. This day our Sa - viour did ap -

S did ap - pear. This day the an - gels sing in earth.

A ap-pear, did ap-pear. This day the an-

A ap - pear. This day the an-gels sing in earth, the an - gels sing in

T pear, did ap-pear. This day the an-gels sing in earth, this day

B pear, ap - pear. This

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S this day the an - gels sing in

A gels do sing in earth, sing in earth.

A earth, in earth, the an - gels sing in

T sing in earth, the an - gels sing in earth, the an - gels sing in

B the an - gels sing in earth, in

S { The arch-an-gels are glad, _____ are _____ glad, the arch -
 the arch-an - gels, the arch-an-gels are

A { glad, the arch - an -
 an-gels are glad, are glad, the arch - an-gels are_ glad, are

T { are glad, the arch - an-gels are glad, are glad, the arch -
 are glad, the arch-an-gels are glad, are glad,

B { - the arch-an-gels are glad, _____ are glad, _____

Soprano (S): an - gels are glad, are glad, the arch - an - gels are glad, are glad.
Alto (A): glad, _____ are glad, the arch-an-gels are glad.
Tenor (T): gels, the arch-an - gels are__ glad, are glad, are
Bass (B): glad, are glad, are glad, are glad, are glad.
Tenor (T): are glad, are glad, are glad, are glad.
Bass (B): are glad, _____ are glad, are glad.

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S this day the just rejoice, _____ the just rejoice.

A this day the just re-_____ joice, re -

A the just rejoice, re - joyce, _____ this day the just re - joyce, re -

T re - joyce, _____ this day the just re - joyce, re -

T the just rejoice, the just re - joyce, the just re - joyce, re -

B the just rejoice, _____ the just re - joyce, _____ the just re -

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S re - joyce, _____ say - ing, say - ing:

A joyce, _____ say - ing, say - ing. say - ing:

A joyce, _____ say - ing, say -

T joyce, re - joyce, say - ing, say - ing,

T joyce, re - joyce, say - ing, say - ing,

B joyce, re - joyce, say - ing, say - - ing:

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S Glory be to God on high, glo - ry be to God on high,
 Glo - ry be to God on high, to God on
A ing: Glo - ry be to God on high, glo - ry
 say- ing: Glo - ry be to God on high,
T say - ing: Glo - ry be to God, glo - ry be to God
B - - - - - - -
 Glo - ry be to God on

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S glo-ry be to God on high, to God on high, on
 high, to God on high,
A be to God on high, on high, glo- - ry be to
 glo - ry be to God on high, to God on high, glo - ry
T on high, on high, on high, glo -
B high, on high, glo - ry be to God on high,

S { high, glo - ry be to God on high, on
 glo - ry be to God on high, glo - ry be to God on high,
 A { God, glo - ry be to God on high, to God on high, to
 be to God on high, glo - ry be to God on high,
 T { 8 ry be to God on high, glo - ry be to God
 B { to God on high, to God on high, to God on high,

S { high, on high. Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,
 A } on high, on high. Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,
 God on high, on high. Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,
 glo - ry be to God on high, on high. Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,
 T on high. Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,
 B to God on high. Al - e - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

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S Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,
Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

A Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,
Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

T Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

B Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

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S ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,
Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

A ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,
lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

T ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

B Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,