

shep-herd boy pi - ping On the way to Beth - le - hem...
hills so lone - ly On the way to Beth - le - hem?

p

legato
A *mf* An - gels in the sky

An - gels

legato
A *mf*

brought this mes - sage nigh: (♩ = ♩) 'Dance and sing for joy that

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Christ the new-born King is come to bring us peace on—
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earth, *dim.* and he's ly - ing — *p non stacc.* cra-dled there at Beth - le - hem.' —
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B 1st time 2nd time
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C
mp dolce e legato

S. 3. 'None may hear my pipes on these hills so lone - ly

A. *p*
Ah

T. *p*
Ah

B. *Piano* *p*
Ah

On the way to Beth - le - hem; — But a King will hear me —

Ah *Ah*

Ah *Ah*

Ah

play sweet lul - la - bies When I get to Beth - le - hem.

cresc. *Ah* *cresc.* *Ah* *cresc.* *Ah* *cresc.*

D *mp*

Ah

Hov - ered o'er the

mp *dim.* *p*

Ah

mf legato *p*

An - gels in the sky came down from on high, Ah

mp *dim.* *p*

Ah Ah

D *p*

8ve

man - ger where the babe was ly - ing cra-dled in the arms of his

Ah

Ah

Ah

8ve

The image shows a musical score for 'Shepherd's Pipe Carol'. It features four vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The vocal parts are in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The lyrics are: 'mo - ther Ma - ry, sleep - ing now at Beth - le - hem.' The score includes dynamic markings such as *dim.* (diminuendo) and *pp* (pianissimo). The piano part includes a section marked '(8ve)' (octave) and 'loco' (ad libitum). The score is presented on a single page with a dashed line indicating a continuation on the next page.

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TENORS and BASSES *mf crisply*

4. 'Where is this new King, shep-herd

8ve

mf

mp

tr

Andante

Rehearsal

** Rehearsal*

boy pi-ping mer-ri - ly, Is he there at Beth - le - hem? -

(8ve) -

mp

tr

mp

3rd

mf

'I will find him soon by the star shi-ning bright - ly

(8ve) *tr*

mf

f

mf

f

In the sky o'er Beth - le - hem.

An - gels in the sky

An - gels

(8ve)

f

brought this mes - sage nigh: Dance and sing for

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8ve

joy that Christ the new-born King is

joy that Christ the King is

(8ve)

come to bring us peace on earth, and he's ly - ing

come to bring us peace on earth, and he's ly - ing

(8ve)

tr

mf

dim.

cra-dled there at Beth - le - hem.

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(8ve)

mp

mf

F *mf*

5. 'May I come with you, shep-herd boy pi - ping mer - ri - ly,

mf **F**
legato

Come with you to Beth - le - hem?—

mp *mf*

Pay my hom-age too at the new King's cra - dle,

Detached

Is it far to Beth - le - hem?

mp

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leg.

G *f* An - gels in the sky brought this mes - sage night. 'Dance and

An - gels brought this mes - sage: 'Dance and

G *f* 8ve -

sing for joy that Christ the in - fant King is

sing for joy that Christ the King is

(8ve) - loco *mf*

dim.

dim.

born this night in low - ly sta - ble yon - der,

mp

H *p* *rit.*

Born for you at Beth - le - hem.

p

H *p* *8ve* *rit.* *ff*

rit.

ff

rit.