

# O Holy Night

Based on a poem by:  
Placide Cappeau (1808-1877)  
English words by:  
John Sullivan Dwight (1813 - 1893)

Adolphe Adam (1803-1856)

Arranged by:  
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Andante Maestoso  
Tempo = 85

The musical score is arranged in three systems. The first system includes a Bass line and a Piano accompaniment. The second system includes a Bass line, a Piano accompaniment, and a Soprano (S) and Alto (A) vocal line. The third system includes a Soprano (S) and Alto (A) vocal line and a Piano accompaniment. The score is in 12/8 time and B-flat major. The lyrics are: "O ho - ly night! the stars are bright - ly shin - ing, It is the night of the dear Sav - ior's birth; Long lay the world in sin and er - ror pin - ing, Till He ap -".

**Bass**

O ho - ly night! the stars are bright - ly

**Piano**

**B**

shin - ing, It is the night of the dear Sav - ior's birth;

**Pno.**

**S**

Long lay the world in sin and er - ror pin - ing, Till He ap -

**A**

Long lay the world in sin and er - ror pin - ing, Till He ap -

**Pno.**

10

S  
peared and the soul felt its worth.

A  
peared and the soul felt its worth.

B  
A thrill of hope the

Pno.  
10 Dm A7 Dm F7

13

S  
For yon - der breaks a new and glo - rious morn; \_\_\_\_\_

A  
For yon - der breaks a new and glo - rious morn; \_\_\_\_\_

B  
wea - ry world re - joi - ces,

Pno.  
13 Bb F7 Bb

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16

S  
Fall \_\_\_\_\_ on your knees, \_\_\_\_\_ Oh, hear \_\_\_\_\_ the an - gel

A  
Fall \_\_\_\_\_ on your knees, \_\_\_\_\_ Oh, hear \_\_\_\_\_ the an - gel

B  
Fall \_\_\_\_\_ on your knees, \_\_\_\_\_ Oh, hear \_\_\_\_\_ the an - gel

Pno.

16

Gm Dm Cm

19

S  
voi - ces! O night \_\_\_\_\_ di - vine, \_\_\_\_\_

A  
voi - ces! O night \_\_\_\_\_ di - vine, night di - vine, O \_\_\_\_\_

B  
voi - ces! O night \_\_\_\_\_ di - vine, night di - vine,

Pno.

19

Gm Bb/F F 7/Eb Bb/D Eb

22

S  
O night when Christ was born! O night, O

A  
night when Christ was born! O night, O

B  
O night when Christ was born! O night, O

Pno.

B $\flat$ /F F7 B $\flat$  F F7/E $\flat$

25

S  
ho - ly night, O night di - vine!

A  
ho - ly night, O night di - vine!

B  
ho - ly night, O night di - vine!

Pno.

B $\flat$  C m/E $\flat$  B $\flat$ /F F7 B $\flat$

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S Tru - ly He taught us to love one an - o - ther; His law is

Pno. Eb Bb

31

S love, and His Gos - pel is Peace.

A and His Gos - pel is Peace. Chains,

B and His Gos - pel is Peace. Chains shall He

Pno. Bb/F F 7 Bb

34

A chains shall He break for the slave is our, is our bro - ther, \_\_\_\_\_

B break, For the slave is our bro - ther, And in His

Pno. Eb Bb Bb7

36

S  
Sweet

A  
And in His name all op - pres - sion shall cease.

B  
name all op - pres - sion shall cease. All op - pres - sion shall cease. —

Pno.  
36 Dm A7 Dm

38

S  
hymns of joy in grate - ful cho - rus raise we, Let all with-in us

A  
Let all with - in us

Pno.  
38 F7 Bb F7

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S  
praise His Ho - ly name. \_\_\_\_\_ Christ \_\_\_\_\_ is the Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ then

A  
praise His ho - ly name. \_\_\_\_\_ Christ \_\_\_\_\_ is the Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ then

B  
Christ \_\_\_\_\_ is the Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ then

Pno.

41

Bb

Gm

Dm

44

S  
ev - er, ev - er praise we, His pow'r \_\_\_\_\_ and

A  
ev - er, ev - er praise we, His pow'r \_\_\_\_\_ and

B  
ev - er, ev - er praise we, His pow'r \_\_\_\_\_ and

Pno.

44

Cm

Gm

Bb/F

F 7/Eb

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47

S  
glo - ry ev - er - more pro - claim, \_\_\_\_\_ His

A  
glo - ry, glo - ry \_\_\_\_\_ ev - er - more pro - claim, \_\_\_\_\_

B  
glo - ry \_\_\_\_\_ glo - ry ev - er - more pro - claim,

Pno.

B $\flat$ /D Eb B $\flat$ /F F7 B $\flat$

50

S  
pow'r \_\_\_\_\_ and glo - ry ev - er - more pro - *rall.*

A  
His pow'r \_\_\_\_\_ and glo - ry, glo - ry ev - er - more pro -

B  
His pow'r \_\_\_\_\_ and glo - ry, glo - ry ev - er - more pro -

Pno.

F F7/E $\flat$  B $\flat$  C $\flat$ /E $\flat$  B $\flat$ /F F7



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*a tempo*

53

S  
claim. \_\_\_\_\_

A  
claim. \_\_\_\_\_

B  
claim. \_\_\_\_\_

Pno.

53

B $\flat$

# Peace on Earth/Little Drummer Boy

Slowly

Soprano

Alto/Tenor/Bass

Come, they told me, pa - ru - pu - pum - pum,

Come, they told me, pa - ru - pu - pum - pum,

3

A new-born King to see, pa - ru-pu-pum -pum. Our fin-est gifts we bring, pa -

A new-born King to see, pa - ru-pu-pum-pum. Our fin-est gifts we bring, pa -

6

ru - pu - pum - pum, ru - pu - pum - pum, ru - pu - pum - pum.

ru - pu - pum - pum, ru - pu - pum - pum, ru - pu - pum - pum.

8

Peace on earth, can it be? Years from now per -

Come they told me pa-ru-pu-pum-pum, a new - born King to see, pa -

11

haps we'll see See the day of glo - ry,

ru-pu-pum-pum. Our fin - est gifts we bring pa - ru-pu-pum-pum,

14

see the day when men of good-will live in  
to lay these for the King, a - ru - pu-pum-pum, ru - pu-pum-pum,

16

peace, live in peace a - gain. Peace on earth.  
ru - pu - pum - pum. So to hark him, pa -

18

Can it be?  
ru - pu - pum - pum, when we come.

20

Ev-'ry chil must be made a-ware, Ev-'ry child must be made to care.  
Ev-'ry child must be made a-ware, ev-'ry child must be made to care.

24

Care e-nough for his fel - low man to give all the love that he can.  
Care e-nough for his fel - low man to give all the love that he can.

I pray my wish will come true for my child and  
 Lit - tle ba - by, pa - ru-pu-pum-pum, I stood be - side him there par-

your child too. They'll see the day of glo - ry,  
 ru-pu-pum-pum. I played my drum for him, pa - ru-pu-pum-pum.

see the day when men of good-will live in  
 I played my best for him pa - ru - pu-pum-pum, ru - pu-pum-pum,

peace, live in peace a - gain. Peace on earth,  
 ru - pu-pum - pum. Then he smiled at me, pa -

can it be? Can it be?  
 ru-pu-pum-pum, me and my drum. Can. it be?