

# Angel's Carol

Words and Music:  
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Brightly ( $\text{d} = 69$ )

Soprano  
(und Alt) ***mf*** *eagerly*

1. Have you heard the sound  
of the angel voices Ring-ing out so sweet-ly,  
ring-ing out so clear? Have you seen the star  
shin-ing out so bright-ly As a sign from God that  
Christ the Lord is here? Have you heard the news  
that they bring from hea - ven To the hum - ble shep - herds  
who have wait - ed long? Glo - ri - a in ex -  
cel - sis De - o, Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o! Hear the an - gels  
in ex - cel - sis, Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o! Hear them

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sing their joy - ful song.

Ah

unis. **p** *legato*

sing their joy - ful song.

2. He is come in

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peace in the win - ter's still - ness, Like a gen - tle snow - fall

Ah

43

— in the gen - tle night; He is come in joy

Ah

**mp** *cresc.*

**mf** *dolce*

47

— like the sun at morn - ing Fill - ing all the world with

Ah

Ah

51

**D**

dim.

**p** *dolce*

He is come in love as the child of

ra - diance and with light.

**p** 8

Hum

56

Mary; In a sim - ple sta - ble we have seen his birth:  
*poco cresc.*

(Hum) E

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*mp* Glo - ri - a in ex -

(Hum) Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o,

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*p* cel - sis De - o! Hear them sing "Peace on earth".

*p* Hear the an - gels sing - ing "Peace on earth".

F

3. He will bring new light to a world in  
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dark - ness, Like a bright star shin - ing in the skies a -

He will bring new hope to the wait - ing

bove; He will bring new hope He will bring new hope

He will bring new hope to the

na - tions When he comes to reign *mf* in pu - ri - ty and  
 to the na - tions When he comes in pu - ri - ty and  
 to the wait - ing na - tions When he comes in  
 na - tions When he comes in  
 love. **G** Let the earth re - joice at the Sa - viour's  
 love. Let the earth re - joice at the Sa - viour's  
 love. Let the earth re - joice at the Sa - viour's  
 love. *f*  
 com - ing; Let the hea - vens an - swer with the joy - ful  
 com - ing; Let the hea - vens an - swer with the joy - ful  
 Let the hea - vens an - swer with the joy - ful  
 Let the hea - vens an - swer  
 morn: **H** Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o,  
 with the joy - ful morn: Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o,  
 with the morn: Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o,  
 Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o! *mf* Hear the an - gels sing - ing "Christ is born",  
 Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis! *mf* Hear them sing - ing "Christ is born",  
*dim.*  
**rall.** **Tranquil (♩ = 92)** *p dolce* **rall. al fine**  
 Hear the an - gels sing - ing "Christ is born".  
**8** *p* Hum