

Wondrous Star

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Unhurried ♩ = 68

N.C. C²

mp *rall.* *a tempo*

The piano introduction is in 4/4 time. It begins with a whole note chord in the right hand and a whole note bass line in the left hand. The tempo is marked 'Unhurried' with a quarter note equal to 68. The first two measures are marked 'N.C.' (No Chords). The third measure is marked 'rall.' and the fourth measure is marked 'a tempo'. The right hand has a melodic line starting on G4, and the left hand has a bass line starting on C3.

5 CHOIR unison *mp* gently

An an - gel came to shep - herds in the

The choir unison vocal line starts at measure 5. It is marked 'CHOIR unison mp gently'. The melody begins on G4 and moves stepwise down to C4. The accompaniment in the piano is marked with 'C' and 'Dm' chords.

7

night, en - tic - ing them to share a bless - ed

7 C F/C G/C C Dm

The choir unison vocal line continues from measure 7. The melody begins on G4 and moves stepwise down to C4. The accompaniment in the piano is marked with 'C', 'F/C', 'G/C', 'C', and 'Dm' chords.

sight. Why would God in - vite them to be -

Vocal line for measures 9-10. Measure 9 starts with a whole note G4. Measure 10 contains the lyrics "Why would God in - vite them to be -" with a melodic line of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4.

9 C²/_E C F G/F F C

Piano accompaniment for measures 9-10. Measure 9 has a C²/E chord. Measure 10 has chords C, F, G/F, F, and C.

hold this ho - ly birth?

Vocal line for measures 11-12. Measure 11 contains the lyrics "hold this ho - ly birth?". Measure 12 contains the lyrics "They're just poor shep - herds of the" with a melodic line of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4.

11 E Am Am/G Fmaj9

Piano accompaniment for measures 11-12. Measure 11 has chords E, Am, and Am/G. Measure 12 has a Fmaj9 chord.

earth. The wise men gazed up - on an East - ern

Vocal line for measures 13-14. Measure 13 contains the lyrics "earth. The wise men gazed up - on an East - ern". Measure 14 contains the lyrics "Oo" with a melodic line of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4.

13 Dm⁷/_G G Am⁷ Dm/_A

Piano accompaniment for measures 13-14. Measure 13 has chords Dm⁷/G and G. Measure 14 has chords Am⁷ and Dm/A.

15

star. With pre - cious gifts to bring, they trav - eled

Oo

15 Am7 Dm/A Am7 Dm/A

17

far. *mf* God was or - ches - trat - ing each

17 C2/G G/C C2/E F G/F F C

mf

19

mo - ment, one by one, to grace the earth with His on - ly

19 E Am Am/G Fmaj9 F/G Dm/G

21 *Star so won - drous, — star so*
div. Star so won - drous,
 Son! *Star so won - drous,*
div.

21 C Cmaj7 E F Dm G9/B

23 bright, shines on low - ly and kings a -
 star so bright, shines on low - ly and

23 C2 C Cmaj7 E F Dm G9/B

25 like. "Glo - ry — in the high - est!" an - gels
 kings a - like.

25 C2 C C E F G Gsus4 E7/G#

27

sing, wel - com - ing Je - sus, our Lord and

27 Am Fm6 C G7

29 King!

29 C C G C Csus4/2 C C2/G

31 *f unis.* God *unis.*

31 D D/A D Dsus4/2 D Asus