

DIRECTOR'S SCORE

1. O Come, O Come Emmanuel

(from "A Simple Christmas Pageant")

for unison voices, congregation and piano and optional instruments. Optional InstruTrax CD available*

Arranged by
SHELDON CURRY

9th Century Latin Hymn
Veni, Veni Emmanuel

1 Reflectively (♩ = 120)

Soprano Sax. *mf*

Choir

Piano *mf*

Guitar *mf* simple straight eighths

Bass *mf*

Sop. Sax. *mf*

Choir

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

O come, O come Em - man - u -

*Percussion Tacet

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Sop. Sx. 

Choir 

Pno. 

Gtr. 

Bass 

7 8 9

Chords: Em, Em/D, Cmaj7, Em, D2, D/F#

Sop. Sx. 

Choir 

Pno. 

Gtr. 

Bass 

10 11 12

Chords: Asus, A, Am, Em, D, C

Sop. Sx. 

Choir  here, un - til the Son of God _____ ap -

Pno.  **Bm Am G Am Am/C**

Gtr. 

Bass  **Bm Am G Am Am/C**

13 14 15

Sop. Sx.  **17**

Choir  pear: Re - joice! Re - joice! Em -

Pno.  **Em Em/F# G D Em Bm G**

Gtr. 

Bass  **Em G D Em Bm G**

16 17 18

Sop. Sx.

Choir

man - u - el shall come to thee O

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Am G/A D/A Em Em/D Cmaj7 Em/B

Am G/A D/A Em Em/D Cmaj7 Em/B

Am G/A D/A Em Em/D Cmaj7 Em/B

Am G/A D/A Em Em/D Cmaj7 Em/B

19 20 21

Sop. Sx.

Choir

Is - ra - el.

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Am D/A Am D/A Em

Am D/A Am D/A Em

Am D/A Am D/A Em

Am D/A Am D/A Em

22 23

2. The Angel Gabriel

(from "A Simple Christmas Pageant")

for unison voices, congregation and piano and optional instruments. Optional InstruTrax CD available*

Words: Basque carol

Arranged by **SHELDON CURRY**

Music: Gabriel's Message

2 Haunting (♩. = 71)

Flute

Piano

Guitar

Bass

Percussion

Gentle hand drum

Fl.

Choir

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

The an - gel Ga - bri - el from

Am G/A Am Am G/A Am

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Fl.

Choir

hea - ven came, his wings as drift - ed snow, his

Am G/A E7sus E7 Am G/A Am

Pno.

Am G/A E7sus E7 Am G/a Am

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

6

7

Fl.

Choir

eyes as flames; "All hail," said he, "thou low - ly maid - en

Am/C E (no3rd) Em Am C C/E

Pno.

Am/C E (no3rd) Am C C/E

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

8

9

Fl.

Choir

Ma - ry, most high - ly fa - vored la - dy."

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

10 11

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Fl.

Choir

Glo - ri - a!

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

12 13

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3. Joseph Dearest, Joseph Mine

(from "A Simple Christmas Pageant")

for unison voices, congregation and piano and optional instruments. Optional InstruTrax CD available*

Resonet in Laudimus

German Carol Melody
Arranged by SHELDON CURRY

3 Sweetly (♩ = 45)

Soprano Sax.

Piano

Guitar

Bass

Sop. Sax.

Choir

Ladies Jo - seph dear - est, Jo - seph mine,
Gentlemen "Glad - ly, dear one, la - dy mine,

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

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E C#m G#m C#m7

Sop. Sx.

Singers

help me cra - dle the child di - vine;
 help I cra - dle this child of thine;

D Bm F#m Bm7

Pno.

D Bm F#m Bm7

Gtr.

Bass

7 8

F#m F#m B

Sop. Sx.

Singers

God re - ward thee and all that's thine in
 God's own light on us both shall shine in

Em Em A

Pno.

Em Em A

Gtr.

Bass

9 10



4

Sop. Sx. **G#m C#m F#m B Esus E**

Singers

par - a - dise," so prays the moth - er Ma - ry.
 par - a - dise, as prays the moth - er Ma - ry."

Pno. **F#m Bm Em A Dsus D**

Gr. **F#m Bm Em A Dsus D**

Bass

11 12 13

14

Sop. Sx. **G#m C#m G#m C#m A E**

Singers

Je - sus, Je - sus, Lo, he comes and

Pno. **F#m Bm F#m Bm G D/F#**

Gr. **F#m Bm F#m Bm G D/F#**

Bass

14 15 16

Sop. Sx. **F#m** **B** **Esus** **E**

Singers loves and saves and frees us.

Pno. **Em** **A** **Dsus** **D**

Gtr. **Em** **A** **Dsus** **D**

Bass

17 18

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4. O Little Town of Bethlehem

(from "A Simple Christmas Pageant")

for unison voices, congregation and piano and optional instruments. Optional InstruTrax CD available*

PHILLIP BROOKS

Tune: St. Louis Louis Redner
Arranged by SHELDON CURRY

Moderately (♩ = 78)

5

Flute

Piano

Guitar

Bass

Percussion

Fl.

Singers

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

O lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem, how

F BbMaj7 F E/F F Bb2

F BbMaj7 F E/F Bb2

Bells

mf

4 5 6

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Fl.

Choir
still we see thee lie! A - bove thy deep and

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

7 8 9

Chords: F/C, C7, F, BbMaj7, F, F/Eb, D7

Fl.

Choir
dream - less sleep the si - lent stars go by; yet

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

10 11 12

Chords: Gsus, Gm, Gm/Bb, F/C, C, F/C, Am/C, C7, Fsus, F

Fl.

Choir

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

in thy dark streets shin - eth the ev - er - last - ing Light; the

F A Gm Asus A F

13 14 15 16

Fl.

Choir

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee to - night.

F E/F Bb2 F/C C6 Fsus F

F E/F F Bb2 F/C C6 Fsus F

17 18 19 20

5. Once In Royal David's City

(from "A Simple Christmas Pageant")

for unison voices, congregation and piano and optional instruments. Optional InstruTrax CD available*

Words: Cecil Frances Alexander

Tune: *Irby*, Henry John Gauntlett

Arranged by SHELDON CURRY

6 Reverently (♩ = 68) 3

Soprano Sax.

Choir

Piano

Guitar

Bass

Percussion

Sop. Sax.

Singers

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

2 3 4 5 6 7

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Sop. Sx.

Singers

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

ba - by in a man - ger for his bed; Ma - ry was that moth - er

C F C/E BbMaj7 Bb/C C F Bb F/A Gm Bb/C

C F C/E BbMaj7 F F/A Bb F/A Gm Bb/C

8 9 10 11

Sop. Sx.

Singers

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

mild, Je - sus Christ her lit - tle child.

F Bb2 F/A Gm Bb/C F

F F/A Bb2 F/A Gm Bb/C F

12 13 14

6. Silent Night

(from "A Simple Christmas Pageant")

Joseph Mohr

for unison voices, congregation and piano and optional instruments. Optional InstruTrax CD available*

Tune: *Stille Nacht*, Franz Xaver Gruber

Arranged by SHELDON CURRY

7 Reflectively (♩ = 92)

Flute

Choir

Piano

Guitar

Bass

Si - lent night,

B♭ F E♭ E♭ B♭/D B♭sus/C B♭

pick simple eighths

1 2 3

Flt.

Singers

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

ho - ly night, all is calm, all is bright

B♭ F B♭ B♭/D

B♭ F B♭ B♭/D

4 5 6

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Flt.

Singers

round yon vir - gin moth - er and child. Ho - ly in - fant so

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

7 8 9

Flt.

Singers

ten - der and mild, sleep in hea - ven - ly peace.

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

10 11 12

Flt.

Singers

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Sleep in hea - ven - ly peace.

B \flat F E \flat E \flat B \flat /D B \flat sus/C B \flat

B \flat F E \flat B \flat /D B \flat sus/C B \flat

13 14 15

The musical score is arranged in five systems. The first system is for Flute (Flt.), the second for Singers, the third for Piano (Pno.), the fourth for Guitar (Gtr.), and the fifth for Bass. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats). The Singers part includes the lyrics 'Sleep in heavenly peace.' with a long note on 'peace.' that spans across measures 14 and 15. The Piano part includes a chord progression: B-flat, F, E-flat, E-flat, B-flat/D, B-flat sus/C, B-flat. The Guitar part has slash marks in measures 13 and 14, and a chord progression in measure 15: B-flat, F, E-flat, B-flat/D, B-flat sus/C, B-flat. The Bass part follows a similar rhythmic pattern to the Piano part. Measure numbers 13, 14, and 15 are indicated at the bottom of the score.

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Bm **Em** **Dsus** **D** **G** **G/F#**

Sop. Sax

Singers

car - ried his moth - er up - hill and down, I
 gave him my man - ger for his for his bed, I
 gave him my wool - len for his blan - ket warm, he
 hum - bly born in a sta - ble rude, and the

Am **Dm** **Csus** **C** **F** **F/E**

Pno.

Am **Dm** **Csus** **C** **F** **F/E**

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

Em **Am** **Am/C** **Bsus**

Sop. Sax

Singers

car - ried his moth - er to Beth - le - hem town;
 gave him hay to pil - low his head;
 wore my coat on Christ - mas morn;
 friend - ly beasts a - round him stood,

Dm **Gm** **Gm/Bb** **Asus** **A7**

Pno.

Dm **Gm** **Gm/Bb** **Asus** **A**

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

9

10

11

12

13

14

15

16

1, 2, 3.
C

Sop. Sax

Choir

I," said the don - key, shag - gy and brown.
I," said the cow, all white and red.
I: said the sheep with cur - ly and horn.
Je - sus, our broth - er, strong and

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

17 18 19 20

Sop. Sax

Singers

good.

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

21 22 23 24

8. Beautiful Star of Bethlehem

(from "A Simple Christmas Pageant")

for unison voices, congregation and piano and optional instruments. Optional InstruTrax CD available*

Arranged by
SHELDON CURRY

Words and Music by
ADGER M. PACE and R. FISHER BOYCE

12 Uplifting Gospel Swing, in one (♩ = 140)

Tenor Sax.

Piano

Guitar

Bass

Percussion

N. C. F Dm G7 C

N. C. F Dm G7 C

Tamborine, ad lib through out

1 2 3 4 5

Ten. Sax.

Singers

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

8 G (1st time tacet to ms 38, then ad lib as directed) G

1. Oh beau - ti - ful star of Beth - le -
2. Oh beau - ti - ful star of the hope of

F Bb F/A Gm7 F F

F Bb F/A Gm7 F F

6 7 8 9 10 11

BEAUTIFUL STAR OF BETHLEHEM

Words and Music by ADGER M. PACE and R. FISHER BOYCE

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Ten. Sx. G G C C/E G G

Singers

hem rest Shin - ing a - far through shad - ows dim Giv - ing the
 rest For the re - deemed the good and blessed Yon - der in

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

12 13 14 15 16 17

Ten. Sx. G G Em D A7

Singers

light for those who long have gone; _____
 glo - ry when the crown is won; _____

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

18 19 20 21 22 23

Ten. Sx. D G G G

Choir

Guid - ing the pil - grims on their way Un - to the
 Je - sus is now the star di - vine Bright - er and

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

24 25 26 27 28 29

Ten. Sx. C C/E G G Em7

Singers

place where Je - sus lay Oh beau - ti - ful Star of Beth - le -
 bright - er he will shine Oh beau - ti - ful Star of Beth - le -

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

30 31 32 33 34 35

A7 D G C G/B Am7

1st time - enter here

Ten. Sx.

Singers

hem shine on. Oh Beau - ti - ful
hem shine on

G7 C F Bb F/A Gm7 F

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

36 37 38 39 40 41

42

G D G G C

Ten. Sx.

Singers

Star of Beth - le - hem
Beau - ti - ful, beau - ti - ful star of Beth - le -

F C F F Bb

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

F C F F Bb

42 43 44 45 46 47

Chords: G G G/B Em Em

Ten. Sx. [Musical notation]

Singers: Shine up - on us un - til the glo - ry
hem Shine up - on us 'til the glo - ry

Pno. [Musical notation]

Chords: F F Am Dm Dm

Gtr. [Musical notation]

Bass [Musical notation]

Perc. [Musical notation]

48 49 50 51 52 53

Chords: D A7 D G

Ten. Sx. [Musical notation]

Singers: dawns. Give us a light to guide the
glo - ry dawns, Give us a light to guide the

Pno. [Musical notation]

Chords: C G7 C F

Gtr. [Musical notation]

Bass [Musical notation]

Perc. [Musical notation]

54 55 56 57 58 59



Ten. Sx. G C C/E G

Singers

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

60 61 62 63 64 65

way Un - to the land of per - fect day Oh Beau - ti - ful

way Un - to the land of per - fect day Oh Beau - ti - ful

F F7 B \flat B \flat /D F

F B \flat B \flat /D F

Ten. Sx. G Em A7 D G C G/B Am7 G

Singers

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

66 67 68 69 70 71 72

Star of Beth - le - hem, shine on. _____

Star of Beth - le - hem, shine on. _____

F Dm G7 C F B \flat F/A Gm7 F

F Dm G7 C F B \flat F/A Gm7 F

14 (last time rit.)

9. Away In A Manger

(from "A Simple Christmas Pageant")

for unison voices, congregation and piano and optional instruments. Optional InstruTrax CD available*

Words: Anon. (Luke 2:7)

Music by **JAMES R. MURRAY**
Arranged by **SHELDON CURRY**

Gently (♩ = 80)

Flute

Piano

Guitar

Bass

1 2 3

pick simple eighths

Chords: Gm7, C, F, F, Gm/Bb, Bb/C, C

Flt.

Choir

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

4 5 6 7 8

Wind Chimes - let ring

Chords: F, F2sus, F, F, Fsus/G, F/A, Bb

Lyrics: A - way in a man - ger no crib for a

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Flt.

Singers

bed, the lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid down his sweet head. The

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

9 10 11 12 13

Flt.

Singers

stars in the sky — looked down where he lay, the lit - tle Lord

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

14 15 16 17 18

Flt.

Singers

Je - sus a - sleep on the hay.

Pno.

Gtr.

Bass

Perc.

Chords: Dm, Dm7/A, Gm7, Bb/C, C7, Fsus, F

Wind Chimes - let ring

19 20 21 22

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10. We Three Kings

(from "A Simple Christmas Pageant")

for unison voices, congregation and piano and optional instruments. Optional InstruTrax CD available*

Arranged by
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Words and Music by
John Henry Hopkins, Jr.

Mystically (♩ = 100)

17

Piano

pp

(Play only if necessary in the absence of percussion or Itrax)

Percussion 1

Hand Drum

Percussion 2

Tambourine

1 2 3 4

Sop. Sx.

Pno.

Em Am7 Em

Gtr.

Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

5 6 7 8

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Sop. Sx. **F#m** (*ad lib as directed during verses*) **C#7** **F#m**

Choir *mf* ("Kings" process one at a time, beginning with the 2nd verse)

1. We three kings of O - ri - ent are
 2. Born a king on Beth - le - hem's plain,
 3. Frank - in - cense to of - fer I:
 4. Myrrh is mine; its bit - ter per - fume
 5. Glo - rious now be - hold he is born,

Em **B7** **Em**

Pno.

Gtr. **Em** **B7** **Em**

Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

9

10

11

12

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Sop. Sx. **F#m** **C#7** **F#m**

Choir
bear - ing gifts we tra - verse a - far;
gold - I bring to crown him a - gain,
in - cense owns a De - i - ty nigh;
breathes a life of gath - er - ing gloom;
King, Re - deem - er, God's gra - cious Son;

Pno. **Em** **B7** **Em**

Gtr. **Em** **B7** **Em**

Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

13 14 15 16

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Sop. Sx. F#m E A A/C# A

Choir

field and foun - tain moor - and moun - tain
 King for ev - er ceas - ing nev - er
 prayer and prais - ing, glad - ly rais - ing,
 sor - rowing, sigh - ing, bleed - ing, dy - ing,
 heav'n sings al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia

Pno.

Gtr. Em D G G/B F#m/A G

Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

17 18 19 20

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Bm/D Bm F#m/C# C# F#m

Sop. Sx. 

Choir 

 fol - low - ing yon - der star.
 o - ver us all to reign.
 wor - ship him, God Most High.
 sealed in the stone - cold tomb.
 lu - ia we join as one. O

Am/C Am Em/B B Em D7

Pno. 

Gtr. 

Bass 

Perc. 1 

Perc. 2 

21 22 23 24

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26

Sop. Sx.

Singers
 — star of won - der, star of
 G C

Pno.
 G C

Gtr.

Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

25 26 27 28

Sop. Sx.

Singers
 night, star with ro - yal beau - ty
 G G C

Pno.
 G G C

Gtr.

Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

29 30 31 32

Sop. Sx.

Singers

bright; west - ward lead - ing still pro -

G Em D G C G

Pno.

G Em D G C G

Gtr.

Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

33 34 35 36

Sop. Sx.

Singers

ceed - ing guide us to thy per - fect light!

D G G Em7 C G

Pno.

D G G Em7 C G

Gtr.

Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

37 38 39 40 41

11. Go Tell It On The Mountain

(from "A Simple Christmas Pageant")

for unison voices, congregation and piano and optional instruments. Optional InstruTrax CD available*

Arranged by
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19th c. African American Spiritual
(Words: Traditional; alt. SC)

©23 Happy Swing (♩ = 114)

Tenor Sax. G C Maj7 G Am G2/B C A7/C#

Piano N.C. F B♭Maj7 F Gm F2/A B♭ G7/B
mf

Guitar N.C. F B♭Maj7 F Gm F2/A B♭ G7/B

Bass

Percussion Tambourine

1 2 3 4

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24/26/28

(last time rit.)

(last time Fine)

Fine

Ten. Sx. *G Em7 E+ Am9 G/B C6 Am/D G C/D*

Singers *moun - tain that Je - sus Christ is born!*

- 1. While
- 2. Some -
- 3. Down

Pno. *F Dm7 D+ Gm9 F/A Bb6 Gm/C F Bb/C*

Gtr. *F Dm7 D+ Gm9 F/A Bb6 Gm/C F Bb/C*

Bass *F Dm7 D+ Gm9 F/A Bb6 Gm/C F Bb/C*

Perc. *(last time rit.) (last time Fine)*

11

12

13

14

Ten. Sx. *G Am(4) Bm7 Bbm7 Am7 C/D*

Singers *shep - herds kept their watch - ing o'er all their flocks by
times we fear and trem - ble, then lo! a - bove the
in a low - ly man - ger the hum - ble Christ was*

Pno. *F Gm(4) Am7 Abm7 Gm7 Bb/C*

Gtr. *F Gm(4) Am7 Abm7 Gm7 Bb/C*

Bass *F Gm(4) Am7 Abm7 Gm7 Bb/C*

Perc. *> > > > >*

14

15

16

Ten. Sx. G C/D G Em7/G F#m7(b5) Em7 Bm(4)

Singers

night, there shone through - out the hea - vens, a
 earth, rings out the an - gels cho - rus; they
 born and God sent us sal - va - tion that

Pno.

Gtr. F Bb/C F F6 Em7(b5) Dm7 Am(4)

Bass

Perc.

17 18 19

25/27/29

Ten. Sx. Am G2/B C A7/C# D *D.S. al Fine*

Singers

ho - ly ra - diant light!
 sing of Je - sus' birth.
 bless - ed Christ - mas morn.

Pno.

Gtr. Gm F2/A Bb G7/B C

Bass

Perc.

20 21