

JOYEUX NOËL!

Bring a Torch, Jeanette, Isabella • Il est né, le divin enfant •
What Is This Star? • Ding Dong! Merrily on High

for S.A.T.B. voices and piano
with optional Concert Band and SoundTrax CD*

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Traditional French Carols
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With a buoyant spirit (♩ = ca. 108)

PIANO

FRENCH PRONUNCIATION

Il est né, le di-vin en-fant
il ɛ ne lə di-vin ɑ̃-fɑ̃

Jou-ez, haut-bois, é-son-nez, mu-set-tes.
ʒu-e o-bwa re-zɑ̃ ne my-zɛ-tɛ

Chan-tons tous son a-vè-ne-ment.
ʃɑ̃-tɔ̃ tu sɑ̃n a-vɛ-nə-mɑ̃

Please see *Alfred's IPA Made Easy* (42789) for further explanation of the International Phonetic Alphabet,

*Also available for S.A.B. (43226) and 2-part (43227).
SoundTrax CD available (43228). Concert Band accompaniment available (29611).

NOTE: If the Concert Band accompaniment is used, it is recommended not to include the piano part.

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SOPRANO *f*

ALTO

Bring a torch, — Jean - ette, Is - a - bel - la. Bring a torch — and

TENOR *f*

BASS

Musical score for measures 9-11. It features vocal staves for Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass, and piano accompaniment for the right and left hands. The music is in a minor key with a 3/4 time signature. The vocal parts enter with a melody, and the piano accompaniment provides harmonic support.

12

mf

quick - ly run. Run with all — the folk of the vil - lage.

Musical score for measures 12-14. The vocal parts continue with the melody, and the piano accompaniment features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. The dynamic marking *mf* is present.

15

17

See on the hay a ba - by sleep - ing. Hush, hush,

mf
Ah. —

Musical score for measures 15-17. The vocal parts conclude with the phrase 'Hush, hush,' and a long note for 'Ah.' The piano accompaniment continues with a steady rhythm. The dynamic marking *mf* is present.

18

soft - ly walk be - side him. Hush, hush, qui - et now, ev -

22

Qui - et now, ev - 'ry - one.

- 'ry - one.

26

28

mf Il est né, le di -

mf Ah. —

mp

29

vin en - fant. Jou - ez, haut - bois, ré - son -

Ah.

31

nez, mu - set - tes. Il est né, le di -

33

vin en - fant. Chan - tons tous son a -

Ah.

35

36

vè - ne - ment. Play the o - boe and

mf

37

sound the pipes. — Wel - come now this

mf

39

child most ho - ly. Cel - e - brate this

mf

41

won - drous birth. Sing with all the choirs on earth.

44

Il est né, le di - vin en - fant.

Ah.

mp

46

Chan - tons tous son a - vè - ne - ment.

rit.

rit.

49 S. 50 Easily (♩ = ca. 84)

A. *mf*

What is this star that

T. *mp*

Ah ah

B. *mp*

Ah ah

Easily (♩ = ca. 84)

mp

52 *mf*

That moves o'er the

moves so si - lent - ly, moves o'er the

ah ah ah

ah ah ah

55

sky to Beth - le - hem?

sky to Beth - le - hem?

ah, to Beth - le - hem?

ah, to Beth - le - hem?

58

mp Ah ah,

mp Ah ah,

mf Bright - ly it shines to pierce the

mf Bright - ly it shines to pierce the

61 *mf* light - ing the way for

mf light - ing bright ly,

dark - ness, light - ing bright - ly,

dark - ness, light - ing bright - ly,

64 66

pil - grims all. What is this

pil - grims all. What is this

pil - grims all. What is this

pil - grims all. What is this

67

star that moves _____ so si - lent - ly,

star that moves _____ so si - lent ly,

star _____ that moves _____ so si - lent - ly,

star that moves so si - lent ly,

70

hov - 'ring o'er a hum - ble

hov 'ring o'er a hum - ble

hov 'ring, hov - 'ring o'er a hum - ble

hov - 'ring o'er a hum - ble

73 S. **Tempo primo**

A. stall?

T.

B.

Tempo primo

f

77

f

Ding dong! Mer ri - ly on high,

f

mf

80

in heav'n the bells are

83 85

ring - ing. Ding dong!

86 sky is

Ver - i - ly the sky the sky is

89

riv'n with an - gels sing

92 S.

93

ing. Glo - ri - a,

A. ing. Glo - ri - a,

T. ing. Glo - ri - a,

B. ing. Glo ri - a,

Piano accompaniment for measures 92-93, including a forte (f) dynamic marking.

95

glo - ri - a, glo -

glo ri - a, glo -

glo - ri - a, glo - ri -

glo - ri - a, glo - ri -

Piano accompaniment for measures 95-98.

98

98

ri - a, glo ri - a,

ri - a, glo ri - a,

a, glo - ri - a,

a, glo ri - a,

glo ri - a,

glo ri - a,

101

101

glo ri -

glo ri -

glo ri -

glo ri -

glo ri -