

# Something Special

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8 Early Intermediate Carol Arrangements

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Christmas is a wonderful time of the year when family, friends and neighbors meet to share the joy, hope and laughter of this special season.

This book helps capture the magic of Christmas with simple, yet creative arrangements of your favorite traditional carols. The variety of styles and rich harmonies bring the spirit of Christmas to life and is sure to delight both students and teachers.

Best wishes for a very special Christmas holiday.

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# Silent Night

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Moderately and expressively

The first system of music is in 3/4 time. The right hand starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It features a series of chords, with the first measure containing a triplet of eighth notes (G4, F4, E4) marked with a '5' above and a '3' below. The dynamics are marked *mp* and *p*. The left hand is in the bass clef, playing a steady eighth-note accompaniment. Fingerings are indicated with numbers 1, 2, and 5. A *simile* marking is present at the end of the system.

5 *cantabile*

The second system begins with a boxed measure number '5'. The right hand continues with a melodic line, featuring a triplet of eighth notes (G4, F4, E4) marked with a '3' above. The dynamics are marked *mp*. The left hand continues with the eighth-note accompaniment.

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The third system begins with a boxed measure number '9'. The right hand features a melodic line with a triplet of eighth notes (G4, F4, E4) marked with a '5' above. The left hand continues with the eighth-note accompaniment, with fingerings 5, 2, 1, 2 indicated.

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The fourth system begins with a boxed measure number '13'. The right hand features a melodic line with a triplet of eighth notes (G4, F4, E4) marked with a '3' above. The left hand continues with the eighth-note accompaniment.