Christmas Celebration 2022 Carol Sheet

O Come, All Ye Faithful

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O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant, O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem; come and behold him born, the King of angels:

> O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, Christ the Lord!

2

God of God, Light of Light, Io, he abhors not the Virgin's womb; very God, begotten, not created:

> O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, Christ the Lord!

3

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation, sing, all ye citizens of heaven above; "Glory to God in the highest:"

> O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, Christ the Lord!

O Little Town of Bethlehem

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O little town of Bethlehem, how still we see thee lie! Above thy deep and dreamless sleep the silent stars go by. Yet in thy dark streets shineth the everlasting light; the hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee tonight.

3

How silently, how silently, the wondrous gift is given! So God imparts to human hearts the blessings of his heaven. No ear may hear his coming; but in this world of sin, where meek souls will receive him, still the dear Christ enters in. 2

O morning stars, together proclaim the holy birth, and praises sing to God the King, and peace to men on earth; for Christ is born of Mary; and, gathered all above, while mortals sleep, the angels keep their watch of wondering love.

4

O holy child of Bethlehem, descend to us we pray; cast out our sin, and enter in, be born in us today. We hear the Christmas angels the great glad tidings tell: O come to us, abide with us, our Lord Emmanuel.

Away in a Manger

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Away in a manger, no crib for a bed, the little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head ; the stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay, the little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.

2

The cattle are lowing, the baby awakes, but little Lord Jesus no crying he makes. I love thee, Lord Jesus! Look down from the sky, and stay by my side until morning is nigh.

3

Be near me, Lord Jesus ; I ask thee to stay close by me for ever, and love me, I pray. Bless all the dear children in thy tender care, and fit us for heaven, to live with thee there.

While Shepherds Watched

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While shepherds watched their flocks by night, All seated on the ground, The angel of the Lord came down, And glory shone around.

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'To you in David's town this day Is born of David's line A Saviour, who is Christ the Lord; And this shall be the sign:

5

Thus spake the seraph; and forthwith Appeared a shining throng Of angels praising God, who thus Addressed their joyful song: 2

'Fear not', said he (for mighty dread Had seized their troubled mind);'Glad tidings of great joy I bring To you and all mankind.

4

'The heavenly babe you there shall find To human view displayed, All meanly wrapped in swathing bands, And in a manger laid.'

6

'All glory be to God on high, And to the earth be peace; Good-will henceforth from heav'n to men Begin and never cease.'

Hark! The Herald-angels Sing

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Hark! the herald-angels sing glory to the new-born King; peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled: Joyful, all ye nations, rise, join the triumph of the skies, with the angelic host proclaim, 'Christ is born in Bethlehem.'

Hark! the herald-angels sing glory to the new-born King.

2

Christ, by highest heaven adored, Christ, the everlasting Lord, late in time behold him come offspring of a Virgin's womb: Veiled in flesh the Godhead see, Hail, the incarnate Deity! Pleased as man with man to dwell, Jesus, our Emmanuel.

Hark! the herald-angels sing glory to the new-born King.

Hail, the heaven-born Prince of Peace! Hail the Sun of Righteousness! Light and life to all he brings, risen with healing in his wings; Mild he lays his glory by, born that man no more may die, born to raise the sons of earth, born to give them second birth.

Hark! the herald-angels sing glory to the new-born King.