

Hark! the Herald Angels Sing

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A great company of the heavenly host [was] praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to men on whom his favor rests." Luke 2:13, 14

1. Hark! the her - ald an - gels sing, to the new - born King;
 2. Christ, by high - est heav'n a - dored, Christ, the ev - er - last - ing Lord!
 3. Hail the heav'n - born Prince of Peace! Hail the Sun of Right - teous - ness!

God and sin - ners rec - on - ciled!"
 off - spring of the Vir - gin's womb,
 ris'n with heal - ing in his wings.

ye na - tions, rise, of the skies;
 God - head see; De - i - ty,
 glo - ry by, born that man no more may die,

with th'an - gel - ic host pro - claim, "Christ is born in Beth - le - hem!"
 pleased as man with men to dwell, Je - sus, our Em - man - u - el.
 born to raise the sons of earth, born to give them sec - ond birth.

REFRAIN

Hark! the her - ald an - gels sing, "Glo - ry to the new - born King."

Charles Wesley, 1739, 1753; alt.

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Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy, 1840
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Away in a Manger

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She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn. Luke 2:7

1. A - way in a man - ger, no crib for a bed, the lit - tle Lord
 2. The cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a - wakes, but lit - tle Lord
 3. Be near me, Lord Je - sus, I ask thee to stay close by me for -

Je - sus laid down his 'sweet head; the stars in the bright sky looked
 Je - sus no cry - ing he makes; I love thee, Lord Je - sus! Look
 ev - er, and love me, I pray; bless all the dear chil - dren in

down where he lay, the lit - tle Lord Je - sus, a - sleep on the hay,
 down from the sky, and stay by my cra - dle till morn - ing is nigh,
 thy ten - der care, and fit us for heav - en, to live with thee there.

Mason, Philadelphia, 1865, 1892

MUELLER, 11.11.11.11
James R. Murray, 1887