

to my sister

When Christ was Born of Mary

Harleian MS. 5396 (c. 1456)

Joyful, rhythmic ♩. = 60

Derek Healey

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Piano

When Christ was born of Mar-y free, In Beth-le-hem that fair cit-y, The

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S.

A.

T.

B.

Pno

an-gels sang with mirth and glee, In ex-cel-sis glo-ri-a. Herd-

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mf

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mf

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S. men be-held the an-gels bright, To them ap-pear-ing with great light, Who

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S. said, God's Son is to night, In ex-cel-sis glo-ri-a. *f*

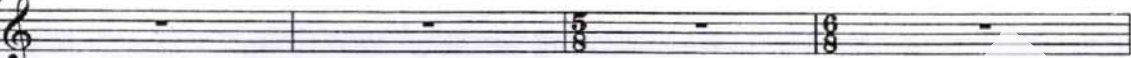
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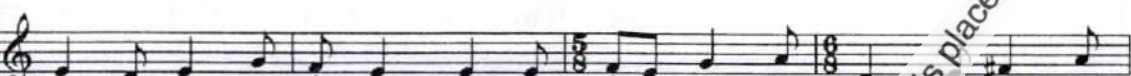
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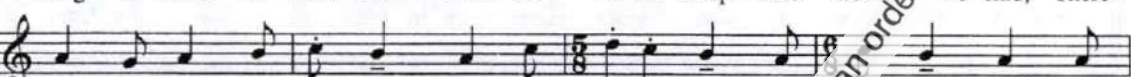
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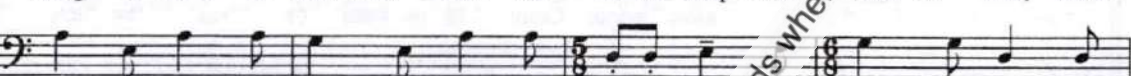
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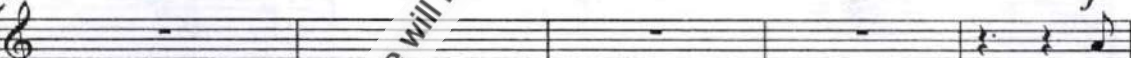
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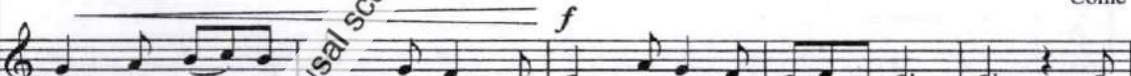
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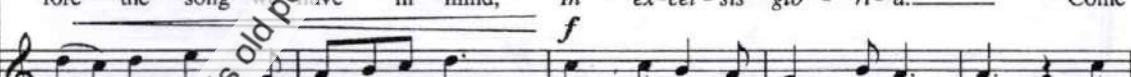
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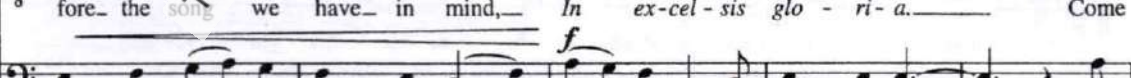
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S. 
f Come

A. 
f fore the song we have in mind, In ex-cel - sis glo - ri - a. Come

T. 
f fore the song we have in mind, In ex-cel - sis glo - ri - a. Come

B. 
f fore the song we have in mind, In ex-cel - sis glo - ri - a. Come

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S. then, dear Lord, for thy great grace, Grant us in bliss to see thy face, That

A. then, dear Lord, for thy great grace, Grant us in bliss to see thy face, That

T. then, dear Lord, for thy great grace, Grant us in bliss to see thy face, That

B. then, dear Lord, for thy great grace, Grant us in bliss to see thy face, That

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rit. **Broadly** **ff**

S. we may sing to thy so-lace: In ex-cel-sis glo-ri-a.

A. we may sing to thy so-lace: In ex-cel-sis glo-ri-a.

T. we may sing to thy so-lace: In ex-cel-sis glo-ri-a.

B. we may sing to thy so-lace: In ex-cel-sis glo-ri-a.

Pno