

Hark, Shepherds Hark, The Angels Sing

$\text{♩} = 120$

The musical score is written on four staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The tempo is marked as quarter note = 120. The first two staves contain the vocal melody with lyrics: 'Hark, shep - - herds hark the an - - - gels sing' and 'For joy when Christ was born'. The third and fourth staves provide a piano accompaniment with a steady eighth-note bass line and a more active treble line.

Hark, shep - - herds hark the an - - - gels sing

For joy when Christ was born

Hark, shepherds, how the angels sing,
For joy when Christ was born, for joy when Christ was born;
A spotless virgin did him bring, a spotless virgin did him bring
Into the world this morn, into the world this morn, into the world this morn.

Our Saviour's born, long since foretold,
Born of a virgin maid, born of a virgin maid.
Foretold by prophecy of old, foretold by prophecy of old;
And in a manger laid, and in a manger laid, and in a manger laid.

Wise men from far led by a star
Which was a faithful guide, which was a faithful guide;
Until they came where Jesus was, until they came where Jesus was,
And Him they glorified, and Him they glorified, and him they glorified.