

A BABE IS BORN IN BETHLEHEM

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for SSAATTBB mixed chorus, soprano solo or small ensemble, & piano

"Unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord." Luke 2:11

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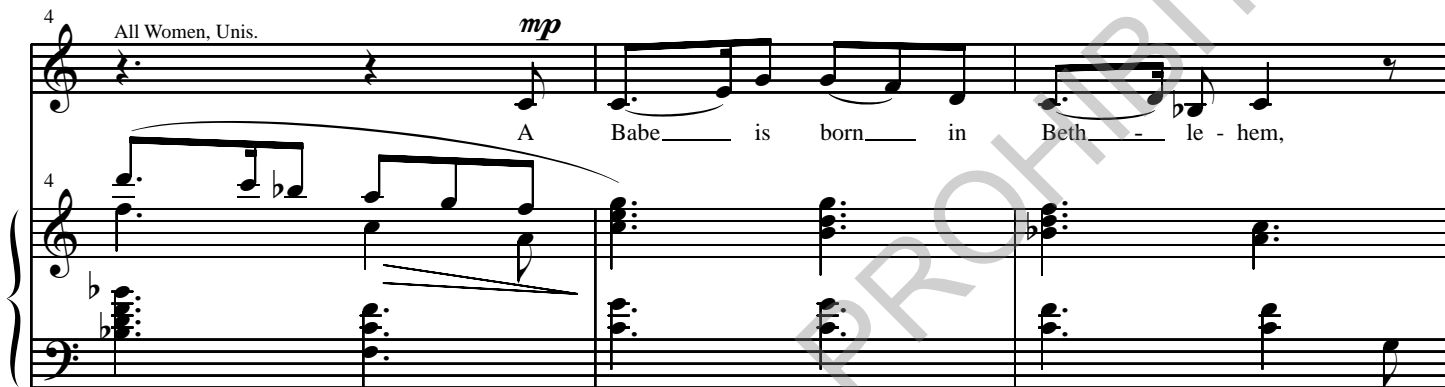


mp

Piano introduction in 6/8 time, featuring a melody in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

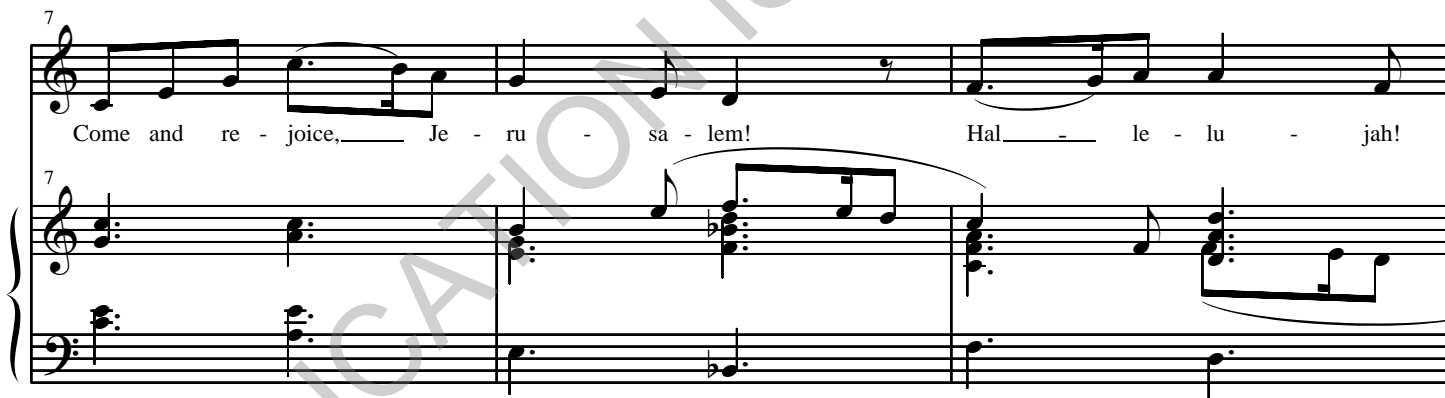
4 All Women, Unis. *mp*

A Babe is born in Beth - le - hem,




Musical notation for measures 4-6, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

7 Come and re - joice, Je - ru - sa - lem! Hal - le - lu - jah!



Musical notation for measures 7-9, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

10 Hal - le - lu! Come and re - joice, Je - ru - sa - lem!



Musical notation for measures 10-12, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

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Text for "A Babe Is Born In Bethlehem" is probably from a 14th Century Benedictine processional, from the monastery of St. Georg, Hradlisch.

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25 *mf*
 He might lift us up to God. Hal-le - lu - jah! Hal-le -

25 *mf*

28 *p*
 lu - jah! Oooh

28 *mp*
 A still - ness is all the man - ger round,

28 *mp*

31
 Si - lent night, Ho - ly, ho - ly night! All is

31
 The crea - ture its cre - a - tor found. Hal - le - lu - jah!

31

34
 calm; All is bright.

34 Hal - le - lu! The crea - ture its cre - a - tor found.

37 Solo or Small Unis. Ensemble *mf*
 His mo - ther is a vir - gin mild. And He the Fa - ther's

37 S.A. *mp*
 His mo - ther, Ma - ry, a vir - gin

37 T.B. *mp*
 Hal - le - lu! Hal - le - lu! Hal - le -

37 Hal - le - lu! Hal - le - lu! Hal - le -

41 on - ly Child. Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu!

41 mild, And He the Fa - ther's on - ly

41 lu - jah! Hal - le - lu! Hal - le - lu - jah!

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53 I Sop.

mf

53 Hal - le - lu - jah! Come and re - joice, Je - ru - sa - lem.

II Sop., Alto

mf

With - in a man - ger He doth lie,

53 T.B.

mf

lu! With - in a man - ger, a man - ger, He doth lie, He doth

mf

57 night! All is calm; All is bright. Hal - le - lu -

57 Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu! A Babe is born in Beth -

57 S II: Hal - le - lu -

Whose throne is set a - bove the sky. A.: Hal - le - lu, hal - le -

57 T.: Hal - le - lu, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le -

57 lie, Whose throne is set a - bove the sky. B.: Hal - le - lu -

p

61 *mp* jah!

61 *mp* le - hem.

61 *mp* jah!

61 *mp* lu - jah.

61 *mp* jah!

64 *p* *pp*