

The Angels Came to Sing

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Solo

gently

mp

mp

1. There was star - light round His cra - dle, There was mu - sic on the air. Ma - ry knelt to hush her

mf

ba - by, Jo - seph watched be - side her there. Je - sus lay in low - ly man - ger, Sent from God to be our

King. 'Twas for Him the star was gleam - ing, and the an - gels came to sing.

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28 *mp* 30 32

2. There were cat - tle round His cra - dle, Ox and lamb were stand - ing nigh. Soft - est
 shep - herds round His cra - dle, come to wor - ship and a - dore. There were

34 36 *mf*

hay be - came His pil - low, An - gel song His lul - la - by, Je - sus lay in low - ly
 wise men on their jour - ney, led by song hea - ven's bright - est star.

38 40 42

man - ger, Sent from God to be our King. 'Twas for Him the star was gleam - ing, and the

1. 44 2. 46 48

an - gels came to sing. 3. There were an - gels came to sing.

50 *mp* 52 54

4. Hea-ven watch - es o'er each cra - dle, O'er each cra - dle hea - ven
 *(There was star - light round His cra - dle, There was mu - sic on the

56 58 *mf*

smiles, For the Lord of earth and hea - ven was him - self a lit - tle child. Oh, re -
 air, Ma - ry knelt to hush her ba - by, Jo - seph watched be - side her there.)

60 62 64

mem - ber how that ba - by came from God to be our King. 'Twas for Him the star was

66 *mp* 68 70

gleam - ing, and the an - gels came to sing.

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*For some uses it may be more appropriate to repeat verse 1 here.