

7. I saw three ships

English trad.

Like a dance

Musical score for 'I saw three ships' in 6/8 time. The score consists of two systems of piano accompaniment. The first system has four measures with lyrics: 'I saw three ships come sail - ing in On Christ-mas Day, on Christ-mas Day, I'. The second system has four measures with lyrics: 'saw three ships come sail - ing in On Christ-mas Day in the morn - ing.' Chords C and G are indicated above the notes. Dynamics include *f* and accents (✓).

8. O little town of Bethlehem

English trad.

Gently

Musical score for 'O little town of Bethlehem' in 4/4 time. The score consists of three systems of piano accompaniment. The first system has six measures with lyrics: 'O lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem, How still we_ see thee lie! A - bove thy deep and dream-less sleep The si - lent stars go by.' The second system has six measures with lyrics: 'Yet_ in thy dark streets shin - eth The ev - er - last - ing light; The'. The third system has six measures with lyrics: 'hopes and fears of all_ the_ years Are met in_ thee to - night.' Chords D7, G, D, C, Bm, and D7 are indicated above the notes. Dynamics include *mp* and *mf*, and accents (✓).



15. We three kings

J. H. Hopkins (1820–91)

On the move

Am *mp* E7 Am

We three kings of O - ri - ent are; Bear - ing gifts we

E7 Am *mf* G C

tra - verse a - far Field and foun - tain, moor and moun - tain,

Dm E7 Am G7 C *mf*

Fol - low - ing yon - der star: O _____ star of won - der,

F C F C Am

star of night, Star with roy - al beau - ty bright, West - ward

G F G C F C

lead - ing, still pro - ceed - ing, Guide us to thy per - fect light.

18. Deck the hall

Welsh trad.

Lively

f C G7 C G7 C
 Deck the hall with boughs of hol - ly, Fa la la la la, fa la la la;

C G7 C G7 C
 'Tis the sea - son to be jol - ly, Fa la la la la, fa la la la.

mp G7 C G C cresc. D7 G D7 G
 Fill the mead cup, drain the bar - rel, Fa la la la la la la la;

f C F C G7 C
 Troll the an - cient Christ - mas ca - rol, Fa la la la la, fa la la la.

19. Good King Wenceslas

Piae Cantiones (1582)

Grandly

mf C G C F G C
 Good King Wen - ces - las look'd out On the Feast of Ste - phen,
 When the snow lay round a - bout, Deep, and crisp, and e - ven:

f C Am F G7 C
 Bright - ly shone the moon that night, Though the frost was cru - el,

mp cresc. F Am G *f* C F C
 When a poor man came in sight, Ga - th'ring win - ter fu - el.



24. While shepherds watched their flocks

Este's Psalter (1592)

Lively
mf

f

While shep-herds watched their flocks by night, All seat-ed on the ground, The
an - gel of the Lord came down, And glo - ry shone a - round.

C G D G A7 D G

C D G C D7 G

25. Children, go!

Spiritual

Lively
f

Child - ren, go where I send thee! How shall I
send thee? I'm gon-na send thee one by one, One for the lit-tle bit-ty
ba - by boy, Born, born, - born in Beth - le - hem.

f

mf

f

F C G7 C