

Christmastime

with *Angels We Have Heard on High*

For S.A.T.B. Voices with Optional Children's (or Unison) Choir and Piano Accompaniment

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Joyously, steady (♩ = ca. 112)

The piano accompaniment for the first system is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The music is marked *mf*. The right hand features a steady eighth-note accompaniment with chords, while the left hand plays a simple eighth-note bass line.

5 Children's or Unison Choir (or S.A. unis.)

mf

The vocal line for the first system is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats. It begins with a whole rest for the first measure, followed by a melody of eighth notes. The lyrics are: "Ring Christ-mas bells, ring them loud with a mes-sage bring-ing".

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The piano accompaniment for the second system continues the eighth-note accompaniment pattern from the first system, with chords in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

The vocal line for the second system continues the melody from the first system. The lyrics are: "peace on the earth, ti-dings of good cheer!— Come, car-ol-ers, come and".

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The piano accompaniment for the third system concludes the piece with the same eighth-note accompaniment pattern as the previous systems.

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join with the an-gels sing-ing, "Joy to the world!" Christ-mas-time is here!—

mf T.B. Unison

15

Chil - dren, gath-er a - round and lis - ten.

You'll hear the sound of an - gels fill-ing the sky tell -

20

- ing ev - 'ry - one Christ - mas - time is

S.A. div., Unison Choir (opt.) on mel.

f

Ring Christ-mas bells, ring them loud with a mes-sage bring-ing peace on the earth, ti-dings here! _____

(25)

of good cheer!— Come, car-ol-ers, come and join with the an-gels sing-ing,

“Joy to the world!” Christ-mas - time is here!— *mf*
unis. *mf*

Loved ones *mf*

30

close to our hearts_ and_ strang - ers in lands a - far_ to -

S.A. 35 *mf*

Em - man - u - el, geth - er shar-ing the joy:— Em - man - u - el! Go,

He has come to dwell! tell the world!— He has come to dwell! The time is here!—

40

With one voice, let the world rejoice!

S.A. 45 +Unison Choir (opt.) on mel.

Ring Christmas bells, ring them

*An - gels we have

loud with a mes - sage bring - ing peace on the earth, ti - dings

heard on high sweet - ly sing - ing

50

of good cheer! — Come, car-ol-ers, come and join with the an-gels sing-ing,
 o'er the plains, — and the moun-tains in re-ply

“Joy to the world!” Christ-mas - time is here! — Glo
 ech - o back their joy - ous strains. —

55

ri - a — in ex-cel-sis De - o!

60

Glo - ri - a

65 *mf*

in ex - cel - sis De - o!
De - o! Ring Christ - mas bells, ring them

loud with a mes - sage bring - ing peace on the earth, ti - dings of good cheer! -

f Unison Choir (opt.) 70

Come, car - ol - ers, come and join with the an - gels sing - ing,

S.A. *f*

Come, car - ol - ers, come and join with the an - gels sing - ing,

T.B. *f*

"Joy to the world!" Christ - mas - time is here! —

"Joy to the world!" Christ - mas - time is here! —

ff

Sing glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o!

ff

Sing glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o!

ff

75

rit.

Sing glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o!

rit.

Sing glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o!

rit.