

# There Were Shepherds

Arr. A. M.

There were shep-herds a-bid-ing in the fields, Keep-ing watch, keep-ing watch o'er their

flocks by night. And the an-gel of the Lord came up-on them, And the

glo-ry of the Lord shone round a-bout them, And the glo-ry of the Lord, the glo-ry of the

Lord shone round a-bout them, And they were sore a-fraid, and they were sore a-fraid.

"Fear ye not, fear ye not, for be-hold I

And the an-gel said un-to them:

bring you good ti-dings of great joy, Which shall be to all peo-ple, to all peo-ple; For

un - to you is born this day, in the cit - y of Da-vid, A Sav - iour which is

Christ..... the Lord. Then sud - den - ly there was with the an - gel a mul - ti - tude

of the heav'n-ly host, And prais-ing God and say - ing, prais - ing God and say - ing:

Glo - ry! Glo - ry! Glo - ry to God in the high - est! On earth peace and con-cord, Un-to

man - kind good - will and fa - vor! Un-to man-kind good - will and fa - vor!

Glo - ry to God! In the high - est! Glo - ry to God! In the high - est!

*p* *mf*

On earth peace and con-cord. On earth peace and con-cord, Un-to man kind good will and fa - vor!

*f* *mf* *p* *mf*

Glo - ry! Glo - ry! Glo - ry to God in the high - est! On earth peace and con-cord, Un-to

*f* *mf* *Fine*

man - kind good - will and fa - vor! Un-to man-kind good - will and fa - vor!

**CHORAL** *Slowly* *p*

How shall I, Lord, re - ceive Thee And how Thy grace ex - tol? My spir - it's crown and

*f* *f*

glo - ry, O bride-groom of my soul! Give me the un - der - stand - ing How

*p* *D.S. al Fine*

full of light and grace My soul may e'er es - teem Thee, In rev - rence sing Thy praise!