

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing "Mendelssohn"

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Choir and Organ

1 Hark! the her - ald an - gels sing Glo - ry to the new - born King;
2 Christ, by high - est heav'n a - dored, Christ, the ev - er - last - ing Lord,

Peace on earth and mer - cy mild, God and sin - ners re - con - ciled:
Late in time be - hold him come, Off - spring of a vir - gin's womb:

Joy - ful all ye na - tions rise, Join the tri - umph of the skies,
Veiled in flesh the God - head see, Hail th'in - car - nate de - i - ty!

With th'an - gel - ic host pro - claim, Christ is born in Beth - le - hem.
Pleased as man with man to dwell, Je - sus, our Em - man - u - el.

Org.
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Org. ped.

Descant

Melody

Organ

3 Hail the Prince of Peace! Hail the Sun of

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Right - eous - ness! Light and life he brings, Ris'n with heal - ing

Right - eous - ness! Light and life to all he brings, Ris'n with heal - ing

in his wings. Mild he lays his glo - ry by, Born that man no

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The first system of the musical score consists of two vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The vocal staves are in a soprano and alto register, with lyrics: "more may die, Born to raise the sons of earth,". The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and chords in the right hand.

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The second system continues the vocal and piano parts. The lyrics are: "Born to give them se - cond birth. Hark! the her - ald". The piano accompaniment includes some chromatic movement in the bass line.

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The third system concludes the page with the lyrics: "an - gels sing Glo - ry to the new - born King." The piano accompaniment features a more active bass line with some grace notes.