

Sheffield Carols at Ryton 2007

Awake Arise G

Awake arise good Christians, let nothing you dismay
Remember Christ our saviour was born upon this day
The self-same moon was shining that now is in the sky
When a holy band of angels, came down from God on high
"Hosannah, hosannah" to Jesus we'll sing
Hosannah, hosannah, our saviour and king

Fear not we bring glad tidings, for on this happy morn,
The promised one, the saviour, in Bethlehem's town was born
Up rose the simple shepherds, all with a joyful mind
And let us go in haste they say, this holy child to find
"Hosannah, hosannah" to Jesus we'll sing
Hosannah, hosannah, our saviour and king

And like unto the shepherds, we wander far and near
And bid you awake, good Christians, the joyful news to hear
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Hosannah, hosannah, our saviour and king
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Jacob's Well F

At Jacob's well, a stranger sought
His drooping frame to cheer
His drooping frame to cheer
Samaria's daughter little thought (*Split Line*)
That Jacob's God was near
Samaria's daughter little thought
That Jacob's God was near

This had she known, her fainting mind
For richer draughts had sighed
For richer draughts had sighed
Nor had Messiah ever kind (*Split Line*)
Those richer draughts denied
Nor had Messiah ever kind
Those richer draughts denied

This ancient well, no glass so true
Britannia's image shows
Britannia's image shows
Now Jesus travels Britain through (*Split Line*)
But who the stranger knows?
Now Jesus travels Britain through
But who the stranger knows?

Yet Britain must the stranger know
Or soon her loss deplore
Or soon her loss deplore
Behold the living waters flow (*Split Line*)
Come drink and thirst no more
Behold the living waters flow
Come drink and thirst no more
Behold the living waters flow
Come drink and thirst no more

Hail Smiling Morn C

Hail! Smiling morn, smiling morn,
That tips the hills with gold
That tips the hills with gold
At whose rosy fingers open wide the gates of heaven,
The gates of heaven
At whose rosy fingers open wide the gates of heaven

All the green fields that nature doth enfold
All the green fields that nature doth enfold
At whose bright presence, darkness flies away,
Flies away, (flies away), Flies away, (flies away)
Darkness flies away, Darkness flies away
At whose bright presence, darkness flies..
Darkness flies away, (Flies awa-a-a-y)
Darkness flies away, (Flies awa-a-a-y)
Darkness flies away
Hail Hail, Hail Hail,
Hail Hail, Hail Hail,

Back Lane c

Behold! The Grace Appears,
The promise is Fulfilled
The promise is Fulfilled
Mary the wondrous virgin bears (*Split Line*)
And Jesus is the Child (*Split Line*)
And Jesus is the Child (*Split Line*)
And Jesus is the Child

"Go humble swains" said he,
"To David's City Fly
"To David's City Fly
The promised infant born today" (*Split Line*)
Doth In a manger lie (*Split Line*)
Doth In a manger lie (*Split Line*)
Doth In a manger lie

With looks and hearts serene,
Go visit Christ your King
Go visit Christ your King
And straight a flaming troop was seen (*Split Line*)
The shepherds heard them sing (*Split Line*)
The shepherds heard them sing (*Split Line*)
The shepherds heard them sing

All Glory be to God, and on the earth be peace
And on the earth be peace
Goodwill henceforth from heaven to men (*Split Line*)
Begin and Never Cease (*Split Line*)
Begin and Never Cease (*Split Line*)
Begin and Never Cease

Awake awake ye saints awake, and hail this day our saviour's born
Awake awake ye saints awake, and hail this day our saviour's born
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Praise Ye the Lord

Mount Moriah G

Glory to God, the angels sing
Glad tidings, lo I bring
Glad tidings, lo I bring
In David's city lies a babe
And Jesus is the child (*Split Line Bass first*)
And Jesus is the child (*Split Line*)
And Jesus is the child

Glory to God let man reply
For Christ the lord is come
For Christ the lord is come
Behold him in a manger lie
A stable is his room (*Split Line*)
A stable is his room (*Split Line*)
A stable is his room

Glory to God, let all the earth
Join in the heavenly song
Join in the heavenly song
And praise him for a saviour's birth
In every land and tongue (*Split Line*)
In every land and tongue (*Split Line*)
In every land and tongue

And praise him for a saviour's birth
In every land and tongue (*Split Line*)
In every land and tongue (*Split Line*)
In every land and tongue

Shepherds (Eh up) G

While Shepherds watched their flocks by night, All seated
on the ground
The Angel of the Lord came down, And Glory shone around

Chorus

Eh up, Chime on Chime on, Merry merry Christmas bells
chime on
Eh up, Chime on Chime on, Merry merry Christmas bells
chime on

"Fear not" said he, for mighty dread, Had seized their
troubled mind
"Glad tidings of great joy I bring, To you and all mankind

"To you in David's town this day, Is born of David's line,
A saviour who is Christ the Lord, And this shall be the sign"

"All Glory be to God on high, And to the Earth be peace
Goodwill henceforth from heaven to men, Begin and never
cease".

Shepherds Arise (Coppers) E flat

Shepherds arise, be not afraid, with hasty steps prepare
To David's City, sin on earth
With our blest infant--with our blest infant there
With our blest infant there, with our blest infant there.

Chorus

Sing, sing all earth, sing sing all earth eternal praises sing
To our redeemer, to our redeemer and our heavenly King.

Laid in a manger, viewed a child, humility divine
Sweet innocence sounds meek and mild
Grace in his features-- grace in his features shine
Grace in his features shine, grace in his features shine

For us the saviour came on earth, for us his life he gave
To save us from eternal death
And to raise us from--to raise us from the grave
And to raise us from the grave, to raise us from the grave

Diadem G

All hail the power of Jesus' name
Let angels prostrate fall
Let angels prostrate fall
Bring forth the royal diadem
And crown him, crown him, crown him crown him
And crown him lord of all

Ye saints redeemed of Adam's race
Ye ransomed from the fall
Ye ransomed from the fall
Hail him who saves you by his grace
And crown him, crown him, crown him crown him
Crown him, crown him, crown him
And crown him lord of all

Sinners, whose can ne'er forget
The wormwood and the gall
The wormwood and the gall
Go spread your trophies at His feet
And crown him, crown him, crown him crown him
And crown him lord of all

Oh that with yonder sacred throng
We at His feet may fall
We at His feet may fall
Join in the everlasting song
And crown him, crown him, crown him crown him
And crown him lord of all

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And crown him lord of all
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Shepherds (Liverpool) G

While Shepherds watched their flocks by
night,
All seated on the ground,
The Angel of (*split line*)
The Lord came down, (*split line*)
And Glory shone around (*split line*)
And Glory shone around (*split line*)
And Glory shone around
And Glory shone around

"Fear not" said he, for mighty dread,
Had seized their troubled mind
Glad tidings of (*split line*)
Great joy I bring, (*split line*)
To you and all mankind (*split line*)
To you and all mankind (*split line*)
To you and all mankind
To you and all mankind

To you in David's town this day,
Is born of David's line,
A saviour who (*split line*)
Is Christ the Lord, (*split line*)
And this shall be the sign (*split line*)
And this shall be the sign (*split line*)
And this shall be the sign

All glory be to God on high
And on the earth be peace
Goodwill henceforth (*split line*)
From heaven to men, (*split line*)
Begin and never cease (*split line*)

Good News (Oughtibridge) A

Hark hark what news those angels bring
Glad tidings of a new born king
Glad tidings of a new born king
Born of a maid (*split line*)
A virgin pure (*split line*)
Born without sin (*split line*)
From guilt secure (*split line*)
Born without sin from guilt secure
Hail mighty prince, eternal king
Let heaven and earth rejoice and sing
Let heaven and earth rejoice and sing
Angels and men (*split line*)
With one accord (*split line*)
Break forth the in song (*split line*)
To praise the Lord (*split line*)
Break forth in song to praise the Lord
Behold he comes and leaves the skies
Awake ye slumbering mortals rise
Awake ye slumbering mortals rise
Awake to joy (*split line*)
And hail the morn (*split line*)
The saviour of (*split line*)
This world was born (*split line*)
A saviour of this world was born
A saviour of this world was born
A saviour of this world was born
A saviour of this world was born

Shepherd's (Pentonville) G

While Shepherds watched their flo-o-o-o-ocks
by ni-i-i-i-ight,
All seated on the ground
All sea-ea-ea-ea-ted on the ground,
The Angel o-o-o-of the Lord came down,
And Glory shone around (*split line*)
And Glory shone around (*split line*)
And Glory shone ar-ou-ou-ou-nd
The Angel of the Lord came down, And Glory
shone around
And Glo-o-, and glo-o-o-ry shone around

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