

1. Song for Baby Jesus

From the C3HUU 2018 Pageant "Jesus, the Refugee"

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Moderato

*ANGEL OF THE LORD: Come one, come all. Bring your gifts to this child.
For a new hope has entered the world, and this moment should be cherished.
Enter and rejoice!*

The first system of the musical score consists of a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is written on a single staff with a treble clef and a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). It begins with a whole rest, indicating the start of the vocal entry. The piano accompaniment is written on two staves (treble and bass clefs) and features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.

3 **A** *ANGELS:*

The second system of the musical score features a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with the lyrics "Ba - by Je - sus, take our gift of stars, Plucked from hea - ven just for you, May they warm you". The piano accompaniment continues with the same eighth-note accompaniment in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.

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The third system of the musical score features a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line continues with the lyrics "with their light, Guide you safe-ly on your way." and ends with a double bar line. The piano accompaniment continues with the same eighth-note accompaniment in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.

14 **B** *SHEPHERDS:*

The fourth system of the musical score features a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with the lyrics "Ba - by Je - sus, take our gift of cheese, Pro - duct of our heal - thy herd. May it make you". The piano accompaniment continues with the same eighth-note accompaniment in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.

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strong and sure, As you jour-ney e-ver on.

25 **C** *LAMBS:*

Ba - by Je - sus, take our gift of wool, May it help to keep you warm, Sheild you from the

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win-ter wind. We're so glad you've joined us here.

35 **D** *ALL ASSEMBLED:*

Wel-come to our world, Ba-by Je-sus, May you find a world that will nur-ture you...

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Wel-come to our world, Ba-by Je-sus, We're so glad to have you here. Wel-come to our world, Ba-by

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Je-sus, Please ac-cept the gifts that we bring for you. As you grow and learn, Ba-by Je-sus,

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We will hold you in our care. We will hold you in our

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care.

*ANGEL OF THE LORD: Today in Bethlehem a child is born.
He shall bring peace and love to the world, and will be looked
upon with favor by all future generations.
Come worship him and give him praise!*

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59 **E** ALL ASSEMBLED:

Wel-come to our world, Ba - by Je - sus, May you find a world that will nur-ture you.---

This system contains measures 59 through 62. The vocal line begins with a treble clef and a key signature of two flats. The lyrics are: "Wel-come to our world, Ba - by Je - sus, May you find a world that will nur-ture you.---". The piano accompaniment consists of a right hand with chords and a left hand with a simple bass line.

Wel-come to our world, Ba - by Je - sus, We're so glad to have you here. We will

This system contains measures 63 through 66. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "Wel-come to our world, Ba - by Je - sus, We're so glad to have you here. We will". The piano accompaniment continues with chords and a bass line.

hold you in our care.---

This system contains measures 67 through 70. The vocal line has the lyrics: "hold you in our care.---". The piano accompaniment features a prominent sustained chord in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.