

LUKE 2:8-9

Josef Mohr, c.1817; vs. 1,3 tr. by John F. Young; vs. 2,4 tr. by Anonymous

Silent Night

STILLE NACHT

Franz X. Gruber, c.1820

The musical score consists of four staves of music in G major, 6/8 time. The first staff begins with a dynamic of *mp*. The lyrics are:

1. Si - lent night, ho - ly night, All is calm, all is bright
2. Si - lent night, ho - ly night, Shep - herds quake at the sight;
3. Si - lent night, ho - ly night, Son of God, love's pure light;
4. Si - lent night, ho - ly night, Won - drous star, lend thy light;

The second staff continues the melody.

The third staff begins with a C chord. The lyrics are:

Round yon vir - gin moth - er and Child. Ho - ly In - fant, so ten - der and mild,
Glo - ries stream from heav - en a - far, Heav'n - ly hosts sing Al - le - lu - ia!
Ra - diant beams from Thy ho - ly face With the dawn of re - deem-ing grace,
With the an - gels let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia to our King;

The fourth staff continues the melody.

The fifth staff begins with a D7 chord. The lyrics are:

Sleep in heav - en - ly peace, Sleep in heav - en - ly peace.
Christ the Sav - ior is born, Christ the Sav - ior is born!
Je - sus, Lord, at Thy birth, Je - sus, Lord, at Thy birth.
Christ the Sav - ior is born, Christ the Sav - ior is born!

The sixth staff concludes the piece.

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