

The Christmas Lamb
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Anon., 1809
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Unrushed, with reverence and awe (♩ = c. 60-64)

Piano *mp*

4 *unis. mp*

SA Come, Chris-tians all, be - hold the Lamb, _____ who

7 *div.*

on this day was born. Come rise and praise his ho - ly

Detailed description: The score is in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). The piano part begins with a melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand. The vocal parts (Soprano and Alto) enter at measure 4 with a unison melody. The lyrics are: 'Come, Chris-tians all, be - hold the Lamb, _____ who on this day was born. Come rise and praise his ho - ly'. The piano accompaniment continues throughout, providing harmonic support for the vocal lines.

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10 *unis.* *div.*
 name, _____ and ush - er in the morn, and

13 *unis. poco rit.* *a tempo*
 ush - er in the morn.

poco rit. *a tempo mp*

16 *unis. mf*
 From heav'n these glo - rious tid - ings

19
 came _____ to mor - tals here on earth. God

22 *div.* *mf*

sent his own be - lov - ed Son _____ with us to spend his

25 *unis.* *poco rit.* *a tempo*

birth, with us to spend his birth.

28 *div. mp*

SA
TB

Come

31 bow be - fore the Lamb of God, _____ who came to set us

Oo. _____ came to set us

Oo. _____ set _____ us

div.

34 free, _____ to rec - on - cile us with our God _____ and

free, _____ to rec - on - cile us with our God _____ and

free, to rec - on - cile us with our God,

mf

37

our sal - va - tion be, our sal -

our sal - va - tion, our sal -

mp *mf*

3 3

40

poco rit. *a tempo* *unis. f*

va - tion be! Now

poco rit. *a tempo* *unis. f*

va - tion be! Now

poco rit. *a tempo*

43

to the Fath - er, to the Son _____ be praise and glo - ry

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f

46

giv'n. Let saints on earth with an - gels sing _____ the

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div. *ff* *poco rit.* *mf*

div. *ff* *poco rit.*

cresc. *poco rit.*



50

heav'n.

poco rit.

har - mon - y of, har - mon - y of heav'n.

mf

poco rit.

har - mon - y of heav'n.

mp

poco rit.

8va

53

unis. mp

poco rit.

molto rit.

Come, be - hold the Lamb.

mp

poco rit.

unis. molto rit.

Come, be - hold the Lamb.

poco rit.

p

molto rit.