the Babe of Bethlehem

Words and Melody

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Maestoso.

PIANO.

Moderato.

1. The evening shadows draw, They mark the closing day. But
   lo: a glorious light appears in one resplendent ray.

2. The humble shepherds on the plains, They watch their flocks by night. They
   gaze in wonder and exclaim "Behold that star so bright, Be-

   one resplendent ray Dispels the darkness of the night. In
   hold that star so bright?" The Angel then appeared to them, He

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each successive gem, What can it be that shines so bright? 'Tis the shone in bright array. "Fear not!" He said, "Good news I bring, Your

1st Verse.

'Tis the star! 'Tis the star of Bethlehem.

2nd Verse.

King is born, Your King is born, Your King is born today."
3. Hark! the music sounds harmonious, Hear the heav'ly arches ringing.

Lo the angels chant in chorus, Hosanna to the new born King.

Let all the earth lift up her voices, Join the heav'ly host and sing, Hosannah.
Hosanna to the Prince Victorious, Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna!

Hosanna to the new born King.

Hosanna!

Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna to the new born King.

Hosanna!