

A CHRISTMAS HYMN

For Mixed Voices, S.A.T.B., with Organ

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Andante (♩ = 72)

Soprano
Altounison *mp*

A sta - ble lamp is light - ed whose

Tenor
Bass

Organ

mp

[Pedal]

3

glow shall wake_ the sky;

unison *mp**espressivo*

The stars shall bend their voi - ces, And

espr.

5

with more vigor

mf

And ev - 'ry stone shall cry, And

ev - 'ry stone shall cry. And ev - 'ry stone shall cry,

mf

with more vigor

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straw like gold shall shine; A

A barn shall har - bor heav - en, A

9

poco rit. e dim. *div.* *unis.* [♩ = ♩]

stall be - come a shrine, A stall be - come a shrine. Ve -

poco rit. e dim. [♩ = ♩]

11

Flowing a tempo

ni - te a - do - ra - mus, Ve -

div. *unis.* *div.*

Ve - ni - te a - do - ra - mus, Ve -

Flowing a tempo