

The Snow Lay On the Ground*

Treble Chorus, SA and Piano

Traditional Irish-English

Arranged by
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Gently ♩ = ca. 66

Piano *mp* *p*

5 Soprano *poco rit.* *mp* *a tempo*

Alto

1. The snow lay on the ground,
2. 'Twas Ma - ry, Vir - gin pure, *mp*

poco rit. *a tempo*

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When Christ our Lord was born
That brought in - to this world

star shone bright, On
ho - ly Anne, the

* A recording of this piece (performed by Glorïae Dei Cantores, Elizabeth C. Patterson, conductor) is available on the CD *be merry! Celebrate Advent and Christmas with Gloria Dei Cantores*, available from www.paracletepress.com.

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duration: c. 3:13

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Ve - ni - te a - do - ra - mus
She laid him in a stall at

Christ - mas night.
God made Man.

Ped.

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Do - mi - num;
Beth - le - hem,

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Beth - le - hem,

Ve - ni - te a - do - ra - mus
The ass and ox - en shared the

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Do - mi - num.
Beth - le - hem.

Do - mi - num.
room with him.

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

Ped. Ped. Ped.