

While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks

Lyrics: attributed to Nahum Tate (1652–1715)

Music: trad. Christmas carol
Arrangement: Gwyn Arch



All **Cheerful / Fröhlich** $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 92$

Piano **Cheerful / Fröhlich** $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 92$

mf

5 **mf**

1. While shep - herds watched their flocks by night
2. "Fear not", said he, for mighty
4. Thus spake the ser - aph; and forth - whil

all
had
ap -

9

seat - ed on the ground
seized their troub - bled mind
peared a - bing

"Glad tid - ings of an - gels

14

of I came down,
of g. I bring,
prais - ing who thus,

the glad an - gel of the Lord came
tid - ings of great joy I
an - gels prais-ing God, who

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The musical score consists of four staves of music for voice and piano. The vocal part is in common time, treble clef, and has lyrics in both English and German. The piano part is also in common time and treble clef. The music is labeled 'Cheerful / Fröhlich' and 'mf'. The score includes measures 1 through 14, with lyrics provided for each. A large watermark 'SAMPLE HELBLING.COM' is diagonally across the page.

div. (optional lower part / tiefere Stimme optional)

cresc.

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down, and glo - ry shone a - round, and glo - ry shone a - round, and glo - ry shone a - round,
bring thus to you and all man - kind, to you and all man - kind, to you and all man - kind,
ad - dressed their joy - ful song, ad - dressed their joy - ful song, ad - dressed their joy - ful song,

cresc.

24

glo - ry shone a - round.
you and their all joy - ful song:
dressed their all joy - ful song:

Verse 4 to Coda ♪

28

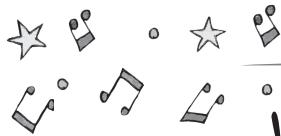
1
mf
3. "To you in Da - vid's town this day

2
3. "To you in Da - vid's town this day is born of

mf

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is born of Da - vid's line, Da - vid's line, a sav - iour
Da - vid's line, a sav - iour



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1. While shep-herds watched their flocks by night
2. "Fear not", said he, for might-y dread
4. Thus spake the ser - aph; and forth - with

all seat - ed
had seized
ap - peared a

10

on the ground, the of the Lord came down,
trou - bled mind. "Glad tid - ings of great joy I bring,
shin - ing thron - gous prais-in - g God, who thus,

17

the glad an - ge - lins the come down, and glo - ry shone a - round, and
of tid - ies great joy bring you and all man - kind, to ad -
an - ges from God, who thus ad - dressed their joy - ful song,

div. (optional lower part / tiefere Stimme optional)
cresc.

22

glo - ry shone a - round, and glo - ry shone a - round.
you and man - kind, to you and all man - kind." song:
dress - ed their joy - ful

Verse 4 to Coda ♪

mf

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