

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

lyrics by Charles Wesley (1739) and music by Felix Mendelssohn (1840). (IV, V)

*G*_(¾) *D7*_(¼) *G*_(¾) *D7*_(¼)
 Hark, the herald angels sing,
 *G*_(¼) *Bm*_(¼) *C*_(½) *G*_(¼) *D7*_(¼) *G*_(½)
 "Glo ry to the new born King.
*G*_(¾) *D7*_(¼) *Em*_(¼) *G*_(¼) *A7*_(½)
 Peace on earth and mer cy mild,
*D*_(¼) *A7*_(¼) *D*_(½) *D*_(¼) *A7*_(¼) *D*_(½)
 God and sinners re con ciled."
 G *D7*_(¼) *G*_(½) *D7*_(¼)
 Joyful all ye na tions rise,
 G *D7*_(¼) *G*_(½) *D7*_(¼)
 Join the triumph of the skies,
*C*_(¾) *E7*_(¼) *Am*_(¼) *E7*_(¼) *Am*_(½)
 With th'angelic host pro claim,
*D7*_(½) *G*_(½) *G*_(¼) *D7*_(¼) *G*_(½)
 "Christ is born in Beth le hem."
 *C*_(¾) *E7*_(¼) *Am*_(¼) *E7*_(¼) *Am*_(½)
 Hark, the herald an gels sing,
 *D7*_(½) *G*_(½) *G*_(¼) *D7*_(¼) *G*_(½)
 "Glory to the new born King!"

Christ by highest heav'n adored,
 Christ, the everlasting Lord,
 Late in time behold Him come,
 Offspring of a virgin's womb.
 Veiled in flesh, the Godhead see;
 Hail, th'incarnate Deity;
 Pleased as man with men to dwell,
 Jesus, our Emmanuel.
 Hark, the herald angels sing,
 "Glory to the newborn King!"

Hail, the heav'n-born Prince of Peace,
 Hail the Son of Righteousness!
 Light and life to all He brings,
 Ris'n with healing in His wings.
 Mild He lays His glory by,
 Born that man no more may die,
 Born to raise the sons of earth,
 Born to give us second birth.
 Hark, the herald angels sing,
 "Glory to the newborn King!"