

1. ALC
2. + B hum

While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks

Words: Nahum Tate (1652-1715)

Este's Psalter, 1592

1. While shep-herds watched their flocks by night, all sea - ted on the ground, The
2. 'Fear not', said he (for migh - ty dread had seized their trou-bled minds); 'Glad

S/A
all
hum

1. While shep-herds watched their flocks by night, all sea - ted on the ground, The
2. (hum)

T/B

an - gel of the Lord came down, and glo - ry shone a - round.
ti - dings of great joy I bring to you and all man - kind.'

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an - gel of the Lord came down, and glo - ry shone a - round.

NO
Soprano
drift
Soprano

all on 2nd
sops + str.

Over
all
offed
3 parts

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

Sa - viour, who is Christ the Lord; and this shall be the sign:

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S/A

4. 'The heav' - nly Babe you there shall find to hu - man view dis - played, All

T/B

W. Schmitz

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mean - ly wrapped in swath - ing bands, and in a man - ger laid.'

Descant

5 (6). 'All glo-ry be to God on high, and to the earth be peace;

Unis.

5 (6). 'All glo - ry be to God on high, and to the earth be peace; Good-

Orgel

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Good - will hence-forth from heav'n to man be-gin and ne-ver cease.'

will hence-forth from heav'n to man be - gin and ne - ver cease.'