

## Silent Night

Silent night, holy night

All is calm, all is bright

'Round yon virgin Mother and Child

Holy infant so tender and mild

Sleep in heavenly peace

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Son of God, oh, love's pure light

Radiant beams from Thy holy face

With the dawn of redeeming grace

Jesus, Lord at Thy birth

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Shepherds quake at the sight!

Glories stream from heaven afar;

Heavenly hosts sing Al-le-lu-ia!

Christ the Savior is born!

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## O Little Town of Bethlehem.

O little town of Bethlehem,  
How  
still we see thee lie.  
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep, the silent stars go  
by.  
Yet in thy dark streets shineth  
The everlasting light.  
The hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee  
tonight.

O morning stars together,  
Proclaim the holy birth.  
And praises sing to God the King, and peace to men on  
earth.  
For Christ is born of Mary;  
And gathered all above.  
While mortals sleep, the angels keep their watch of  
wondering love.

How silently, how silently,  
The wondrous gift is given.  
So God imparts to human hearts the blessings of his  
heaven.  
No ear may hear his coming;  
But in this world of sin,  
Where meek souls will receive him still, the dear Christ  
enters in.

Where children pure and happy,  
Pray to the blessed child,  
Where misery cries out to thee,  
Son of the mother mild.  
Where charity stands watching,  
And faith holds wide the door,  
And dark night wakes, the glory breaks,  
And Christmas comes once more.

# ONCE IN ROYAL DAVID'S CITY

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- 1 Once in royal David's city  
Stood a lowly cattle shed,  
Where a mother laid her baby  
In a manger for His bed.  
Mary was that mother mild,  
Jesus Christ, her little child.
- 2 He came down to earth from heaven  
Who is God and Lord of all,  
And His shelter was a stable  
And His cradle was a stall.  
With the poor and meek and lowly  
Lived on earth our Saviour holy.
- 3 For He is our childhood's pattern,  
Day by day like us He grew.  
He was little, weak and helpless,  
Tears and smiles like us He knew.  
And He feeleth for our sadness,  
And He shareth in our gladness.
- 4 And our eyes at last shall see Him  
Through His own redeeming love,  
For that child, so dear and gentle  
Is our Lord in heav'n above.  
And He leads His children on,  
To the place where He is gone.



## **Love Shone Down**

I had a dream that I was standing on a hillside,  
And all the lights of town were shining far below,  
When up in the air beautiful voices  
Sing a new song, let everyone know.

Oh and Love shone down  
Over the hills and over the valleys,  
Oh and Love shone down  
Over the world.

Somebody spoke to me, I knew it was an angel.  
He said: 'There's something that I think you ought to know.'  
Then he just smiled, said: 'Don't be afraid now,  
Sing a new song, let everyone know.'

[Chorus]

And then he told me all about the baby Jesus,  
How to find him, where exactly I should go.  
Then he was joined by millions of others,  
Sing a new song, let everyone know.

[Chorus]

Well, did I dream or was I really on that hillside,  
On that Christmas night so very long ago?  
When he was born, Jesus our Saviour,  
Sing a new song, let everyone know.

[Chorus]

O come all ye faithful

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant!

O come ye, O come ye, to Bethlehem

Come and behold Him

Born the King of Angels

O come, let us adore Him

O come, let us adore Him

O come, let us adore Him

Christ the Lord!

God of God, Light of Light

Lo, He abhors not the Virgin's womb

Very God

Begotten, not created

O come, let us adore Him

O come, let us adore Him

O come, let us adore Him

Christ the Lord!

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation

Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above!

Glory to God

glory in the highest

O come, let us adore Him

O come, let us adore Him

O come, let us adore Him

Christ the Lord!