

# Let Us Hurry to Bethlehem

SATB

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Moderato

Piano

Measures 1-4 of the piano introduction. The music is in 4/4 time with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). The tempo is Moderato. The first measure starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving bass lines.

Measures 5-8 of the piano introduction. The melodic and harmonic patterns continue from the previous section, maintaining the moderate tempo and piano dynamic.

Measures 9-12 of the piano introduction. The music builds in intensity, with a forte (*f*) dynamic marking in the first measure of this section. The right hand has a more active melodic line, and the left hand features a steady eighth-note accompaniment.

Measures 13-16, the vocal entry. The dynamic is mezzo-forte (*mf*). The lyrics are: "Let us hur - ry to Beth - le - hem. Let us hur - ry to Beth - le - hem". The vocal line is in the treble clef, and the piano accompaniment is in the bass clef.

Piano accompaniment for the vocal entry. The right hand has a melodic line that supports the vocal melody, and the left hand has a steady accompaniment. The dynamic is mezzo-piano (*mp*).

17

and wit - ness this thing that has hap - pened.

21

*mf*

Let us hur-ry to Beth - le-hem. Let us hur-ry to Beth - le-hem

25

as an - gels sing of our sal - va - tion

29 *f*

Glo - ry, glo - ry, glo - ry to God in the

on this Ho - ly night.

34

high - est, and peace and good will to all.

38 *p*

Glo - ry, glo - ry, Sing glo - ry to God.

42

Let us

*f*

47

hur - ry to Beth - le - hem. Let us hur - ry to Beth - le - hem

*mp*

Glo - ry, Glo - ry, Glo - ry, Glo -

*mp*

50

and wor - ship the King who comes with joy.

ry. See Him in Glo - ry.

54

*mf* Let us hur-ry to Beth - le - hem. Let us hur-ry to Beth - le - hem

58

with glad of - fer - ings for Ma - ry's boy

62

*p* born of God's own light. *f* Glo - ry, glo - ry, glo - ry to God in the

67

high - est, and peace and good will to all.

71

Glo - ry, glo - ry, glo - ry to God in the

74

high - est, Let us hur-ry to Beth-le - hem.

hur-ry. Let us hur - ry