

A Silent Night Brings New Light

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SATB with opt. Solos

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The musical score is presented in three systems. The first system (measures 1-4) is for piano, marked 'Freely' and 'mp', in 3/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It features a melody with 'Sra' markings above the notes. The second system (measures 5-8) is also for piano, marked 'Moderately' with a tempo of quarter note = ca. 69. It includes a 'poco rit.' marking and a dynamic change to 'p'. The third system (measures 9-11) features a vocal solo for Soprano or Alto, marked 'Solo (or SA unis.) mp'. The lyrics are: 'On a si - lent night she prayed, on a ho - ly night He came; no fan - fare, no trum - pets to an -'. The piano accompaniment continues throughout.

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nounce His birth. In the qui - et of the day a Ba - by

Solo (or TB *unis.*) *mp*

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slept up - on the hay; no wel - come, no greet - ings as He

18

came to earth. The hum - ble Child,

SA *mf* *poco rit.*

TB *mf*

20 *a tempo*

the new-born King, the prom-ised One

a tempo

22

who would set His peo - ple free. A si - lent

24

night, a ho - ly night, soon the

n.b.

n.b.

26

morn - ing would bring new Light.

28

mp
As the an - gels told His birth, the shep - herds
mp

f *mp*

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rec - og - nized His worth; be - fore Him they came in ad - o -