

for Philip and Cathy Wood

# What Star Is This?

SATB with opt. brass and percussion

Words adapted from various traditional sources by **Craig Curry**

Arranged with new music by **Craig Curry**  
*Puer Nobis Nascitur*, 15th-century carol

① Joyfully ♩ = 84-88

9 SATB Unison *f marcato*

What star is this, with

13

beams so bright, more love - ly than— the noon - day light? It shines to her - ald

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17 3

forth the King, glad ti - dings of our God to bring.

21 SA *mf*

See now ful-filled what

25 TB *mf*

God de-creed: "From Ja - cob shall a star pro-ceed." And lo! the east - ern

29 4

sag - es stand to read in heav - en God's com-mand.

33 SA *mp*

The guid - ing star a - bove is bright; \_\_\_\_\_

TB *mp*

*mp* *cresc.*

37 *mf* *f*

with - in it shines a pur - er light \_\_\_\_\_

*mf* *f*

*mf* *f*

41 *mp*

that leads them on with force be-nign \_\_\_\_\_

*mp*

*sub. mp* *cresc.*

45 *mf*

to seek the Giv - er of the

*mf*

*mf*

48 5 *f* S *mf*

sign. True

*f*

*f*

*f*

*sub. mp*

52

love can brook no dull de - lay though toil and dan - ger

*B mf*

True love can brook no

*mf*

55 S  
lie their way; and yet, their home, their friends and all they

A *mf*  
True love can brook no dull de - lay though

T  
True

B  
dull de - lay though toil and dan - ger lie their way; and

58 *dim.*  
leave at their Cre - a - tor's call.

toil and dan - ger lie their way; and yet, their home, their

love can brook no dull de - lay though toil and dan - ger

yet, their home, their friends and all they leave at their Cre -

61

friends and all they leave at their Cre - a - tor's call.

lie their way; and yet, their home, their friends and all they

a - tor's call.

*dim.*

64

6

*dim.*

leave at their Cre - a - tor's call.

*dim.*