

In Midnight's Silence

Two-part Chorus, Piano and Opt. Handbells or Hand Chimes*

Trad., alt.

Traditional Polish Carol
Arranged by Cynthia Gray

Ranges: Part I Part II



Slowly and freely $\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 52$

Solo or Part I

5 *mp*

I

In mid-night's si - lence, an - gel voic - es cried:

9 *rit.* (solo ends)

I

"Rise up, O shep - herds, Christ is born this night."

Duration: approx. 2:15

*Handbell or Hand Chimes part is on p. 8.

A little faster $\text{♩} = 58$

tutti mp

I
Rise and come to Beth - le'm's sta - ble. See there, ly - ing

II
Rise and come to Beth - le'm's sta - ble. See there, ly - ing

mp

A little faster $\text{♩} = 58$

-HB *mp*

16 *poco rit.*

I
in a man - ger; heav - en's ho - ly son,

II
in a man - ger; heav - en's ho - ly son,

poco rit.

poco rit.

19 *rit.* **Moderately $\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 60$**

I
heav - en's ho - ly one.

II
heav - en's ho - ly one.

rit. **Moderately $\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 60$**

mp

23

mp

In mid - night's si - lence, —

27

mp

Shep-herds ran in haste;

In mid - night's si - lence, —

31

found the hum - ble place.

'Neath the star, they found a man - ger, —

35

I
There with - in, a bless - ed stran - ger. *cresc.*

II
Heav - en's ho - ly

38

I
They be - held him, heav - en's ho - ly one. *mf*

II
son, heav - en's ho - ly one. *mf*

41 **Joyfully**

I

II

Joyfully

f +HB

45 *opt. div.* ***f*** Mu - sic filled the sky. ————
 I ***f*** Mu - sic filled the
 II Break - ing the si - lence, mu - sic filled the

48 An - gels sang on
 I sky.
 II sky. An - gels and shep - herds

51 high: ————
 I An - gels sang on high: "Glo - - -
 II raised their voic - es high. Sing - ing songs of