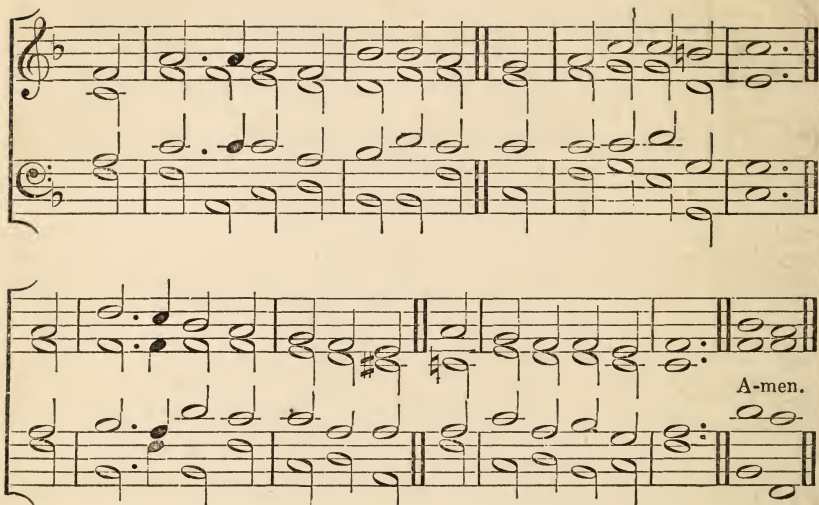


# Christmas.

## Hymn 44.



A-men.

“Unto you is born this day in the city of David a SAVIOUR which is CHRIST the LORD.”

**W**HILE shepherds watched their  
flocks by night,  
All seated on the ground,  
The angel of the LORD came down,  
And glory shone around.

“Fear not,” said he; for mighty dread  
Had seized their troubled mind;  
“Glad tidings of great joy I bring  
To you and all mankind.

“To you in David’s town this day  
Is born of David’s line,  
A SAVIOUR, Who is CHRIST the LORD;  
And this shall be the sign:

“The heavenly Babe you there shall  
find  
To human view displayed,  
All meanly wrapped in swathing bands,  
And in a manger laid.”

Thus spake the seraph; and forthwith  
Appeared a shining throng  
Of angels praising God, who thus  
Addressed their joyful song:

“All glory be to God on high,  
And in the earth be peace; [men  
Good-will henceforth from Heaven to  
Begin and never cease.” Amen.