

# Candlelight Carol

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$\text{♩} = 92$

Soprano

*p* Ooo\_\_\_\_\_ *mp* How do you cap-ture the wind on the

Alto

*p* Ooo\_\_\_\_\_ *mp* How do you cap-ture the wind on the

Tenor

*p* Ooo\_\_\_\_\_

Bass

*p* Ooo\_\_\_\_\_

8

S. wa - ter? *soft* How do you count all the stars in the sky?

A. wa - ter? How do you count all the stars in the sky?

T. 8

B.

13

S. *p*  
How can you mea - sure the love of a mo-ther, Or how can you

A. *cresc.* *dim.*  
How can you mea - sure the love of a mo-ther, Or how can you

T. *p*  
How can you mea - sure the love of a mo-ther, Or how can you

B. *p*  
How can you mea - sure the love of a mo-ther, Or how can you

18

S. *p* *pull back* *pull back*  
write down a ba-by's first cry? Can-dle-light, an-gel light,

A. *p*  
write down a ba-by's first cry? Can - dle - light, an-gel

T. *p*  
Can - dle - light, an-gel

B. *p*  
Can - dle-light, an - gel light,  
Can - dle - light,

23

S. fire - light and star - glow Shine on his cra - dle till

A. light and star - glow Shine on his cra - dle till *cresc.*

T. light and star - glow Shine on his cra - dle till *cresc.*

B. fire - light and star - glow Shine on his cra - dle till *cresc.*

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S. break - ing of dawn. ***f*** Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a

A. break - ing of dawn. ***f*** Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a

T. break - ing of dawn. ***f*** Glo - ri - a

B. break - ing of dawn. ***f*** Glo - ri - a in

31

S. *a tempo* *no breath sound*

in ex - cel - sis De - o! *mp* An - gels are sing - ing; the

A. *dim.* *keep head will*

in ex - cel - sis De - o! *mp* An - gels are sing - ing; the

T. *dim.* *8*

in ex - cel - sis De - o! *mp* An - gels are sing - ing; the

in ex - cel - sis *dim.* De - o! An - gels are sing - ing; the

B. *mp*

— ex - cel - sis De - o! An - gels are sing - ing; the

35

S. *dim.*

Christ child is born. *p* Ooo—

A. *p*

Christ child is born. Ooo—

T. *p*

Christ child is born. Ooo—

B. *p*

Christ child is born. Ooo—

41

S. *Doom...*

A. *Doom...*

T. *mp*  
 Shep - herds and wise men will kneel and a - dore him, Se - ra - phim

B. *Doom...*

46

S.

A.

T. *cresc.*  
 round him their vi - gil will keep; Na - tions pro - claim him their

B.

51

S. 

A. 

T.   
8

B.   
8

Lord and their Sa - viour, But Ma - ry will hold him and sing him to

*p*

*dim.*

56

S.   
*unlike previous narrow* *less cheery*

A.   
*p*

T.   
8

B.   
8

Can - dle - light, an - gel light, fire - light and

Can - dle - light, an - gel light and

sleep. Can - dle - light, an - gel light and

Can - dle - light, an - gel light, fire - light and

*p*

Can - dle - light, fire - light and

60

S. star - glow Shine on his cra - dle till break - ing of dawn.

A. *cresc.* star - glow Shine on his cra - dle till break - ing of dawn.

T. *cresc.* star - glow Shine on his cra - dle till break - ing of dawn..

B. *cresc.* star - glow Shine on his cra - dle till break - ing of dawn. **f** Glo -

*cresc.*

65

S. **f** Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o!

A. **f** Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o! *dim.*

T. **f** Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o! *dim.*

B. **f** Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o! *dim.*

*dim.*

69

S. *mp* An-gels are sing-ing; the Christ child is *p* born. Ooo\_\_\_\_\_

A. *dim.* *mp* An-gels are sing-ing; the Christ child is *p* born. Ooo\_\_\_\_\_

T. *dim.* *mp* An-gels are sing-ing; the Christ child is *p* born. Ooo\_\_\_\_\_

B. *mp* An-gels are sing-ing; the Christ child is *p* born. Ooo\_\_\_\_\_

*dim.*

An - gels are sing-ing; the Christ child is born.

75

S. *dim.* Find him at Beth - le - hem laid in a man-ger: Christ our Re -

A. Find him at Beth - le - hem laid in a man-ger: Christ our Re -

T. Find him at Beth - le - hem laid in a man - ger Christ our Re -

B. Find him at Beth - le - hem laid in a man - ger Christ our Re -

*straight tone, less expressive*



80

S. *mf*  
deem-er a - sleep in the hay. — God-head in - car-nate and hope of sal-

A. *cresc.*  
deem-er a - sleep in the hay. — God-head in - car-nate and hope\_ of sal-

T. *cresc.*  
dee-mer a - sleep in the hay.. God-head in - car-nate and hope\_ of sal-

B. *cresc.*  
dee-mer a - sleep in the hay — God-head in - car-nate and hope of sal-

*cresc.*

86 *straight*

S. *p*  
va-tion: A child with his mo-ther that first Christ - mas Day. Ah\_\_\_\_\_

A. *p*  
va-tion: Hum\_\_\_\_\_ Ah\_\_\_\_\_

T. *p*  
va-tion: Hum\_\_\_\_\_ Can-dle-light,

B. *p*  
va - tion\_ Hum\_\_\_\_\_ Ahh\_\_\_\_\_

92

S. 

A. 

T. 

B. 

an-gel light, fire - light and star glow Shine on his cra - dle till

97

S. 

A. 

T. 

B. 

Glo-ri - a, glo - ri - a

Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a

break - ing of dawn. Glo - ri - a

Glo - ri - a

Glo - ri - a in

101

*slow down*

S. in ex - cel - sis De - o! *mp* An - gels are sing-ing; the

A. *dim.* in ex - cel - sis De - o! *mp* Hum\_\_\_\_\_

T. *dim.* in ex - cel - sis De - o! *mp* Hum\_\_\_\_\_

B. *dim.* in ex - cel - sis De - o! *mp* Hum\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ ex - cel - sis De - o! *mp* Hum\_\_\_\_\_

*dim.*

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*don't > too much*

S. Christ child is born.\_\_\_\_\_ *p*

A. *dim.* *dim.* *p*

T. *dim.* *p*

B. *dim.* *p*