

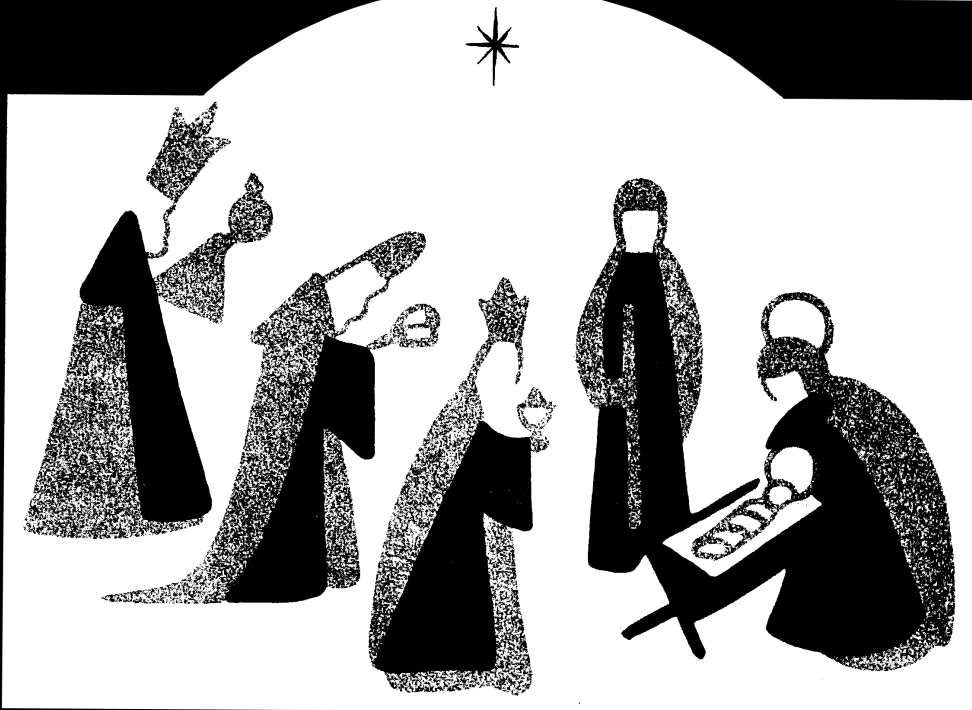


GOD REST YE MERRY, GENTLEMEN

Setting by Norman Dello Joio

for Mixed Voices (SATB)
with Piano Four Hands*

*Orchestra accompaniment available from publisher



Titles in this series: A Christmas Carol; Bright Star (Light of the World);
God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen; Hark! The Herald Angels Sing;
O, Come All Ye Faithful; Silent Night; The Holy Infant's Lullaby

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God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen

Mixed Chorus (SATB) and Piano Four Hands

Duration: 1 min., 30 sec.

TRADITIONAL

(English)

Setting by

NORMAN DELLO JOIO

Stately (♩ = 66)

Chorus

SOPRANO

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

unis. f

(Hum,)

God rest ye mer - ry,

Stately (♩ = 66)

Primo

Secondo

mf

f

5

S

A

T

B

(hum,)

(hum,)

5

I

II

gen - tle - men, let noth - ing you dis - may, Re - mem - ber Christ our

10

S A *mf* (hum,) To save us all from

T B Sa - viour was born on Christ-mas day; *mf*

I

II

15

S A *f* Sa - tan's pow'r when we were gone a - stray.

T B *f* *mf* *unis.* O ti - dings of

I

II

15

40

S A

ti - dings of com - fort and joy.

T B

40

I

II

mf

mf

45

S A

(Hum,) (hum,) (hum.)

p *rall.*

T B

unis. p *rall.*

Rest ye mer - ry, gen - tle - men. (hum,) (hum.)

45

I

p *rall.* *p*

II

p *rall.* *p*

all

Publisher's Note

These seven arrangements by Norman Dello Joio for combined mixed voices are the result of many requests that he utilize his successful piano four hand transcriptions as published in "Christmas Music" for choir settings.

While the piano four hand accompaniment appears in each choral version, the music in the piano four hand folio Christmas Music," which contains *all* these titles, may be readily adapted to facilitate performance by providing a larger note size, minimizing page turns, etc.

Mr. Dello Joio has further enhanced the musical enjoyment of these Christmas songs by scoring an accompaniment for orchestra, which is available on rental from the publisher.

