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Who Will Go to Bethlehem? offers the listener a personal opportunity to identify with the experiences associated with the birth of Christ. To convey the images that describe the desire to share in that special night, sensitivity is urged in both the accompaniment and the vocal performance. After the flute begins the piece with the beautiful "Silent Night" melody, the poignant child solo at the beginning is especially effective at setting this musical mood. It measure 73, the familiar melody directs the listener towards an emotional key change. The piece ends quietly with a sense of awe, deep appreciation, and commitment.

For my granddaughter, Molly

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for S.A.T.B. voices, flute, accompanied\*

Arranged by **JAY ROUSE** (ASCAP)

Words and Music by TINA ENGLISH (ASCAP)



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