

Star-Led and Wonder Bound

Narration Based on
Matthew 2:9, 10

For S.A.T.B. and opt. Children's Voices with Piano Accompaniment

Words and Music by
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Moderately (♩ = 100) Narrator: *They set out and the star went before them.*

Piano *mp*

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⑤ *It led them to the place where the child was, and they were filled with joy.* S.A.* Unison *mp*

You

⑩ don't have to be a king to wor-ship Him, You

legato

⑮ don't have to be a king to fol-low the star. You

*Opt. children's voices, or, treble solo to m. 24.

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mf (20)

don't have to be a king to wor-ship Him; just

mf

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mp S.A. (and Opt. Children's Voices) *mp*

come _____ as you are. You can be

T.B. *mp*

mp

(25)

star - led and won - der bound,

mf (30)

Led by a star's light to Beth - le - hem town,

mf

mf

f (35)

Bound for the won - der that waits to be found,

f

p (40) (Opt. Children's Voices out to m. 74)

star - led and won - der bound.

p *mp*

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T.B. Unison *mf*

You don't have to trav-el far to

mf

(45) *mp*

to wel-come Him, to

wel-come Him. You don't have to trav-el far to

(50)

look on his face. (Oo)

look on his face. You don't have to trav-el far to

55

He is here in this
wel-come Him, He's here, here in this

60

place. and
place. Come and be star led,

won - der bound, led by a star's light to

The musical score is written for a vocal part and a piano accompaniment. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#), and the time signature is 4/4. The score is divided into three systems. The first system starts at measure 55 and includes the lyrics 'He is here in this' and 'wel-come Him, He's here, here in this'. The second system starts at measure 60 and includes the lyrics 'place. and', 'place. Come and be star led,', and 'won - der bound, led by a star's light to'. The piano part features a steady accompaniment with chords and moving lines in both hands. A large, diagonal watermark reading 'PREVIEW COPY NOT FOR PROMOTIONAL USE ONLY' is overlaid across the center of the page.

(65)

Beth - le - hem town, bound for the won - der that

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(70)

waits to be found, star - led and won - der —

slowing

(75)

f *slowing* *f*

won - der bound. You

f *slowing* *f*

bound, won - der bound. You

f *slowing* *f*

a tempo *cresc.* *f* *slowing* *f*

f *slowing* *f*

a tempo (80)

don't have to bring a gift to hon-or Him. You

a tempo div.

don't have to bring a gift to hon-or Him. You

a tempo

don't have to bring a gift of sil-ver or gold. You

of sil-ver or

don't have to bring a gift of sil-ver or gold. You

Unison

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85

don't have to bring a gift to hon-or Him, just
gold to hon - or Him,

don't have to bring a gift to hon-or Him, _____ just

to hon - or Him, just

90

come, come, and be - hold. Come and be
come, come and be - hold Him. Just come and be
be - hold.

come, come and be - hold. Just come,

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star led, and won - der bound,

star led, and won - der bound,

led by a star's light to Beth - le - hem town,

Unison Oo ————— Beth - le - hem — town, div.

led by a star's light to Beth - le - hem town,

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95

100

bound for the won - der that waits to be found, —

(Sop.) bound for the won - der that waits to be found, —

(Ten.) T.B. bound for the won - der that waits to be found, —

star led,

mf star led,

mp won - der

slowing *mf* *mp*

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110 *p* *slowing greatly*

star - led and won - der bound.

p *slowing greatly*

star - led and won - der bound.

bound.

p *slowing greatly* *mp*

115

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