

The First Noel

For TTB* Choir with Piano or Orchestra**

English Carol

W. Sandys' *Christmas Carols*, 1833
Arranged by DAN FORREST
(ASCAP)

Rubato, with warmth and wonder ♩ = 69-76

p

T. I
T. II (or Baritone)

No - el,

B.

p

No - el,

Rubato, with warmth and wonder ♩ = 69-76

mp

(always feel in a slow I)

1 2 3 4

No - el, *poco rit.* *mf* Born is the

No - el, No - el, No -

No - el, No - el, No -

poco rit. *f*

5 6 7 8

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correction

King, No - el. *a tempo*
unis. p

el, No - el. The *a tempo*

9 10 11 12 *a tempo*

gently

first No - el, the an - gels did say, Was to

mp *p* *simile*

13 14 15 16

(L.H. smooth and unaccented)

cer - tain poor shep - herds in fields where they lay, *mp* In

17 18 19 20

fields — where — they lay — keep - ing their sheep, On a

mp

21 22 23 24

cold win - ter's night — that was — so deep. No -

mp

25 26 27 28

T. I
No - el, No - el, No - el, No - el!

T. II
el, No - el, No - el, No - el!

B. *mp*
el, No - el, No - el, No - el!

mp *mf*

29 30 31 32

mf
Born is the King — of Is — ra — el.

mp

33 34 35 36

mf
They — look — ed —

simile

37 38 39 40

unis.
up and — saw — a star Shin-ing in — the

mp
Saw a star Shin-ing in the

41 42 43 44