

Commissioned by Dauphin Way United Methodist Church, Mobile, Alabama  
Dedicated to my mother, Jessie Manning Baldwin

# I Saw Three Ships

For S.A.B. Voices with Piano Accompaniment

Traditional English melody  
Setting by FRED BALDWIN

*(♩. = ca. 112)*

Piano *mf*

5

B. *mf*

Hrmmm. Hrmmm. Hrmmm.

10

Hrmmm. Hrmmm. Hrmmm. Hrmmm.

S.A. *mf* 15

I saw three ships come sail-ing in, on Christ-mas Day, on Christ-mas Day; I

Hrmmm. Hrmmm. Hrmmm. Hrmmm. Hrmmm.

(20)

saw three ships come sail - ing in on Christ - mas Day in the morn - ing.

Hrmmm. Hrmmm. Hrmmm. Hrmmm.

Since 1892

*mf*



(25)

And what was in those

*f*

*mp*



(30)

What was

ships all three, on Christ - mas Day, on Christ - mas Day? And what was in those

*mf*



35

in those ships, in the morn - ing?

ships all three, on Christ-mas Day in the morn - ing?

*f*

40

Christ-mas Day in the morn - ing.



45

*f* Christ - mas Day in the morn - ing.

50

*mf* The Vir - gin Ma - ry and Christ were there on

*mp* The Vir - gin Ma - ry and

55

Christ - mas Day, on Christ - mas Day; the Vir - gin Ma - ry and Christ were there on

Christ were there; the Vir - gin Ma - ry, on

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60

Christ-mas Day in the morn-ing.

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*cresc. poco a poco*

*f*

*unis. f*

*f*

Then let us all re-joice and sing on Christ-mas Day, on

*mf*

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70

Christ-mas Day; then let us all re-joice and sing on Christ-mas Day in the



75

morn - ing! And all the bells on earth shall ring on Christ - mas Day, on

morn - ing! All the bells on earth shall



80

Christ - mas Day; and all the bells on earth shall ring on Christ - mas Day in the

ring; and all the bells shall ring in — the





div. 85

morn - ing. And all the bells on earth shall ring on Christ-mas Day, on



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Christ-mas Day, and all the bells on earth shall ring on Christ-mas Day in the morn-ing!



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On Christ-mas Day in the morn-ing!



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