

Traditional

# Let heaven and earth rejoice and sing

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(?1830 - ?)

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The musical score is written for Soprano (S.), Alto (A.), and Men's voices, along with a piano accompaniment. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is 4/4. The tempo is marked 'h = 72'. The score consists of two systems. The first system includes vocal lines for S., A., and Men, and a piano accompaniment. The second system, starting at measure 6, continues the vocal and piano parts. The piano part features a steady bass line and chords that support the vocal melody.

1. Let heaven and earth rejoice and sing,  
Salute this happy morn;  
The saviour, which is Christ our king,  
Upon this day was born.

3. Wise men and kings rich gifts did bring  
To Bethlehem straitway,  
Conducted by a leading star  
To where the Christ child lay.

2. Come let us join our hearts to God,  
And thus exalt his fame;  
To save us all this babe was born  
And Jesus is his name.

4. O Lord, to thee all glory be,  
whom heaven and earth adore;  
For our redeemer we will praise,  
This day and evermore.

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