

# Angels We Have Heard on High

## GLORIA

1. An - gels we have heard on high, sweet - ly sing - ing o'er the plains,  
2. Shep - herds, why this ju - bi - lee? Why your joy - ous strains pro - long?  
3. Come to Beth - le - hem and see Him whose birth the an - gels sing;  
4. See with - in a man - ger laid Je - sus, Lord of heav'n and earth!

and the moun - tains in re - ply ech - o - ing their joy - ous strains:  
What the glad - some ti - dings be which in - spire your heav'n - ly song?  
come, a - dore on bend - ed knee Christ the Lord, the new - born King.  
Ma - ry, Jo - seph, lend your aid, sing with us our Sav - ior's birth.

Glo - - - - ri - a,

in ex - cel - sis De - o! Glo - - - -

- - - - ri - a, in ex - cel - sis De - o!

WORDS: Traditional French carol, 18th cent.; tr. *Crown of Jesus*, 1862

7.7.7.7.Ref

MUSIC: Traditional French melody, 18th cent.; arr. Edward S. Barnes, 1937