

The First Nowell

Text: Trad. England

Musik: Trad. England
Satz: John Stainer (1840–1901)



Soprano (S) Part:

Alto (A) Part:

Tenor (T) Part:

Bass (B) Part:

Lyrics:

1. The first 'No - well!' the angel say,
2. They look - ed up saw star was to shin-ing
3. And by the light or some star three
4. This star drew nigh to the north west o'er

5.

(1.) cer - tain poor shep - herds in field as they lay. In fields where
(2.) in the east, be - yond them far. And to the
(3.) wise men came co - try far. To seek for a
(4.) Beth - le hem it its rest. And there it

10.

(1.) they re - main ing mer - sheep on a cold win - ter's night that
(2.) earth it gave great light, and so it con - tin - ued both
(3.) King their in - tent, and to fol - low the star where - so -
(4.) di - bous stop and stay, right o - ver the place where