
Cantique de Noël

Christmas Song

(O Holy Night)

Words

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Music

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Soprano/Tenor Solo or Unison

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Minuit, Chrétien, c'est l'heure solennelle
O Holy Night!

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Andante Maestoso



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1. Mi - nuit, _____ Chré -
O ho - ly
2. De no - tre
Led by the
3. Le Ré - demp -
Tru - ly he

tien, _____ c'est l'heu - re so - len - nel - le OÙ l'homme
night! _____ *the stars are bright - ly shin - ing. It is the*
 foi _____ que la lu - miere ar - den - te Nous gui - de
light _____ *of stars se - rene - ly beam - ing, with glow - ing*
 teur a bri - sé _____ tout - te en - tra - ve, La terre est
taught _____ *us all to love each oth - er, His law is*

Dieu des - cen - dit jus - qu'à nous
night of the dear Sav - iour's birth;
 tous au ber - ceau de l'en - fant.
hearts by his cra - dle we stand.
 li-bre et le ciel est ou - vert.
love and his gos - pel is peace.

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Pour ef - fa - cer la tâ - che o - ri - gi -
Long lay the world in sin and er - ror
 Comme au - tre - fois une é - toi - le bril -
Thus led by light of star so sweet - ly
 Il voit un fré - re où n'é - tait qu'un es -
Good - will on earth, with ev - ry one a

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nel - le Et de son père ar - rê - ter le cour -
pin - ing, Till he ap - pear'd and the soul felt its
 lan - te Y con - dui - sit les chefs de l'o - ri -
gleam - ing, Here came the wise men from the O - rient
 cla - ve L'a - mour u - nit ceux qu'en chaî - nait le
bro - ther, and in his name all op - press - sion shall

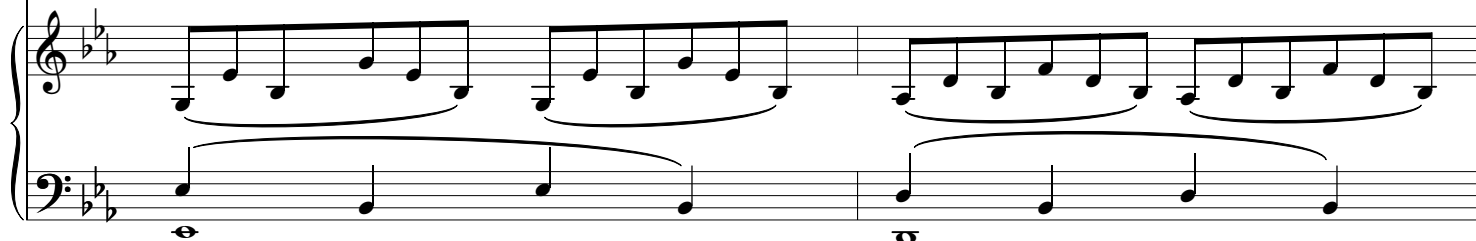
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roux. Le mon - de en - tier tres -
worth. A thrill of hope the
 ent Le Roi des Rois naît
land. The King of kings lay
 fer. Qui lui di - ra no -
cease. Sweet hymns of joy in

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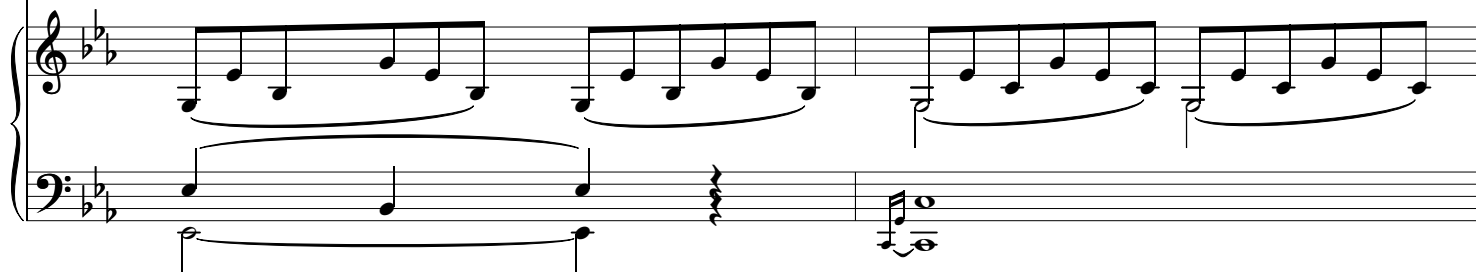
sail - le d'es - pé - ran - ce A cet - te nuit _____ qui
 wea - ry world re-joice - es, For yon - der breaks _____ a
 dans une hum - ble crè - che; Puis - sans du jour, fiers _____
 thus in low - ly man - ger, In all our tri - als _____
 tre re - con - nais - san - ce? C'est pour nous tous qu'l _____
 grate - ful ad - o - ra - tion, Let all with - in us _____



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lui don - ne un sau - veur Peu - ple à ge -
 new and glo - tious morn, Fall on your
 de vo - tre gran - deur. À vo - tre or -
 born to be our friend. He knows our
 naît, qu'il souffre et meurt. Peu - ple de
 praise his ho - ly name. Christ is the



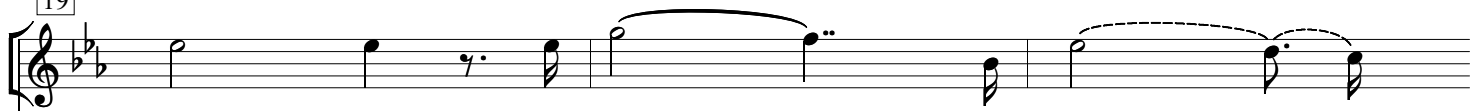
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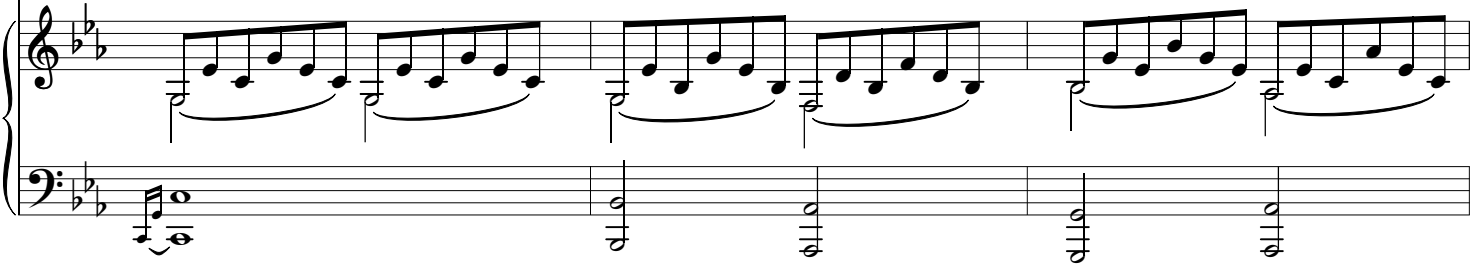
noux _____ at - tends _____ ta dé - li -
 knees! _____ Oh! hear _____ the an - gel
 gueil _____ c'est de là _____ qu'un Dieu _____
 need, _____ he guard _____ - eth us from
 bout, _____ chan - te ta dé - li -
 Lord, _____ the hope _____ of ev - 'ry



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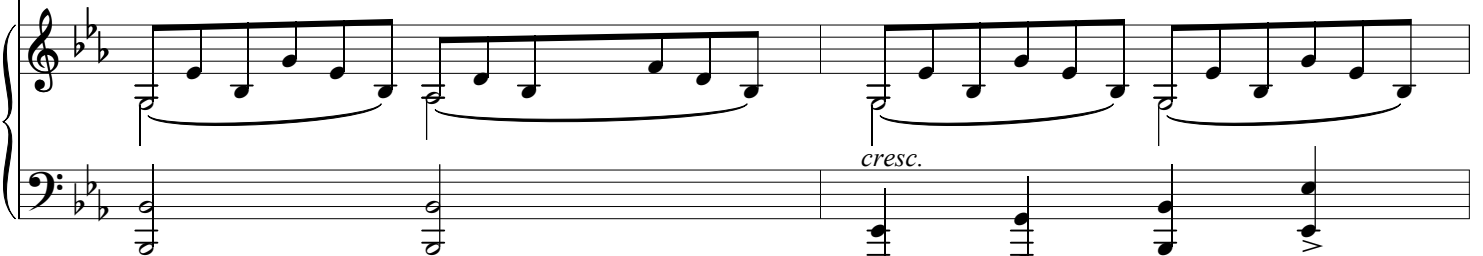
vran - ce No - ël, No - ël voi -
 voic - rs! O night di - vine! O
 prê - ce, Cour - bez vos fronts de
 dan - ger. Be - hold your King! Be -
 vran - ce No - ël, No - ël, chan -
 na - tion. His power and glo - ry



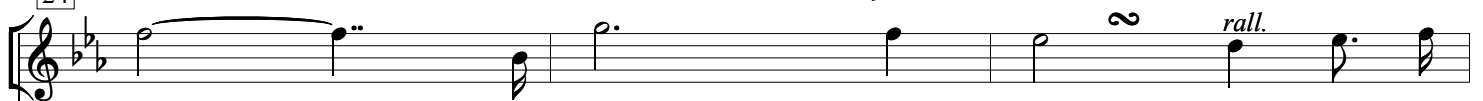
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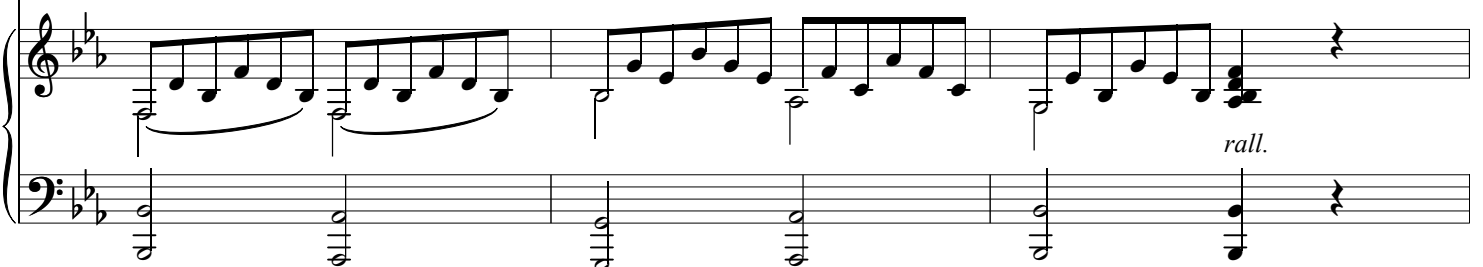
ci le Ré - demp - teur, No -
 night when Christ was born, O
 vant le Ré - demp - teur, Cour -
 fore him low - ly bend. Be -
 tons le Ré - demp - teur, No -
 ev - er - more pro - claim, His



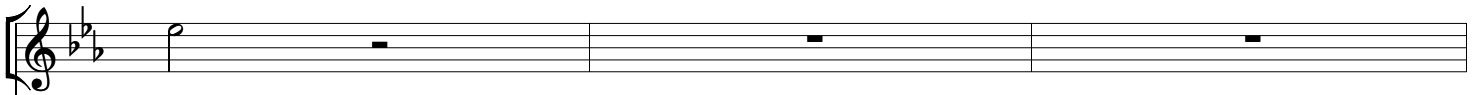
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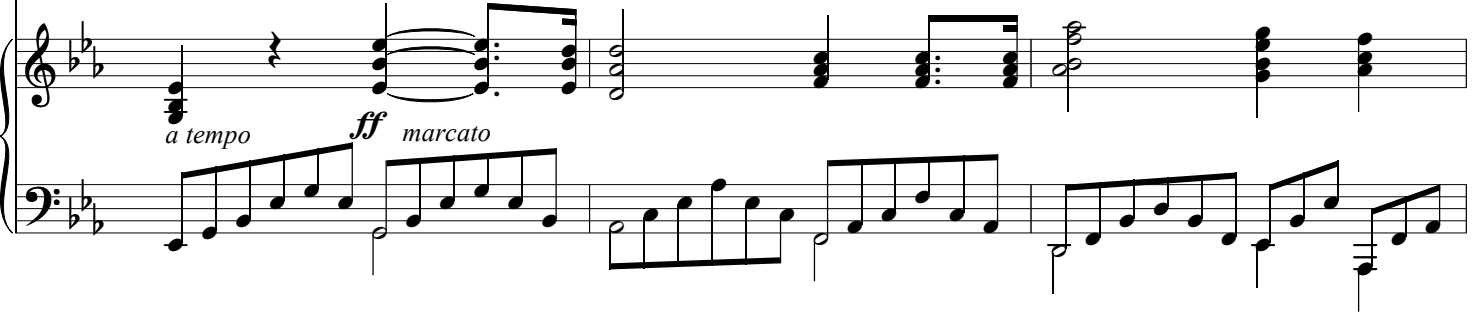
ël No - ël voi - ci le Ré - demp -
 night di - vine! O night, O night di -
 bez vos fronts de vant le Ré - demp -
 hold, be - hold your King! Be - fore him
 ël No - ël, chan - tons le Ré - demp -
 power and glo - ry ev - er - more pro -



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teur.
vine!
teur.
bend.
teur.
claim.



a tempo ***ff*** *marcato*

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