

2. Now is Christmas coming

Jean Sibelius Op.1 No. 2
(arranged)

Allegretto

Soprano

I. Now is Christ-mas com - ing, now is Christ-mas here,

Alto

I. Christ - mas com - ing, Christ - mas, now is Christ-mas

Tenor

I. Christ - mas com - ing, Christ - mas, now is Christ-mas

Bass

I. Christ - mas com - ing, Christ - mas, now is Christ-mas

Allegretto

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S.

snow-y, dark and frost - y, yet it is so dear. When it comes it cheers us,

A.

here! Dark and frost - y, yet it is so dear. When it comes it cheers us,

T.

here! Dark and frost - y, yet it is, yet it is so dear. When it comes it

B.

here! Dark and frost - y, yet it is, yet it is so dear. When it comes it

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S.

makes us smile with glee, and the chil-dren gath - er round the Christ-mas tree.

A.

makes us smile with glee, and the chil-dren gath - er round the Christ-mas tree.

T.

cheers, it makes us smile, chil - dren gath - er round the Christ-mas tree.

B.

cheers, it makes us smile, chil - dren gath - er round the Christ-mas tree.

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S. Lights and lan-terns flick - er__ bright-ly o - ver them, like the shin-ing stars that

A. Lights and lan-terns flick - er__ bright-ly o - ver them, like the shin-ing stars that__

T. Lights__ and lan - terns o - ver them, like the shin-ing stars that

B. Lights and lan - terns o - ver them, like the shin-ing stars__ that__

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S. ligh - ted Beth - le - hem,

A. ligh - ted Beth - le - hem,

T. light-ted Beth - le - hem. 2 Burn now Christ-mas star there,__ show my path at

B. light-ted Beth - le - hem. 2 Burn now Christ-mas star there,__ show my path at

Pno.

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S. 2. Small like me was Je - sus__

A. 2. Small like me was Je - sus__

T. night! O so glad-ly, glad - ly__ do I see your light. Small was Je - sus

B. night! O so glad-ly, glad - ly__ do I see your light. Small was Je - sus

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S. when you saw him then, born of Mo-ther Ma - ry to re-deem all men.

A. when you saw him then, born of Mo-ther Ma - ry to re-deem all men.

T. when you, when you saw Him then, Mo-ther Ma - ry to re - deem all men.

B. when you, when you saw Him then, Mo-ther Ma - ry to re-deem all men.

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S. Then you lit his crad - le in the sta-ble there, now you light our Christ - mas with your bless-ing

A. Then you lit his crad - le in the sta-ble there, now you light our Christ - mas with your bless-ing

T. now you light our Christ - mas with your bless-ing

B. now you light our Christ - mas with your bless-ing

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S. here. 3. O you good and sac - red, joy-ful Christ-mas days!

A. here. 3. O you good and sac - red, joy-ful Christ-mas days!

T. here. 3. Good and sac - red joy - ful, joy-ful Christ-mas

B. here. 3. Good and sac - red joy - ful, joy-ful Christ-mas

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S. Be our win-ter blos - som_ that we love and praise! Bless the lit-tle child - ren,_ hap-py, gay and

A. Be our win-ter blos - som_ that we love and praise! Bless the lit-tle child - ren,_ hap-py, gay and

T. days! Be our blos - som that we love that we love and praise. Bless the child - ren, hap - py,

B. days! Be our blos - som that we love that we love and praise. Bless the child - ren, hap - py,

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S. free; bless the lit - tle an - gels_ round the Christ-mas tree. Join with them in

A. free; bless the lit - tle an - gels_ round the Christ-mas tree. Join with them in

T. gay and free,_ lit - tle an - gels round_ the Christ-mas tree. Join in_

B. gay and free,_ lit - tle an - gels round the Christ-mas tree. Join in

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S. glad - ness,_ join with them and sing to the Lord in Heav - en let_our prais - es ring!

A. glad - ness,_ join with them and sing to the Lord in Heav - en_ let our prais es ring!

T. glad - ness,_ with them_ sing to the Lord in Heav - en let_our prais - es ring!

B. glad - ness, with them sing to the Lord in Heav - en_ let our prais-es ring!