

# Silent Night

from the Christmas Cantata *Celebrate the Journey*  
for Mixed Voices and Congregation (optional), with Piano Accompaniment  
and optional Brass Quintet, Timpani, and Organ\*

Duration: 4½ minutes

**Andante** ♩ = 80

Arrangement by Walter W. Schurr

*dolce e cantabile*

Piano *p* *very legato*

(pedal harmonically)

*espressivo*

5

*a tempo*

10

(A) (the first verse may be sung as a duet)

S.A. *pp* *very smooth throughout*

T.B.

1. Si - lent night,

MEN Hum softly (optional)

15

*pp* *sempre legato*

15

\* Instrumentation: 2 Trumpets (in C or Bb), French Horn,  
2 Trombones, Timpani, Piano, and Organ. Parts available.

ho - ly night, All is calm, all is

20

20

bright, Round yon vir - gin moth - er and Child.

25

25

Ho - ly in - fant so ten - der and mild, Sleep in

30

30

heav - en - ly peace ————— Sleep ————— in heav - en - ly

35

35

**B**

(when sung as a duet, hold this note for 2 measures only)

peace.

40

*dolce e cantabile*

*p*

40

*con passione e un poco agitato*

*mf*

45

*dim.*

50



*poco rit.*

**a tempo**

ALTO softly ad lib.

2. Si - lent night, ho - ly night,

55

*mp* smooth

*poco rit.*

**a tempo**

*mp*

*poco marcato simile*

55

Shep - herds quake at the sight, Glo - ries

60

60

stream from heav - en a - far, Heav'n - ly hosts sing

65

65

Al - le - lu - ia! Christ the Sav - ior is born!

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*cresc. molto*

**D** with CONGREGATION (optional)

3. Si - lent night, ho - ly night, Won - drous

*sempre legato*

star, lend thy light; With the an - gels

85

85

let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia to our

90

90

King; Christ the Sav - ior is born!

95

*trumpet-like* *legato*

95



ritard. a tempo

CHOIR alone to the end

Christ the Sav - ior is born!

ritard.

100

ritard. a tempo pensively

*dim. poco a poco* *p*

100

rit. a tempo

Christ the

*pp* almost whispered

105

rit. a tempo

*pp*

105

**molto ritard.**

Sav - ior is born.

Hold very long; stagger breathing.

110

**molto ritard.**

110