

# Christ's incarnation

*andante grazioso*

Soprano **p** While all things were in quiet si-lence, in quiet si - lence,

Alto **p** While all things were in quiet si-lence, in quiet si - lence,

Tenor **p** While all things were in quiet si-lence, in quiet si - lence,

Bass **p** While all things were in quiet si-lence, in quiet si - lence,

Organ *andante maestoso*  
Sw. *mp* > *p* > **p** **p**

10

S and the night was in the midst, the night was in the midst

A and the night was in the midst, the night was in the midst

T and the night was in the midst, the night was in the midst

B and the night was in the midst, the night was in the midst

15 20

S — of her course; *f* the Al-migh-ty Word of the Lord,

A — of her course; *f* the Al-migh-ty Word of the Lord,

T — of her course; *f* the Al-migh-ty Word of the Lord,

B — of her course; *f* the Al-migh-ty Word of the Lord,

*Gt. Trumpet*  
*mf* *f*

*Full Sw. closed*  
*soft 16ft Ped.*

25 *rit. e dim. poco a poco*

S *ff* the Al-migh-ty Word of the Lord came down, came down, came *rit. e dim. poco a poco*

A *ff* the Al-migh-ty Word of the Lord came down, came down *rit. e dim. poco a poco*

T *ff* the Al-migh-ty Word of the Lord came down, came *rit. e dim. poco a poco*

B *ff* the Al-migh-ty Word of the Lord came down, came down, came *rit. e dim. poco a poco*

*cresc.* *Trumpet off* *Sw. to Gt.* *ten.* *rit. e dim. poco a poco*

30

S  
*dim.* down from His roy-al Throne, *p* from His roy-al Throne.

A  
*dim.* from His roy-al Throne, *p* from His roy-al Throne.

T  
*dim.* down from His roy-al Throne, *p* from His roy-al Throne.

B  
*dim.* down from His roy-al Throne, *p* from His roy-al Throne.

*Sw. Reeds*  
*dim.* *uncouple Sw.* *soft Gt.* *f dim.*  
*soft Ped.*

35

Solo  
*Tenor dolce Recit. lento ad lib.* *mf* He came un-to His own, 40

*Recit. lento*  
*rit.* *p morendo* *Sw. to Oboe* *Gt. Diap. Sw. Coupd.* *mf* *Sw.*

Solo  
*ad lib.* *mesto* *mf* and His own *p* re-ceived Him not. *mf* He was in the world, and the 45

*p colla voce*

Solo

*rall. marcato* *mesto ad lib.* 50

**f** world was made by Him, **p** and the world knew Him not.

*p* *colla voce Sw.*

Solo

*andante religioso* *Bass aria* 55

*mf* In Him was life; and the life was the light of men. *mf* In Him was

*Gt. Solo* *mf*

Solo

60 *dim.* *cresc.* 65

life, in Him was life; and the life \_\_\_\_\_ was the light \_\_\_\_\_ of

*p Sw.* *mf cresc.*

*senza Ped.* *Ped.*

Solo

70

men. **f** That was the true Light, **ff** that was the true Light, that

*mf*

Solo *ad lib.* 75

light-eth ev-'ry man that com-eth in-to the world, light - eth

*colla voce* *mf*

Solo 80

ev - 'ry man, light - eth ev - 'ry man that com- eth, com- eth

*cresc.* *dim.*

Solo 85 *rit.*

in - to the world, light - eth ev-'ry man.

*sfp* *Sw.* *rit.*

Solo *dolce a tempo* 90

*mf* In Him was life; and the life was the light of men, the

*a tempo* *mp* *Gt. Solo*

Solo

light, the light of men.

*rit.* *più moto* [95]

*mp* *rit.* *p* *cresc.*

*Sw.*

Solo

*Soprano (or Tenor)* [100] *tempo più maestoso*

Christ, Whose glo-ry fills the skies, Christ, the true, the on-ly Light,

*rall.* *mf*

*senza Ped.*

Solo

Sun of Right-eous-ness, a-rise, Triumph o'er the shades of night; *sf* Day-spring, from on

*cresc.*

*cresc.*

Solo

high, be near; Day-star, in my heart ap-pear!

*dim.* [110] *e rit.*

*dim. e rit.* *a tempo* *cresc. poco a poco e rit.*

*Gt.* *Ped.*

*Full*  
*maestoso* 115

S *f* Vi - sit then this soul of mine, Pierce the gloom of sin and grief;

A *Full*  
*f* Vi - sit then this soul of mine, Pierce the gloom of sin and grief;

T *Full*  
*f* Vi - sit then this soul of mine, Pierce the gloom of sin and grief;

B *Full*  
Vi - sit then this soul of mine, Pierce the gloom of sin and grief;

*maestoso*  
*f*

120

S Fill me, Ra - dian - cy Di - vine, Scat - ter all my un - be - lief;

A Fill me, Ra - dian - cy Di - vine, Scat - ter all my un - be - lief;

T Fill me, Ra - dian - cy Di - vine, Scat - ter all my un - be - lief;

B Fill me, Ra - dian - cy Di - vine, Scat - ter all my un - be - lief;

S *ff* More and more Thy - self dis - play, Shi - ning to the per - fect day.

A *ff* More and more Thy - self dis - play, Shi - ning to the per - fect day.

T *ff* More and more Thy - self dis - play, Shi - ning to the per - fect day.

B *ff* More and more Thy - self dis - play, Shi - ning to the per - fect day.

S *rall. al fine*  
A - men, A - men.

A *rall. al fine*  
A - men, A - men.

T *rall. al fine*  
A - men, A - men.

B *rall. al fine*  
A - men, A - men.