Jacques, Come Here

old French carol, ca.1555

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Allegro giocoso

MARGOT (Soprano)

Jacques, come here, Sweet and clear In a glad No - ūl, Let us four Sing once

PIERROT (Tenor)

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JANOT (Baritone)

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JACQUES (Bass)

Jacques, come here, Sweet and clear In a glad No - ūl, Let us four Sing once

more, Let each part sound well. Now we shall give the high notes to Mar-

more, Let each part sound well. We'll give the high notes to Mar-

more, Let each part sound well.

more, Let each part sound well.
Our marcato bari-tone will be got; Our friend Pier-rot, a tenor he shall be; Our bari-tone will be got; Our friend Pier-rot, a tenor he shall be; Our bari-tone will be
Our bari-tone will be my
my good friend Ja-not; Bass notes so low will fit the part for me.
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part sound well. Here from the Heav’n the angels came to men,

part sound well. Here from the Heaven came to men,

part sound well. Songs they have

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Let each part sound well. There by his stall stood ox and ass; but

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they, Paying God homage, had for food no care. Qui - et they

Paying hom-age to God, they had for food no care. Qui - et they

stand, for they do not eat their hay. See how they gaze on lit-tle Jesus there.
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