

In terrâ pax

Christmas traditional

1. In - fant of days, yes Lord of Life, Sweet Price of Peace, All

mf *p*

Detailed description: This system contains the first two staves of music. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. The key signature has one flat (Bb) and the time signature is 6/4. The music begins with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic and transitions to piano (*p*) after the first measure. The lyrics are: "1. In - fant of days, yes Lord of Life, Sweet Price of Peace, All".

4 hail! Oh! we are wear - y of the strife,

cresc.

Detailed description: This system contains the third and fourth staves of music. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. The music starts at measure 4. The dynamic is marked *cresc.* (crescendo). The lyrics are: "hail! Oh! we are wear - y of the strife,".

7 The din with which earth's fields are rife, And we would list the tale

dim. *f*

Detailed description: This system contains the fifth and sixth staves of music. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. The music starts at measure 7. The dynamic is marked *dim.* (diminuendo) and then *f* (forte). The lyrics are: "The din with which earth's fields are rife, And we would list the tale".

12 That chimes its Christ - mas news for us: "In

p

"In ter - râ Pax,

Detailed description: This system contains the seventh and eighth staves of music. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. The music starts at measure 12. The dynamic is marked *p* (piano). The lyrics are: "That chimes its Christ - mas news for us: "In", "In ter - râ Pax,".

40 *f* *pp*

Heav'n's Peace to earth re - stor - ing. And Peace e-

45 *rall.* *a tempo*

- ter - nal, Je - su, grant, we pray. "In Cæ - lo

50 *f* *cresc.*

"In Cæ - lo Pax, et Et in Ex- Ex- Pax," Et in Ex-

54 *ff*

- cel - sis Glo - ri - a, et in Ex- - cel - sis Glo - ri - a, - cel - sis, et in Ex - cel - sis Glo - ri - a, in Ex-

58

- cel - sis Glo - ri - a, Pax, et in Ex - cel - sis Glo - ri - a, in Cæ - lo - cel - sis, et in Ex - cel-

62

Glo - ri - a, et in Ex - cel - sis
et in Ex - cel - sis, in Ex -
sis, in Cæ - lo Pax, et in Ex - cel - sis.

66

Glo - ri - a, et in Ex - cel -
- cel - sis Glo - ri - a, et in Ex - cel -
sis, in Cæ - lo Pax, et in Ex - cel - sis.

70

sis,
- sis Glo - ri - a."
- sis Glo - ri - a."
Glo - ri - a."

2. "Peace I leave with you," was again
Thy dying Gift to earth;
Sweet echo of the lingering strain
Of Christmas morn, the glad refrain
Of Anthems at Thy Birth;
When Angel choirs hymned forth to us
"In terrâ Pax hominibus!"

3. O Olive Branch! O Dove of Peace!
Brooding o'er stormy waters!
When shall the flood of woe decrease?
When shall the dreary conflict cease,
And earth's sad sons and daughters
With glad hearts hail Thy word to us,
"In terrâ Pax hominibus."