

Joyfully, joyfully angels are singing

Charles F. Roper (1843 - ?)

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1. Joy - ful-ly, joy - ful-ly an - gels are sing - ing, O'er Beth - le - hem's plains of light;
2. Peace-ful-ly, peace-ful-ly light is now beam-ing, Sages have come from a - far;
3. Wist-ful-ly, wist-ful-ly wise men are seek - ing "The Christ in the House of Bread;

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Won - der-ful, won - der-ful mes-sage now bring - ing To wel - come the Christ - mas night.
Beau - ti - ful, beau - ti - ful bright-ly now gleam - ing Beth - le - hem's wonder - ful Star.
"Ten - der - ly, ten - der - ly Ma - ry is keep - ing Her watch o'er that low - ly Bed.

15 CHORUS *ff*

"Glo - ry to God in the high - est, all glo - ry! Peace on the earth and good will,"

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An - gels are tell - ing the mar - vel - lous story, Sheph - erds are list' - ing still.

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(Source: Carols old and carols new, Boston, 1916)