

# In Bethlehem, that noble place

## SEMI-CHORUS

*mf* *cresc.* *f*

1. In Beth - le - hem, that no - ble place, As by the Pro - phet said it was, Of the

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*mf* *f*

Vir - gin Ma - ry, filled with Grace, "Sal - va - tor mun - di na - tus est."

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## CHORUS

*ff* *ff*

Be we mer - ry in this Feast, "In quo Sal - va - tor na - tus est."

2. On Christmas night an Angel told  
The sheperds watching by their fold,  
In Bethlehem, full nigh the wold,  
"Salvator mundi natus est."  
Be we merry, &c.
3. The sheperds were encompassed right,  
About them shone a glorious light,  
"Dread ye naught," said the Angel bright,  
"Salvator mundi natus est."  
Be we merry, &c.
4. "No cause have ye to be afraid,  
For why? this day is Jesus laid  
On Mary's lap, that gentle maid:"  
"Salvator mundi natus est."  
Be we merry, &c.
5. "And thus in faith find Him ye shall  
Laid poorly in an ox's stall."  
The sheperds then lauded God all  
*Quia Salvator mundi natus est.*  
Be we merry, &c.