

There's a Song in the Air

EMMANUEL 6, 6, 6, 6, 12, 12

The musical score consists of four systems of music, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The time signature is common time (indicated by '4'). The vocal line is in soprano range.

System 1: The first system contains four staves of music. The lyrics are:

1. There's a song in the air!
2. There's a tumult of joy
3. In the light of that star
4. We rejoice in the light,

System 2: The second system continues the lyrics:

There's a mother's deep prayer,
For the Virgin's sweet boy
And that song from afar
That comes down thru the night

System 3: The third system continues the lyrics:

And a baby's low cry!
Is the Lord of the earth.
Has swept over the world:
From the heaven-ly throng;

System 4: The fourth system concludes the lyrics:

And the star rains its fire while the beauty-ful sing,
Ay! the star rains its fire while the beauty-ful sing,
Ev'-ry hearth is a flame, and the beauty-ful sing
Ay! we shout to the love-ly e-van-gel they bring,

Final Chorus: The final section begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. It consists of three staves of music. The lyrics are:

For the man-ger of Beth-le-hem cra-dles a King.
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In the homes of the na-tions that Je-sus is King.
And we greet in His cra-dle our Sav-iour and King. A-men.

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Music: Hubert P. Main, 1880

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