

# Angels, from the realms of glory

Text: James Montgomery, 1816

Music: Henry Smart, 1867

REGENT SQUARE 87.87

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and piano accompaniment. It is in the key of B-flat major (two flats) and 4/4 time. The score is divided into three systems. The first system contains the first four lines of the hymn. The second system contains the next four lines. The third system contains the final line. Chord symbols are placed above the treble staff to indicate the piano accompaniment. The lyrics are written below the vocal staves.

**System 1:**

Chords: B $\flat$ , E $\flat$ , B $\flat$ , E $\flat$ 7, B $\flat$

1 An - gels from the realms of glo - ry, wing your flight o'er all the earth.  
2 Shep - herds, in the field a - bid - ing, watch - ing o'er your flocks by night,  
3 Sag - es, leave your con - tem - pla - tions - bright - er vi - sions beam a - far.  
4 Saints, be - fore the al - tar bend - ing, watch - ing long in hope and fear,

**System 2:**

Chords: B $\flat$ , Gm D, Gm, F/C C7 F

As you sang cre - a - tion's sto - ry, now pro - claim Mes - si - ah's birth;  
God with us is now re - sid - ing, yon - der shines the in - fant light;  
Seek the great de - sire of na - tions, guid - ed by his na - tal star;  
shall be - hold God's love un - end - ing: Christ will once a - gain ap - pear;

**System 3:**

Chords: F, B $\flat$ 7, E $\flat$ , Cm7, Fsus F7, B $\flat$

come and wor - ship, come and wor - ship, wor - ship Christ the new - born King.