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CHRISTMAS PUDDING

With seasonal spirit $\text{♩} = \text{c.88}$

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(with apologies to almost everyone . . .)

Soprano

ff

Ta ta ta ta, ta ta ta ta ta ta.

Alto

ff

Ta ta ta ta, ta ta ta ta ta ta.

Piano

ff

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S. *f*

Ding dong! mer-ri-ly on high in heav'n the bells are ring - ing,

A. *f*

Ding dong! mer-ri-ly on high in heav'n the bells are ring - ing,

Piano

f

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S.

Ding dong! ve-ri-ly the sky is riv'n with an - gel sing - ing,

A.

Ding dong! ve-ri-ly the sky is riv'n with an - gel sing - ing,

Piano

13 *f*

S. Glo - - - ri - a, thou

A. *ff* Sing, choirs of an - gels, *subito mp legato* Lul - ly, lul - la,

17 *mf*

S. lit - tle ti - ny child, King of quires su - per - nal,

A. *mf* Un - to us is born a son, *mp* By by, lul - ly lul -

22 *p*

S. Si - lent night, ho - ly

A. - lay.

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S. night, all is calm, all

A. See his star shi-ning bright, in the sky this_ Christ - mas night,

(*) *mf* cheerfully

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S. is bright, On

A. this did Her - od sore aff - ray and griev - ous - ly be - wil - der,

f

mf

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S. Christ - mas night all Christ - ians sing to hear the news_ the

A. So he gave the word to slay, and slew the lit - tle

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S. an - gels bring, The cat - tle are

A. chil - der, and slew the lit - tle chil - der.

p legato

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S. low - ing, the ba - by a - wakes, but

A. *(*) Solo f (boldly)*
See his star, **SSHHH!**
(all other altos, directed at soloist)

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S. lit - tle Lord Je - sus no cry - ing he

A.

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S. Solo (*boldly and unsubtly*)
makes, *f* On the way to

A. Tutti *mf* (*merrily*)
Go - ing through the hills on a night all star - ry, I *p*

(**)

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S. (*all other sopranos, SSSHHH! directed at soloist*)
Beth - le - hem.

A. love thee, Lord Je - sus! look down from the

50

S. Tutti *mf* *energetically*
Nine la - dies dan - cing, eight maids a - milk - ing, sev'n swans a - swim - ming,

A. sky, *p* and

p

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