

Old English Carol

Traditional English Melody



1. The first— Now - ell the— an-gel did say, Was to
 2. They look - éd— up and— saw— a Star Shin-ing
 3. This star— drew nigh to— the— north-west, O'er—
 4. Then en - tered in there wise-men three, Full—



1. cer - tain poor shep-herds in fields as they lay; In—
 2. in— the East,— be - yond— them far, And
 3. Beth - le - hem— it took— its rest, And
 4. rev - 'rent - ly— on bend - ed knee, And



1. fields— where they lay— keep-ing their sheep On a
 2. to— the— earth it— gave— great light, And—
 3. there— it— did both stop— and stay Right
 4. of - fered there in— His— pres - ence, Their



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1. cold win - ter's night— that was— so deep:
 2. so it con - tin - ued both day— and night. Now—
 3. o - ver the place— where Je - sus lay.
 4. gold— and myrrh— and frank - in - cense.



ell,— Now - ell, Now - ell, Now - ell,



Born is the King— of Is - ra - el.