

O HOLY NIGHT (HEAR THE GOSPEL STORY)

♩ = 150

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A **VERSE** A^{major}7 D/A A

1. O ho - ly night, the stars are bright - ly shin - ing,
2. Hum - bly He lay, Cre - a - tor come as crea - ture,
3. Come then to Him Who lies with - in a man - ger,

5 A E/A D A

It is the night of our dear Sav - ior's birth.
born on the floor of a hay - scat - tered stall.
with joy - ful shep - herds, pro - claim Him as Lord.

10 A A^{major}7 A

Long lay the world in sin and er - ror pin - ing,
True Son of God, yet bear - ing hu - man fea - ture,
Let not the Prom - ised Son re - main a strang - er;

14 C#m G#m C#m

till He ap - peared and the soul felt its worth.
He en - tered earth to re - verse A - dam's fall.
In rev - erent wor - ship, make Christ your A - dored.

18 E E/D A/C#

A thrill of hope, the wea - ry world re - joi - ces, for
In tow - ering grace, He laid a - side His glo - ry, and
E - ter - nal life is theirs who would re - ceive Him; With

23 Bm⁷ E/B A E/G#

yon - der breaks a new and glo - rious morn.
in our place, was sac - ri - ficed for sin.
grace and peace, their lives He will a - dorn.

27 **CHORUS** Dmaj7 C#m7/E

Fall _____ on your knees, _____ O
 Fall _____ on your knees! _____ O
 Fall _____ on your knees! _____ Re -

31 Bm F#m7 B7

hear _____ the an - gel voi - ces! _____ O
 hear _____ the gos - pel sto - ry! _____ O
 ceive _____ the Gift of heav - en! _____ O

35 A/E E7 F#m F#m/A B7

night _____ di - vine, _____ O
 night _____ di - vine, _____ O
 night _____ di - vine, _____ O

39 A/E E7 A D/A A A D/A A

night when Christ was born!
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45 F#m F#m/A B7 A/E E7 F#m F#m/E

born! O night, _____ O ho - -

50 B7/D# A/E E7 A D/A A

- ly night when Christ was born. _____