68. Birthday carol

Words adapted from Luke 2

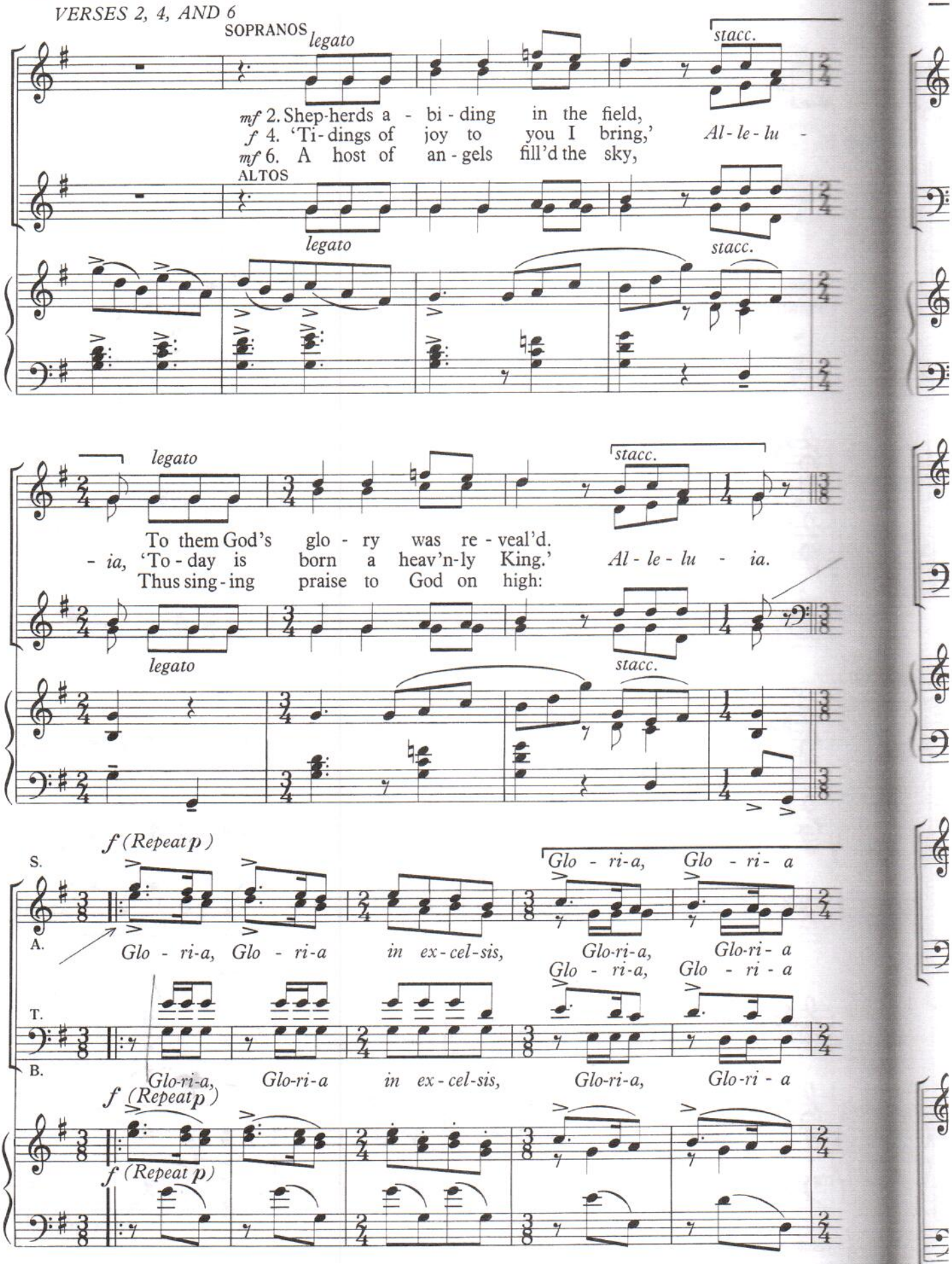
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†Children and/or Audience join in (optional)

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VERSES 2, 4, AND 6
SOPRANOS
legato
stacc.
mf 2. Shep-herds a - bi - ding in the field,
f 4. 'Ti - dings of joy to you I bring,' Al - le - lu -
mf 6. A host of an - gels fill'd the sky,
ALTOS
legato
stacc.
legato
stacc.
To them God's glo - ry was re - veal'd.
- ia, 'To - day is born a heav'n-ly King.' Al - le - lu - ia.
Thus sing - ing praise to God on high:
legato
stacc.
f (Repeat p)
S.
Glo - ri-a, Glo - ri- a
A.
Glo - ri-a, Glo - ri-a in ex - cel-sis, Glo-ri-a, Glo-ri- a
Glo - ri-a, Glo - ri - a
T.
B.
Glo-ri-a, Glo-ri-a in ex - cel-sis, Glo-ri-a, Glo-ri - a
f (Repeat p)
f (Repeat p)


1st time
2nd time
De - o!
VERSES 3 AND 5
SOPRANO
ALTO
TENOR
BASS
sost.
mp 3. And to the
p 5. 'And ye shall
pp
leggiero
Al - le - lu - ia,
shep - herds sore a - fraid,
find in man-ger laid,'
An an - gel said, 'Be not dis-
'The Babe in swadd - ling clothes ar -
mp (Repeat pp)
Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis,
- mayed,' Al - le - lu - ia.
- rayed.'
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for verse 7)


VERSE 7 (from previous page)
ALL VOICES ff
7. Now join we all the an - gel -
ff
- throng, Al - le - lu - ia, And let our voi - ces swell the
song: Al - le - lu - ia. Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a
(ALL VOICES)
in ex - cel - sis, Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a


AUDIENCE and CHOIR I
sempre ff
De - o! Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis,
Glo-ri - a, Glo-ri - a in ex - cel - sis,
ff
CHOIR II Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis,
ff
Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis,
Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a De - o!
Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a De - o!
Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a De - o!
Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a De - o!
Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a De - o!
fff