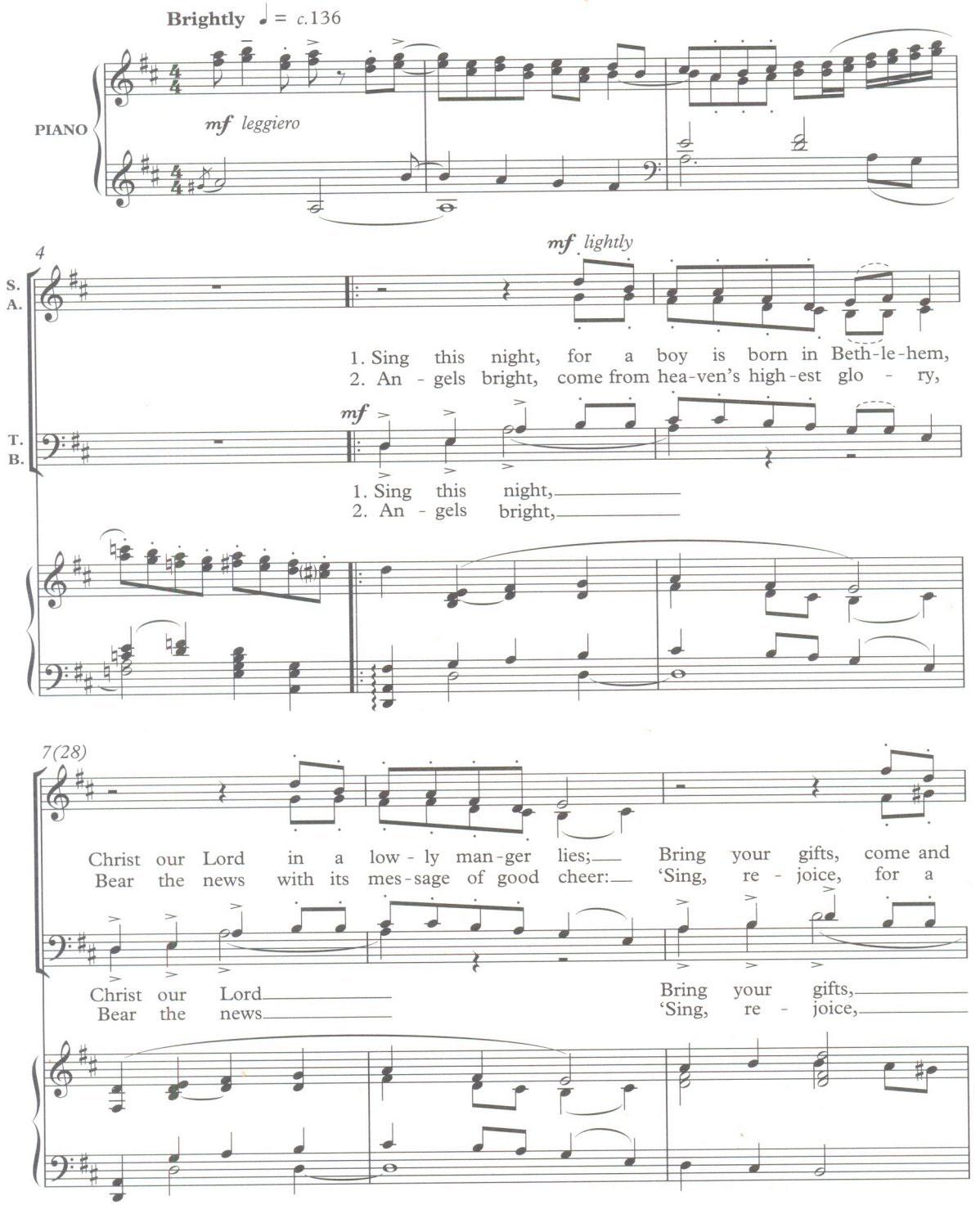for Sir David Willcocks and The Bach Choir
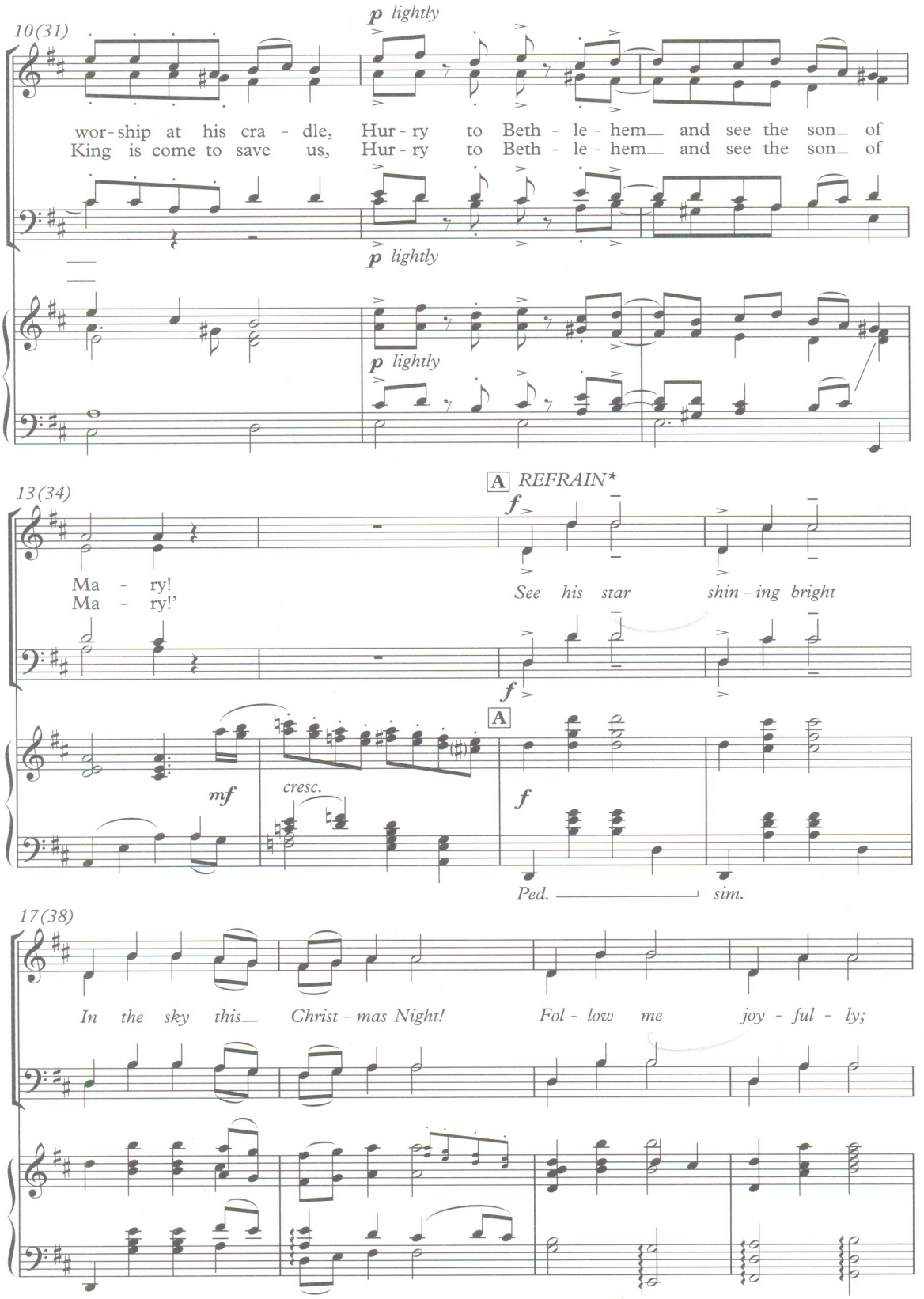
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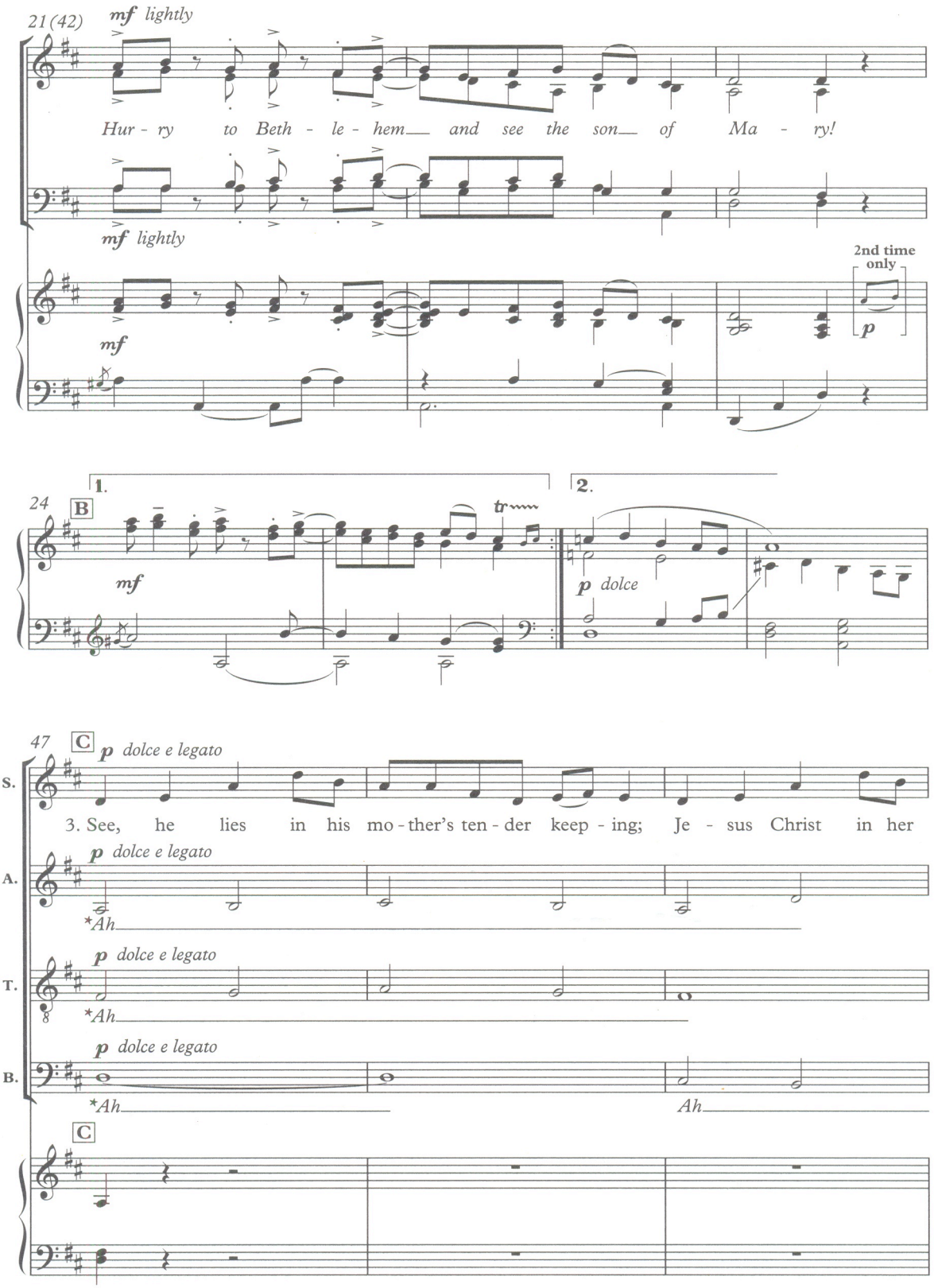


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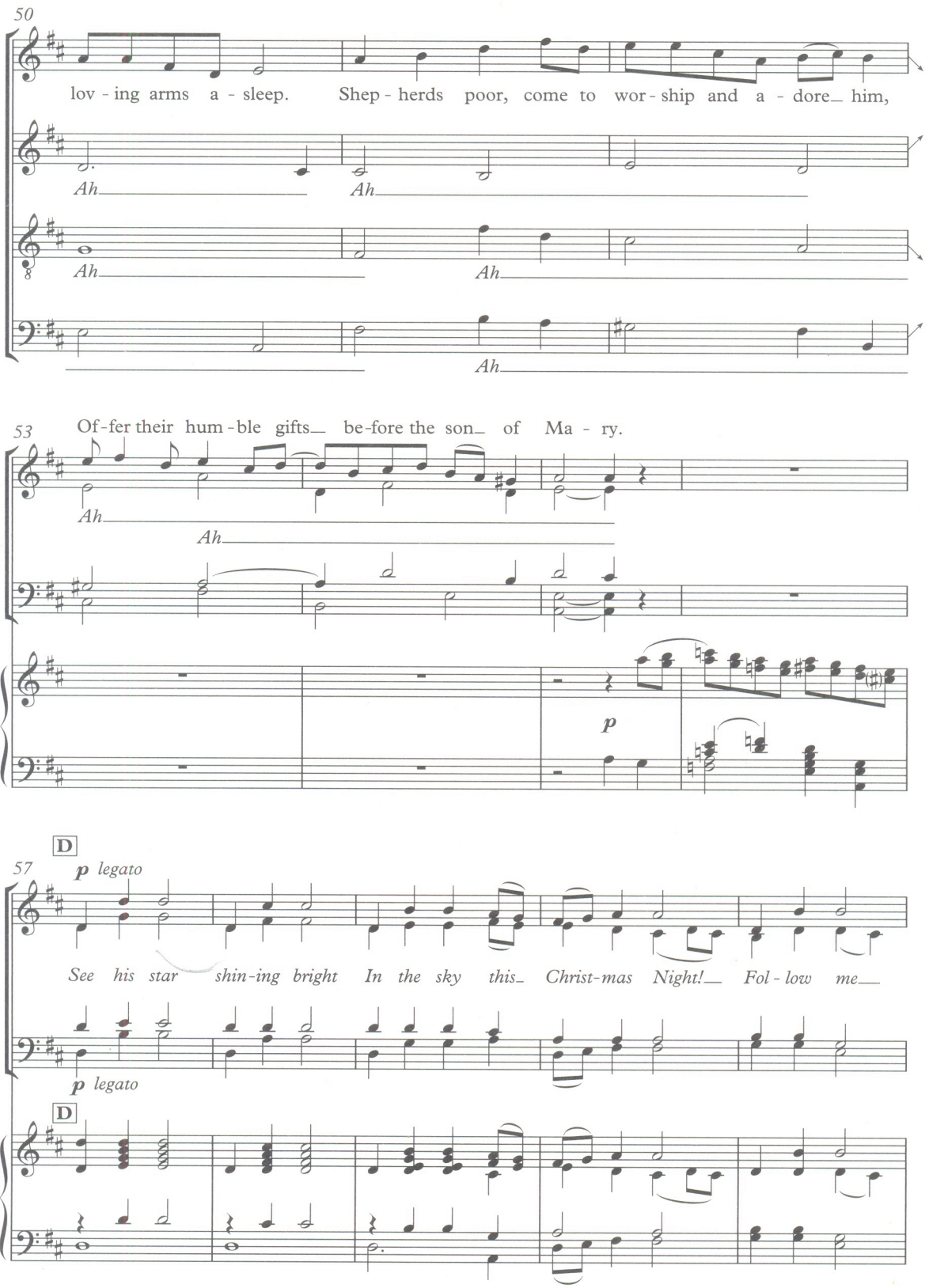
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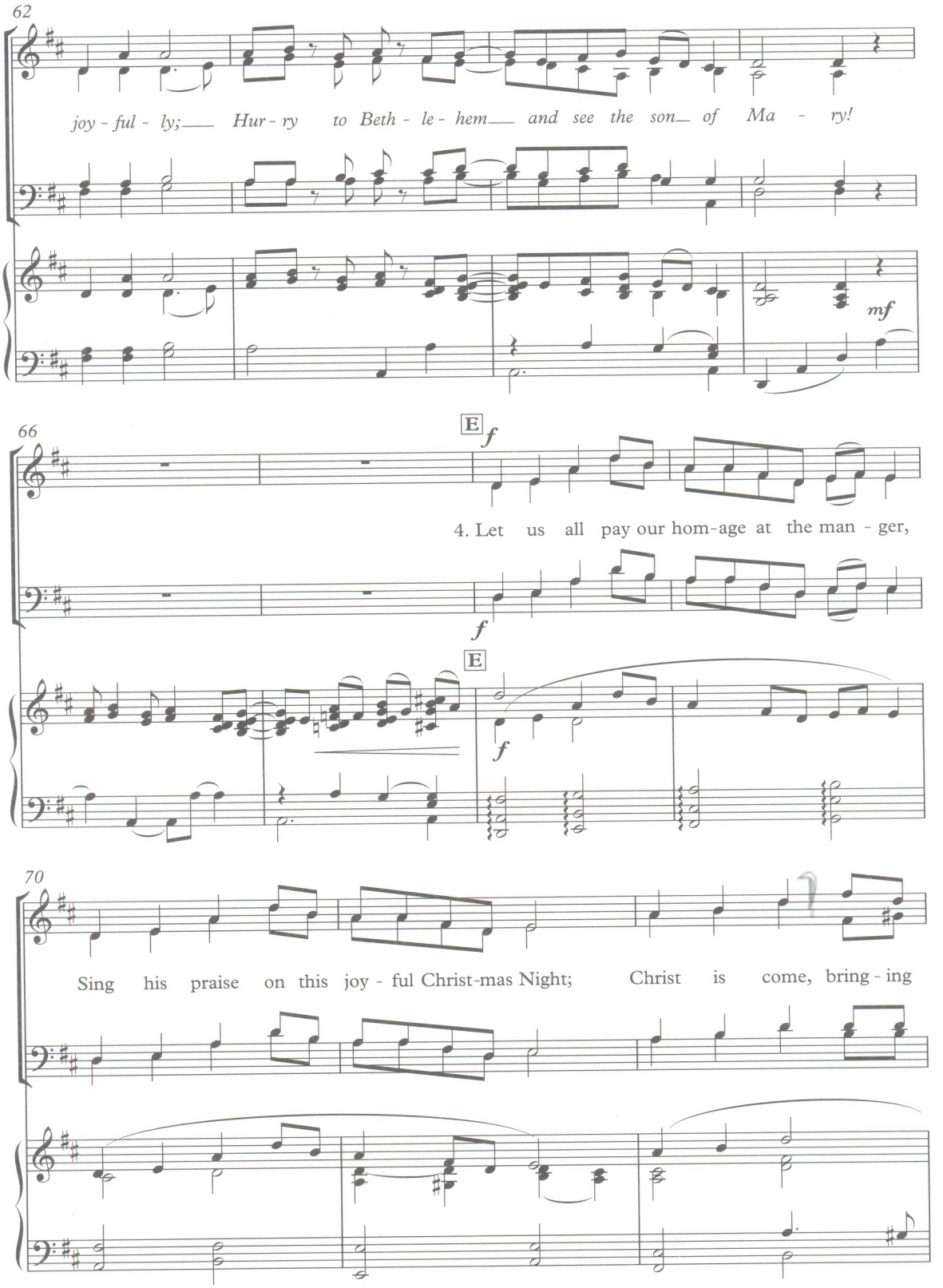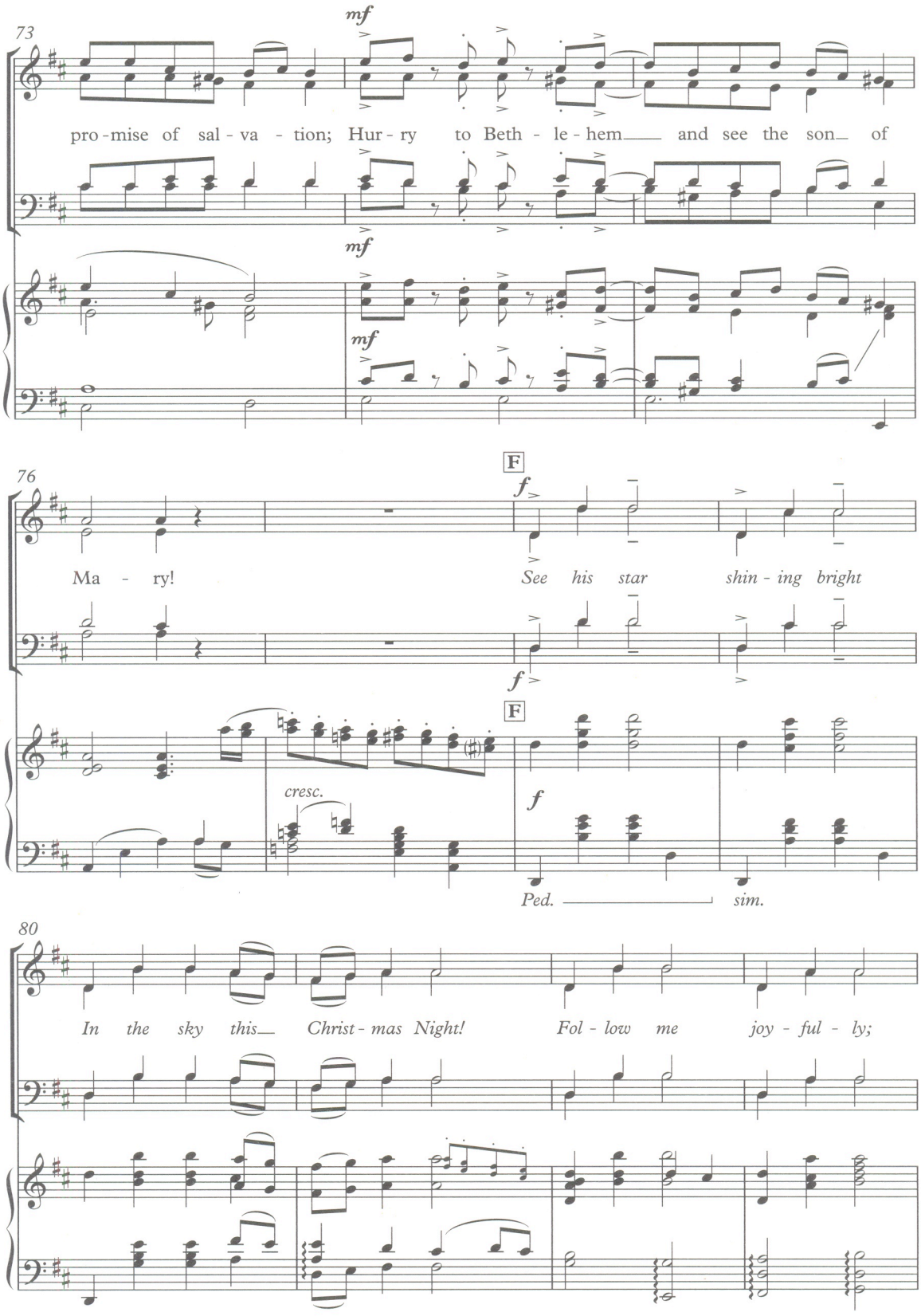


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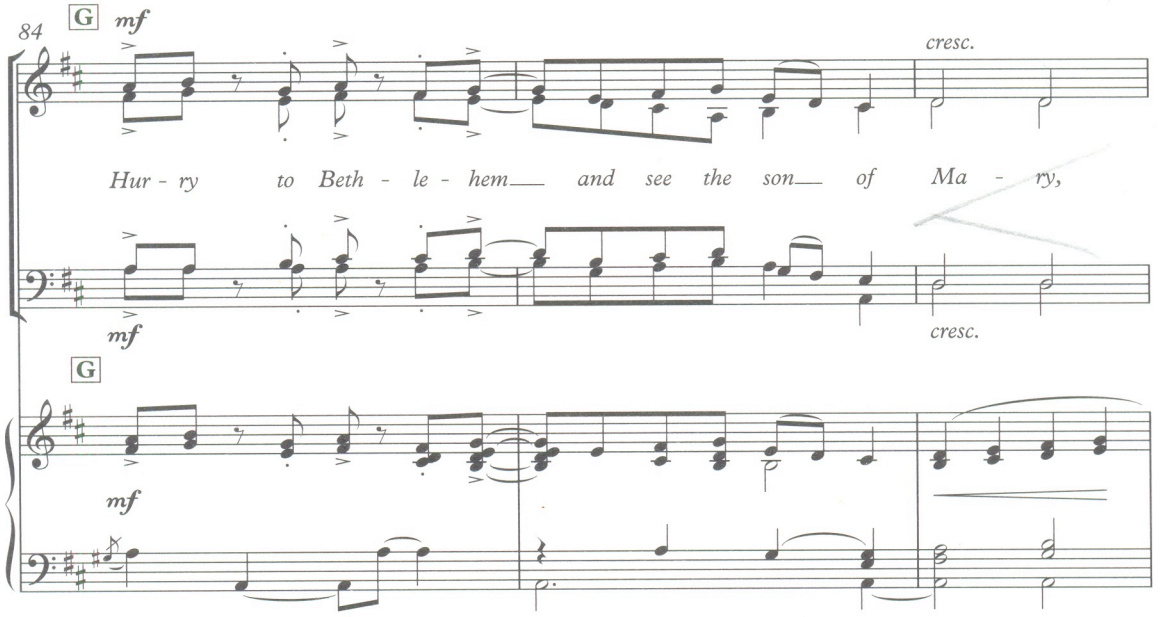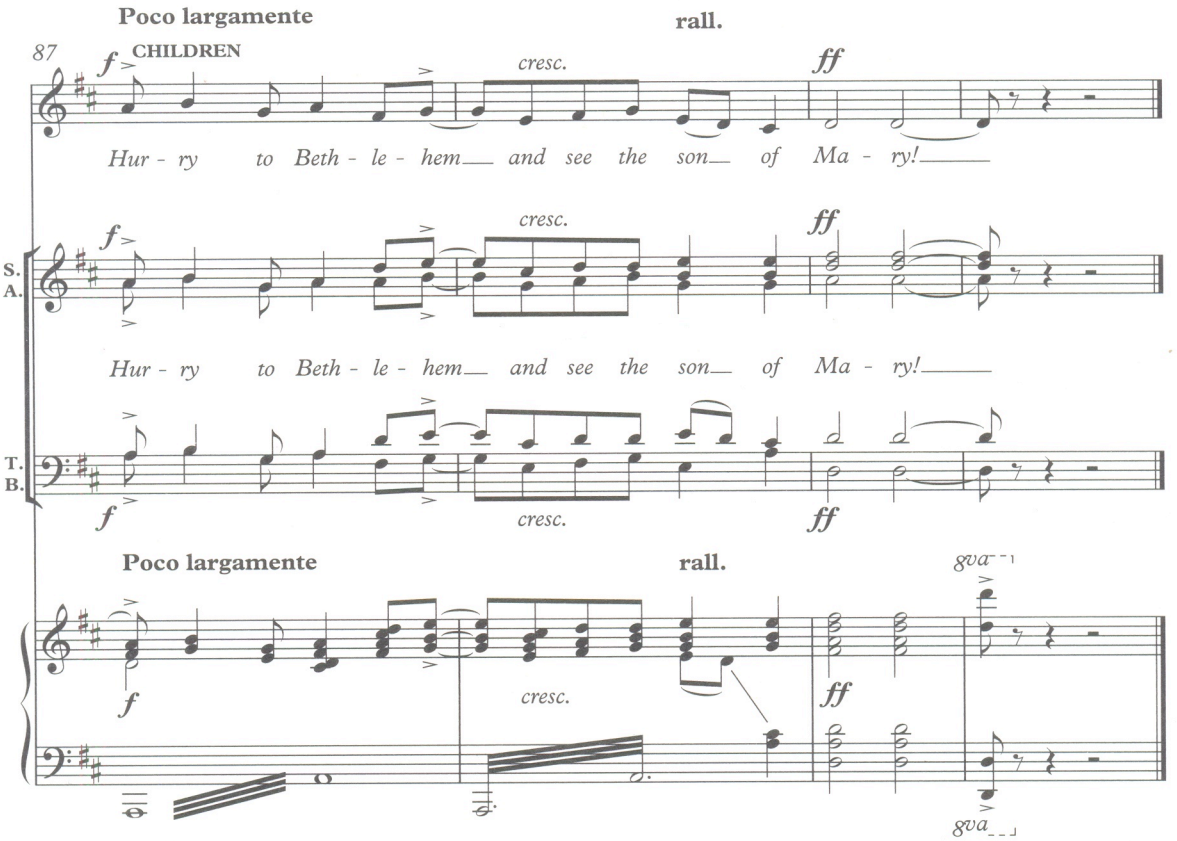


*or hum, at conductor's discretion


50
lov - ing arms a - sleep. Shep - herds poor, come to wor - ship and a - dore_ him,
Ah
Ah
Ah
Ah
Ah
53
Of - fer their hum - ble gifts_ be - fore the son_ of Ma - ry.
S.
A.
Ah
Ah
T.
B.
p
D
57
p legato
See his star shin - ing bright In the sky this_ Christ - mas Night!_ Fol - low me_
p legato
D


62
joy - ful - ly;— Hur - ry to Beth - le - hem— and see the son— of Ma - ry!
mf
66
E
f
4. Let us all pay our hom-age at the man - ger,
f
E
f
70
Sing his praise on this joy - ful Christ-mas Night; Christ is come, bring - ing


73
mf
pro - mise of sal - va - tion; Hur - ry to Beth - le - hem and see the son of
mf
mf
76
F
f
Ma - ry!
See his star shin - ing bright
f
F
cresc.
f
Ped. sim.
80
In the sky this Christ - mas Night!
Fol - low me joy - ful - ly;


84
G
mf
cresc.
Hur - ry to Beth - le - hem and see the son of Ma - ry,
mf
cresc.
G
mf


Poco largamente
rall.
87
f
CHILDREN
cresc.
ff
Hur - ry to Beth - le - hem and see the son of Ma - ry!
S.
A.
f
cresc.
ff
Hur - ry to Beth - le - hem and see the son of Ma - ry!
T.
B.
f
cresc.
ff
Poco largamente
rall.
gva
f
cresc.
ff
gva

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