Disc 1

24 Piano accompaniment
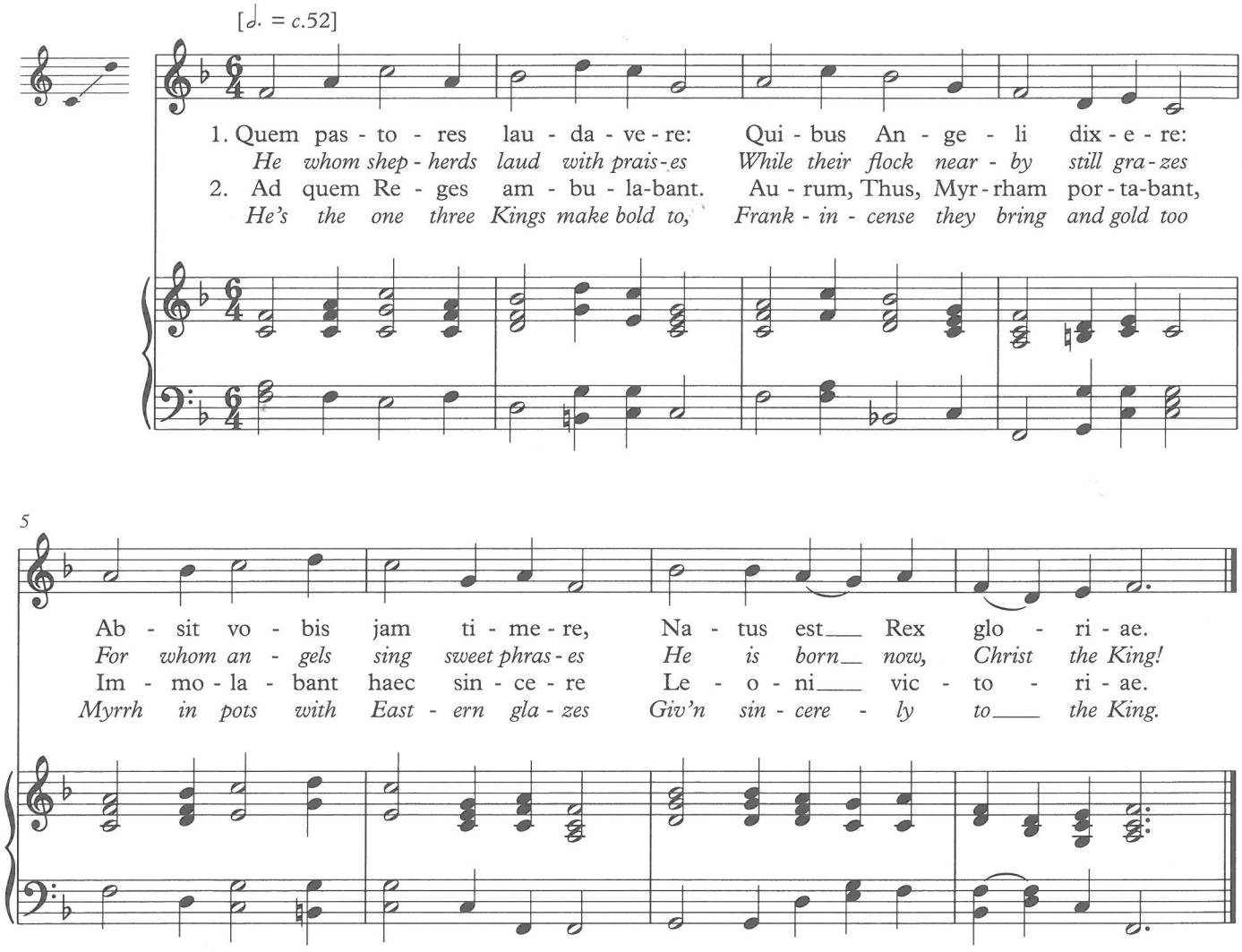
25 Pronunciation guide

Quem pastores laudavere

He whom shepherds laud with praises

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3. Exultemus cum Maria,
In caelesti Hierarchia,
Natum promant voce pia,
Dulci cum melodia.

4. Christo Regi, Deo nato,
Per Mariam nobis dato,
Merito resonet vere:
Laus honor et gloria.

3. Let us with the Virgin sing now,
Make the highest heaven ring now,
Telling of this wondrous thing now,
Glory to the Lord bring now.

4. Christ the King, of God begotten,
Ours through Mary, ne'er forgotten,
Sing we now in sweetest praises,
And before the boy-king bow.

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