

## 2. He is born, the Child divine

Il est né, le divin Enfant

Text: 19th century French,  
trans. TMH

Music: Traditional French Carol  
arr. Thomas More Hagger (1950-2023)

**Andante** ♩ = 100

### Refrain

Soprano

He is born, the Child div-ine, let us re-joice, all the bells are ring-ing;

Alto

He is born, the Child div-ine, let us re-joice, all the bells are ring-ing;

Bass

He is born, the Child div-ine, let us re-joice, all the bells are ring-ing;

Organ for rehearsal only

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S.

He is born, the Child div-ine, 'Peace on earth!' all the an-gels sing. *Fine*

A.

He is born, the Child div-ine, 'Peace on earth!' all the an-gels sing. *Fine*

B.

He is born, the Child div-ine, 'Peace on earth!' all the an-gels sing. *Fine*

**Verses 1 - 3 (Soloists)**

Soprano 1

1. For a thou-sand\_ years and more, Pro-phets spoke of the peace on earth;—  
 2. See the Son now\_ born for us: He is hum-ble and He is mild;—  
 3. Je - sus, King and\_ Lord of all, wor - thy of all the high-est praise;—

Soprano 2

1. For a thou-sand years and more, Pro-phets spoke of the peace on earth;—  
 2. See the Son now born for us: He is hum-ble and He is mild;—  
 3. Je - sus, King and Lord of all, wor - thy of all the high-est praise;—

Organ for rehearsal only

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S. 1

for a thou-sand\_ years and more, Pro-phets fore-told the Sav-iour's birth:  
 see the Son now\_ born for us: born a King, yet the Vir - gin's Child:  
 Je - sus, King and\_ Lord of all, to you, let us our voic - es raise:

S. 2

for a thou-sand years and more, Pro-phets fore-told the Sav-iour's birth:  
 see the Son now born for us: born a King, yet the Vir - gin's Child:  
 Je - sus, King and Lord of all, to you, let us our voic - es raise: