

11b. Quem pastores (English)

While their flocks the shepherds tended

Text: 14th century, trans. Rev. John Fulton

Quem pastores

14th century German melody

arr. Thomas More Hagger (1950-2023)

Moderato ♩ = 108

Verses 1 - 4

Soprano

mp

1. While their flocks the shep - herds tend - ed,
 2. East - ern seers rich gifts had wrought Him,
 3. On that Child with Ma - ry gaz - ing,
 4. From this day's first dawn to ev - en,

Alto

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Organ

mp

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S.

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1. Sing - ing, with all voic - es blend - ed,
 2. Guid - ed by a star they sought Him,
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 4. By all earth and all in Heav - en,

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1. Fear not, Christ is born to - day.
 2. Prince of Life and Vic - to - ry.
 3. God in - car - nate come to men.
 4. In our sweet est, loft - tiest praise.

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