

Choral - vocal

No. 3 from the cantata *Noel*

Tidings of Comfort and Joy

S.A.T.B. Accompanied

Old Words, New Music - "God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen"

Performance Time: ca. 2'30"

Reflective joy (Swing it) $\text{♩} = 112$

Words: English Traditional
Music: Alfred Kunz

1

S.
A.

T.
B.

f

5 *mf* God rest you mer-ry gen - tle-men, let noth - ing you dis -
God rest, _____ God rest _____

p

10 may.
ye.

Re - mem - ber Christ our Sav _ iour was born on Christmas
mf

14 To save us all from Sa-tan's power when we were gone a
 To save us, _____ when we _____ were gone were
 day.
 day.

18 stray; (Straight eighths) comfort and
 stray; O
 O _ tid ____ ings of comfort and joy, O
 O _ tid __ ings of com ____ fort, com ____ fort and joy, com-fort and
 (Straight eighths)

joy, O _ tid - ings of com - fort and
 com _ fort and joy, O _ tid - ings of com - fort and
 joy, O _ tid - ings of com - fort and
 joy, O _ tid - ings of com - fort and
 (Swing it)

22

26

joy.

joy.

joy.

joy.

In Beth - le - hem _ in Jew __ ry, this bless - ed Babe _ was born.

30

mf

Ah _____

Ah _____

was __ born.

Ah _____

Ah _____

was __ born.

p

Ah _____

Ah _____

Unis.
mf

And

35

Ah _____ Up -on this bless_ ed morn; the
 Ah _____ Ah _____

laid with- in_ 3 a man_ ger, up -on this bless_ ed morn; Ah _____
 Ah _____ Ah _____

Ah _____ Ah _____

which His Moth_ er Mar_ y, did noth - ing take_ in scorn. O __
 (Straight eighths)

39 Ah _____ did noth- ing take in scorn. f, 4/4

did noth - ing take_ 3 in scorn. O __
 Ah _____ Ah _____ f, 4/4

(Straight eighths)

Swing it

tid - ings of com - fort and joy, com-fort and joy,
 tid - ings of com - fort and joy, com - fort and joy,
 tid - ings of com - fort and joy, com - fort and joy,
 tid - ings of com - fort and joy, com - fort and joy,

O —

Swing it

tid - ings of com - fort and _____

tid - ings of com - fort and _____

tid - ings of com - fort and _____

tid - ings of com - fort and _____

3

3

3

3

51

joy.

joy.

joy.

p *mf*

f

p

55

From God our Heav'n - ly

mf