HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING

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SOPRANO
ALTO

(I. Hark! the herald angels sing—Glo-ry to the new-born King;
and by high-est heavn a-dored, Christ, the e-ver-last-ing Lord,

Peace on earth and mer-cy mild—God and sin-ners re-con-ciled:
Late in time be-hold him come—Off-spring of a vir-gin's womb:

Joy-ful all ye na-tions rise—Join the tri-um-phant of the skies,
Veiled in flesh the God-head see,—Hail thin-car-nate De-i-ty!

With th'an-gel-ic host pro-claim, Christ is born in Beth-le-hem.
Pleased as man with man to dwell, Je-sus, our Em-ma-nu-el.

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Melody, and harmonies for vv. 1 and 2, adapted by W. H. Cummings (1831-1915) from a chorus by Mendelssohn.
Verses 1 and 2 may be sung by unison voices and organ if desired. "Hark!" pronounced Har-rt.
Hark! the herald angels sing

1. Hail the heav'n-born Prince of Peace!—Hail the Sun of Righteousness! Light and life to all he brings,

2. in his wings:—Mild he lays his glory by,—Born that man no...
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more may die. Born to raise the sons of earth.

Born to give them second birth. Hark! the herald

angels sing. Glory to the newborn King.