

O HOLY NIGHT (HEAR THE GOSPEL STORY)

♩ = 150

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VERSE

C Cmaj7 F/C C

1. O ho - ly night, the stars are bright - ly shin - ing,
2. Hum - bly He lay, Cre - a - tor come as crea - ture,
3. Come then to Him Who lies with - in a man - ger,

5 C G/C F C

It is the night of the dear Sav - ior's birth.
born on the floor of a hay - scat - tered stall.
with joy - ful shep - herds, pro - claim Him as Lord.

10 C Cmaj7 C

Long lay the world in sin and er - ror pin - ing,
True Son of God, yet bear - ing hu - man fea - ture,
Let not the Prom - ised Son re - main a strang - er;

14 Em Bm Em

till He ap - peared and the soul felt its worth.
He en - tered earth to re - verse A - dam's fall.
In rev - erent wor - ship, make Christ your A - dored.

18 G G/F C/E

A thrill of hope, the wea - ry world re - joi - ces, for
In tow - ering grace, He laid a - side His glo - ry, and
E - ter - nal life is theirs who would re - ceive Him; With

23 Dm7 G/D C G/B

yon - der breaks a new and glo - rious morn.
in our place, was sac - ri - ficed for sin.
grace and peace, their lives He will a - dorn.

27 **CHORUS**

Fmaj7 Em7/G

Fall on your knees, O
 Fall on your knees! O
 Fall on your knees! Re -

31 Dm Am7 D7

hear the an - gel voi - ces! O
 hear the gos - pel sto - ry! O
 ceive the Gift of heav - en! O

35 C/G G7 Am Am/C D7

night di - vine, O
 night di - vine, O
 night di - vine, O

39 C/G G7 C F/C C C F/C C

night when Christ was born!
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45 Am Am/C D7 C/G G7 Am Am/G D7/F#

born! O night, O ho - - - ly

51 C/G G7 C F/C C

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