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Composer

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Lyricist

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Christmas Carols

8.	Ryder, A. H.	A Carol Service (Four Carols) (<i>Four-part and Unison</i>):	.20
		It came upon the midnight O Little town of Bethlehem In softest slumber rest The Prophetic Song	
9.	Ryder, A. H.	Two Christmas Carols (<i>Unison</i>):	.08
		In softest slumber rest The Prophetic Song	
264.	Clough-Leighter, H.	On Christmas Day (<i>Four-part</i>)	.20
265.	Ryder, A. H.	There's a song in the air (<i>Four-part</i>)	.08
266.	Ryder, A. H.	There's a song in the air (<i>Unison</i>)	.08
285.	Pickells, C. W.	Sleep, holy Babe (<i>Four-part</i>)	.10
286.	Pickells, C. W.	The Wondrous Birth (<i>Four-part</i>)	.15
307.	Traditional (arr. Knight)	When the sun had sunk to rest (<i>Four-part</i>)	.15
483.	Mason, W. L.	Hail the Christ! (<i>Unison</i>)	.08
484.	Bach, J. S.	Break forth, O beauteous (Chorale, <i>four-part</i>)	.08
517.	Martin, J.	Angels from the realms (<i>Four-part</i>)	.08
578.	Gevaert, F. A.	The sleep of the Child Jesus (<i>Four-part, a cappella</i>)	.10
634.	Pressel, G.	Herdsmen's Christmas Song (<i>Two-part</i>)	.10
641.	Ryder, A. H.	The Christmas Pilgrims (<i>Unison</i>)	.08
768.	Swift, Gertrude H.	Martin Luther's Hymn (<i>Unison</i>)	.08
779.	Old French (arr. Nunn)	Four Carols (<i>Four-part</i>)	.25
932.	Knight, G. H.	Three Carols (or Hymns)	.10
953.	Wambold, L.	Christmas Carol (The snowy flakes) (<i>Four-part, a cappella</i>)	.08
1131.	Various	Ten Christmas Carols (<i>Unison and four-part</i>)	.20
1182.	Various	Seven Christmas Carols (Women's Voices, S. S. A. and S. S. A. A.)	.10
1314.	Fish, Denison	Four Christmas Carols (<i>a cappella, four-part</i>)	.20
1371.	Various	Four Ancient Christmas Chorales (<i>Four-part</i>)	.15
1440.	Nevin, Ethelbert	Three Christmas Carols	.12
1471.	Straka-Kountz	Three Slovak Xmas. Carols (S. A. T. B., <i>a cappella</i>)	.15
1770.	Whitehead, A. E.	The Bird Carol (<i>a cappella, Four-part</i>)	.15
1771.	Whitehead, A. E.	Bell Carol (<i>a cappella, Four-part</i>)	.15
1782.	Old French (arr. Nunn)	Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella (<i>Four-Part</i>)	.08

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Everywhere, Everywhere Christmas To-night!*

1

Ev - 'ry-where, ev - 'ry-where Christ-mas to - night!_

Ev - 'ry - where, ev - 'ry - where Christ - mas to night!

1. Christ - mas in lands of the fir - trees and pine,
2. Christ - mas where chil - dren are hope - ful and gay,
Christ-child who comes is the Mas - ter of all, No
let ev - 'ry heart keep its Christ - mas with - in, Christ's
stars of the mid - night which com - pass us round Shall

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Christ - mas in lands of the palm - tree - and vine;
 Christ - mas where old men are pa - tient and gray;
 pal - ace too great, and no cot - tage too small, The
 pit - y for sor - row, Christ's ha - tred of sin, Christ's
 see a strange glo - ry, and hear a sweet sound, And

Christ - mas where snow - peaks stand sol - emn and white,
 Christ - mas where peace, like a dove in its flight,
 an - gels who wel - come Him sing from the height, "In the
 care for the weak - est, Christ's cour - age for right, Christ's
 cry, "Look! the earth is a - flame with de - light, O

Christ - mas where corn - fields lie sun - ny and bright;
 Broods o'er brave men in the thick of the fight;
 cit - y of Da - vid a King in his might."
 dread of the dark - ness, Christ's love of the light.
 sons of the morn - ing, re - joice at the sight!"

ff - 1 - 5. Ev - 'ry - where, ev - 'ry - where Christ - mas to - night! -

Ev - 'ry - where, ev - 'ry - where Christ - mas to - night! Christ - mas to - night!

1 & 5 || 2, 3, 4

3. For the
 4. Then
 5. So the

D. S. *D. S.*

The Silent Skies Are Full of Speech*

2

1. The si - lent skies are full of speech, For
 2. But once the sky_ its si - lence broke, And
 3. And Christ - mas once is Christ - mas still, The
 4. Shall we not lis - ten while they sing, This

who hath ears to hear, — The winds are whis'ring each to each, The
 song o'er - flowed the earth — The mid - night air_ with glo - ry shook, And
 gates thro' which He came, — And for - ests wild, and mur - m'ring rill, And
 lat - est Christmas morn? — And mu - sic hear in ev - 'ry - thing, And

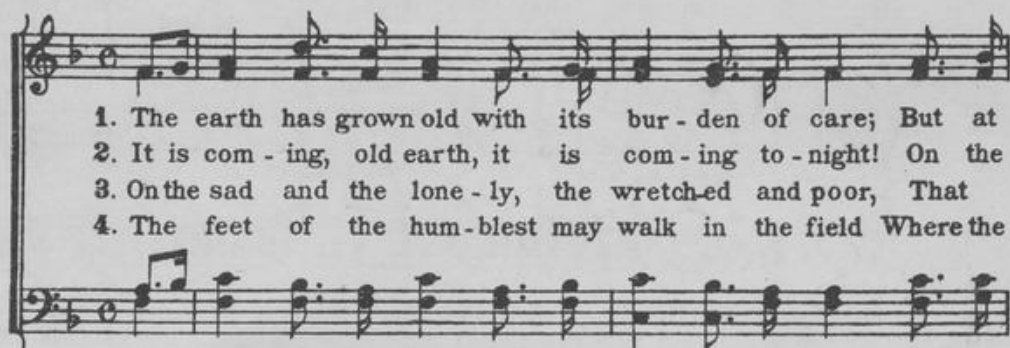
moon is call - ing to the beach, And stars their sa - cred
 an - gels mor - tal lan - guage spoke, When God our hu - man
 fruit - ful field_ and breez - y hill, And all that else_ the
 faith - ful lives_ in trib - ute bring To the great song_ which

wis - dom teach, Of Faith and Love and Fear. — *D. C.*
 na - ture took In Christ the Sav - iour's birth. —
 wide world fill Are vo - cal with His name. —
 greets the King, Who comes when Christ is born. — A - men.

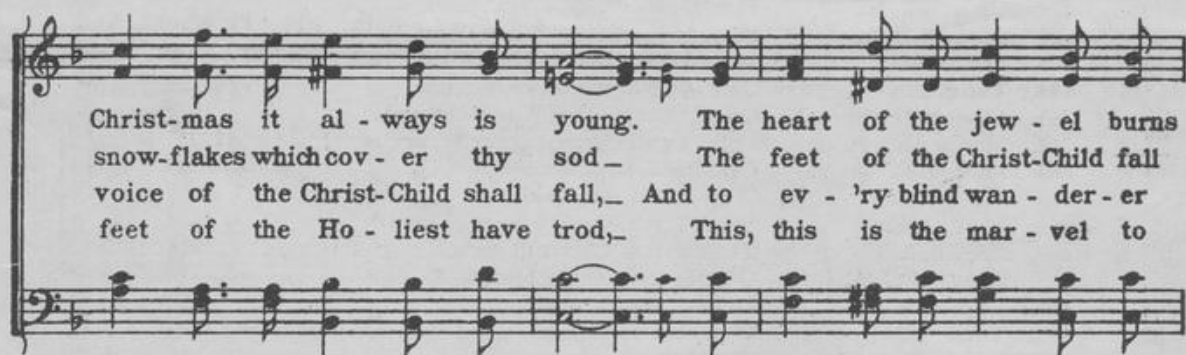
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The Earth Has Grown Old*

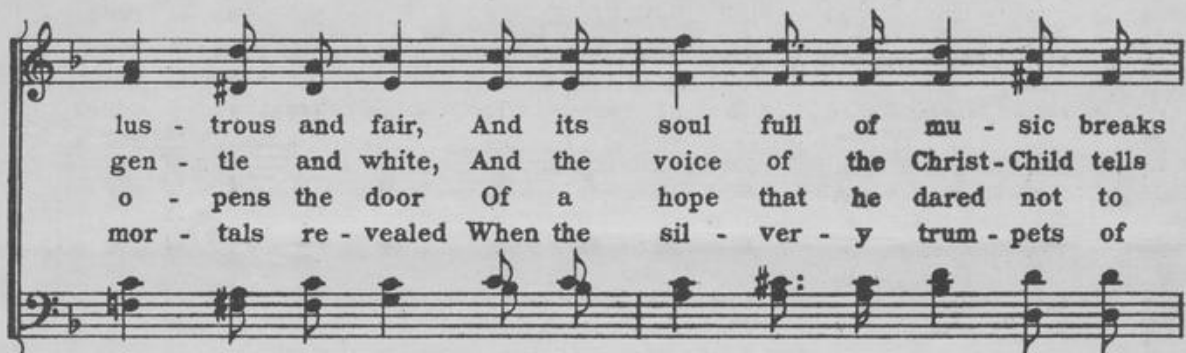
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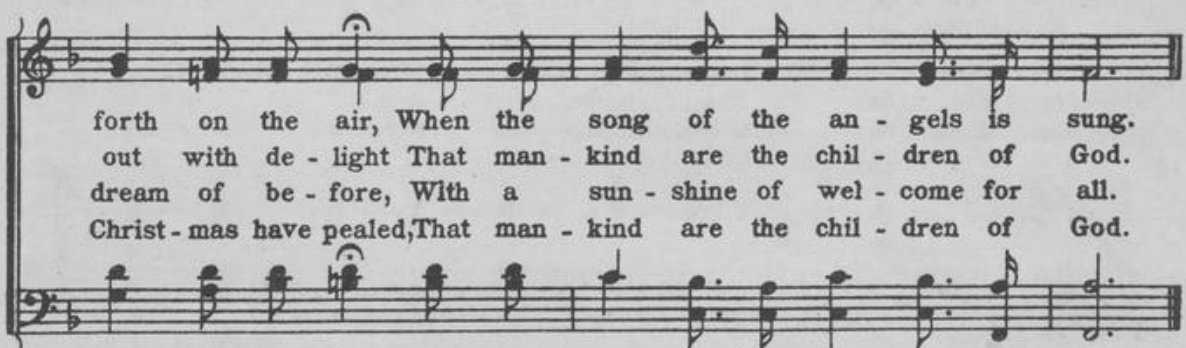
1. The earth has grown old with its bur - den of care; But at
 2. It is com - ing, old earth, it is com - ing to - night! On the
 3. On the sad and the lone - ly, the wretch - ed and poor, That
 4. The feet of the hum - blest may walk in the field Where the



Christ - mas it al - ways is young. The heart of the jew - el burns
 snow - flakes which cov - er thy sod - The feet of the Christ - Child fall
 voice of the Christ - Child shall fall, - And to ev - 'ry blind wan - der - er
 feet of the Ho - liest have trod, - This, this is the mar - vel to



lus - trous and fair, And its soul full of mu - sic breaks
 gen - tle and white, And the voice of the Christ - Child tells
 o - pens the door Of a hope that he dared not to
 mor - tals re - vealed When the sil - ver - y trum - pets of



forth on the air, When the song of the an - gels is sung.
 out with de - light That man - kind are the chil - dren of God.
 dream of be - fore, With a sun - shine of wel - come for all.
 Christ - mas have pealed, That man - kind are the chil - dren of God.

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Christmas Anthems

10.	Shackley, F. N.	While shepherds watched (S. or T. solo, Violin obbl. <i>ad lib.</i>)	.20
40.	Strelezki, A.	It came upon the midnight (S. T. soli)	.12
164.	Burdett, G. A.	Christians, awake (S. or T. solo)	.20
179.	Churchill, N.	Behold, I bring you glad tidings (T. solo)	.25
185.	Osgood, G. L.	Song of the Christ-Child (a capella <i>ad lib.</i>)	.15
193.	Lee, E. M.	Where is He that is born (S. or T. solo)	.20
194.	Tozer, F.	Sing, O heavens (A. or Bar. solo)	.20
264.	Clough-Leighter, H.	On Christmas Day (Carol-Anthem)	.20
317.	Manney, C. F.	Calm on the listening ear (T. or S. solo)	.25
353.	Ford, J. S.	Give heed, my heart	.15
354.	Ford, J. S.	Who is this, so weak	.08
484.	Bach, J. S.	Break forth, O beauteous (Chorale)	.08
487.	Eccard, J.	The birth of Christ (8 parts, a cappella)	.30
495.	Burdett, G. A.	O little town of Bethlehem (S. A. soli)	.15
500.	Protheroe, D.	In that day (S. A. soli)	.20
513.	Turner, E.	God from on high (S. solo <i>ad lib.</i> , Violin obbl. <i>ad lib.</i>)	.20
515.	Smart, Roland	While shepherds watched (T. or S. solo)	.12
518.	Martin, J.	All my heart this night (A. solo)	.15
577.	Gevaert, F. A.	Musette (Christmas song) (a cappella)	.20
578.	Gevaert, F. A.	The sleep of the Child Jesus (a cappella)	.10
643.	Clough-Leighter, H.	Hark, the herald angels sing (Christmas Processional)	.15
644.	Clough-Leighter, H.	To the Name of our salvation (Christmas Processional)	.15
671.	Bartschmid, A.	Break forth into joy	.20
762.	Carse, A. von Ahn	Sing, O heavens	.15
764.	Borch, G.	Who is He from heaven descended (S. T. soli)	.15
776.	Simper, C.	Break forth into joy	.12
795.	Stanford, C. V.	A carol of the Nativity	.20
926.	Malmène, C.	Christmas Hymn (A. solo, a cappella)	.15
927.	Trunk, R.	Christmas Night (a cappella)	.15
928.	Old French (Gaul)	Gloria in excelsis (Angel voices, ever singing)	.15
933.	Knight, G. H.	Away in a manger (S. solo)	.15
934.	Gevaert, F. A.	Noël of the 18th Century (a cappella)	.15
940.	Ford, J. S.	The angel Gabriel (T. solo) (Feast of Annunciation or Christmas)	.20
942.	Prehl, P.	Holy Night (2 Violins, 'Cello and Piano. obbl. <i>ad lib.</i>)	.12
955.	Nevin, G. B.	When Christ was born (S. solo)	.08
1044.	Sanders, H.	Drop down, ye heavens (Bar. solo <i>ad lib.</i>)	.20
1045.	James, Phillip	Child Jesus came and Christ is born (No. 1, a cappella)	.20
1062.	Sanders, H.	O little town of Bethlehem (S. or T. solo)	.20

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