# *The Angels Came to Sing*

*Solo (Low) with optional bells*

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*freely*

*(a cappella)*

*opt. bells*

*mp*

There was star - light 'round His cra - dle, There was mu - sic on the air. Ma - ry

knelt to hush her ba - by, Jo - seph watched be - side her there. Je - sus

lay in low - ly man - ger, Sent from God to be our King. 'Twas for Him the star was

*(piano begins)*

*mp*

*rit.*

♩ = 78

gleam - ing, and the an - gels came to sing. There were cat - tle round His cra - dle, Ox and

*rit.*

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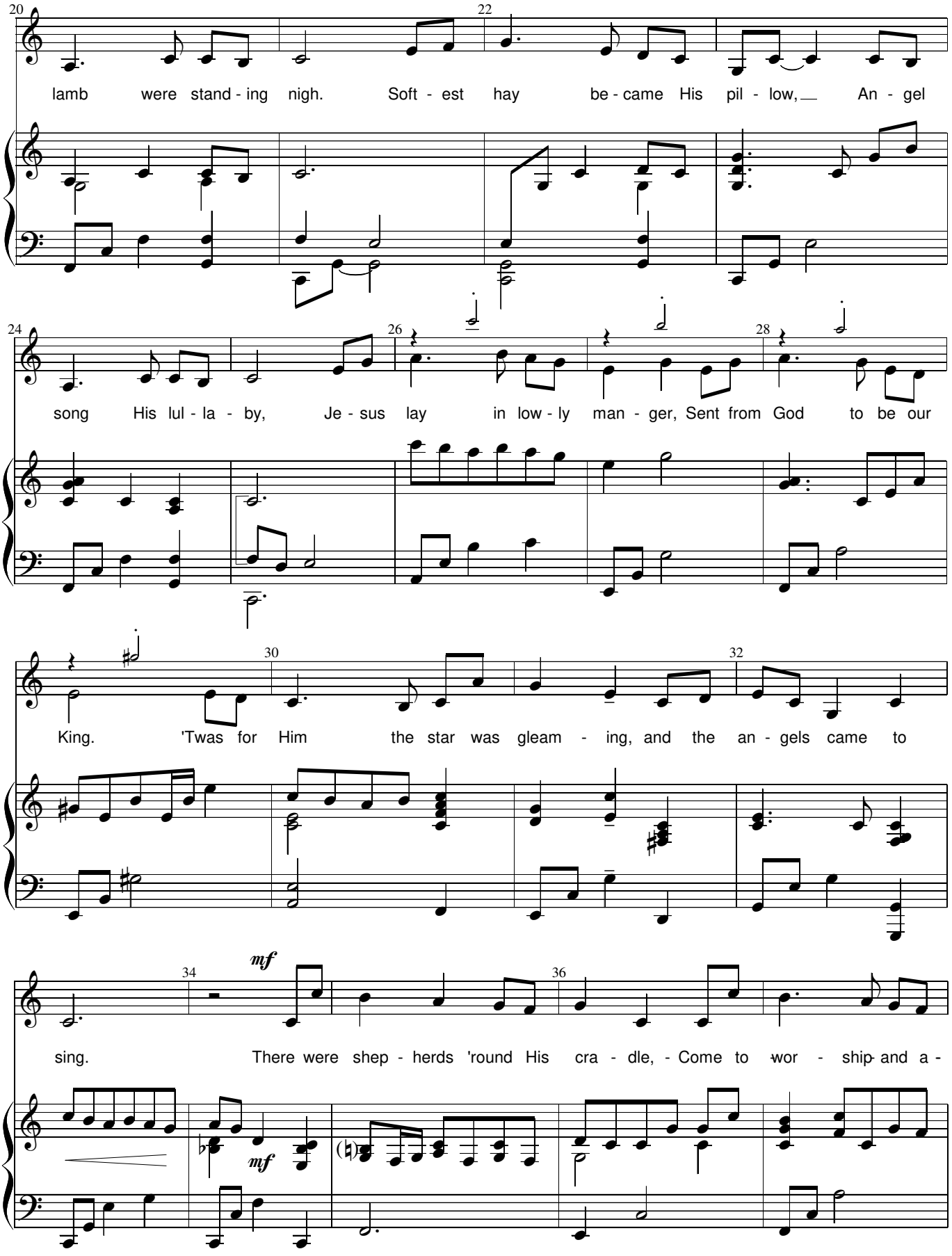
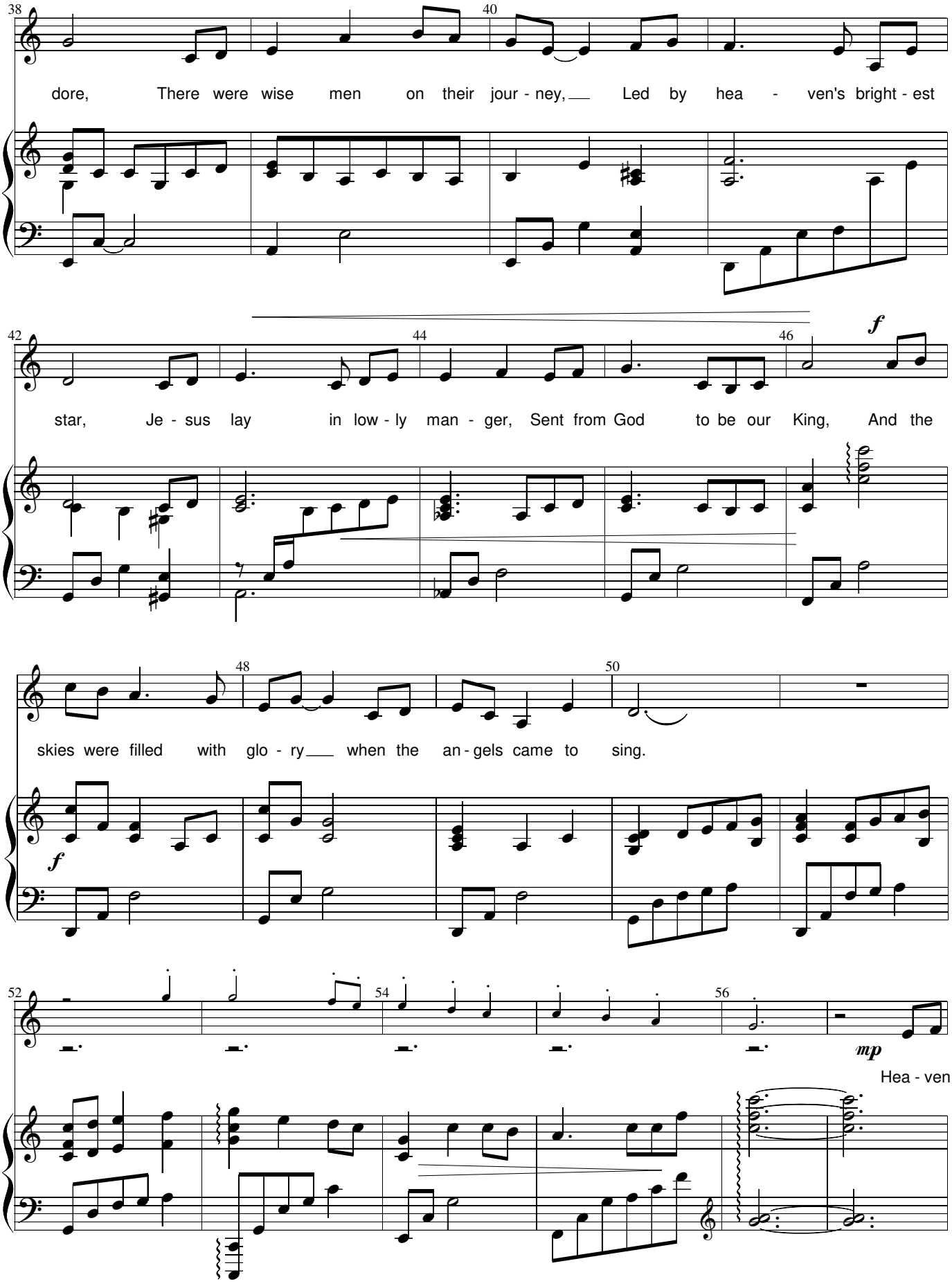

20
lamb were stand - ing nigh.
22
Soft - est hay be - came His pil - low, An - gel
24
song His lul - la - by,
26
Je - sus lay in low - ly man - ger, Sent from God
28
to be our
30
King. 'Twas for Him
32
the star was gleam - ing, and the an - gels came to
34
mf
sing.
36
There were shep - herds 'round His cra - dle, Come to wor - ship and a -
mf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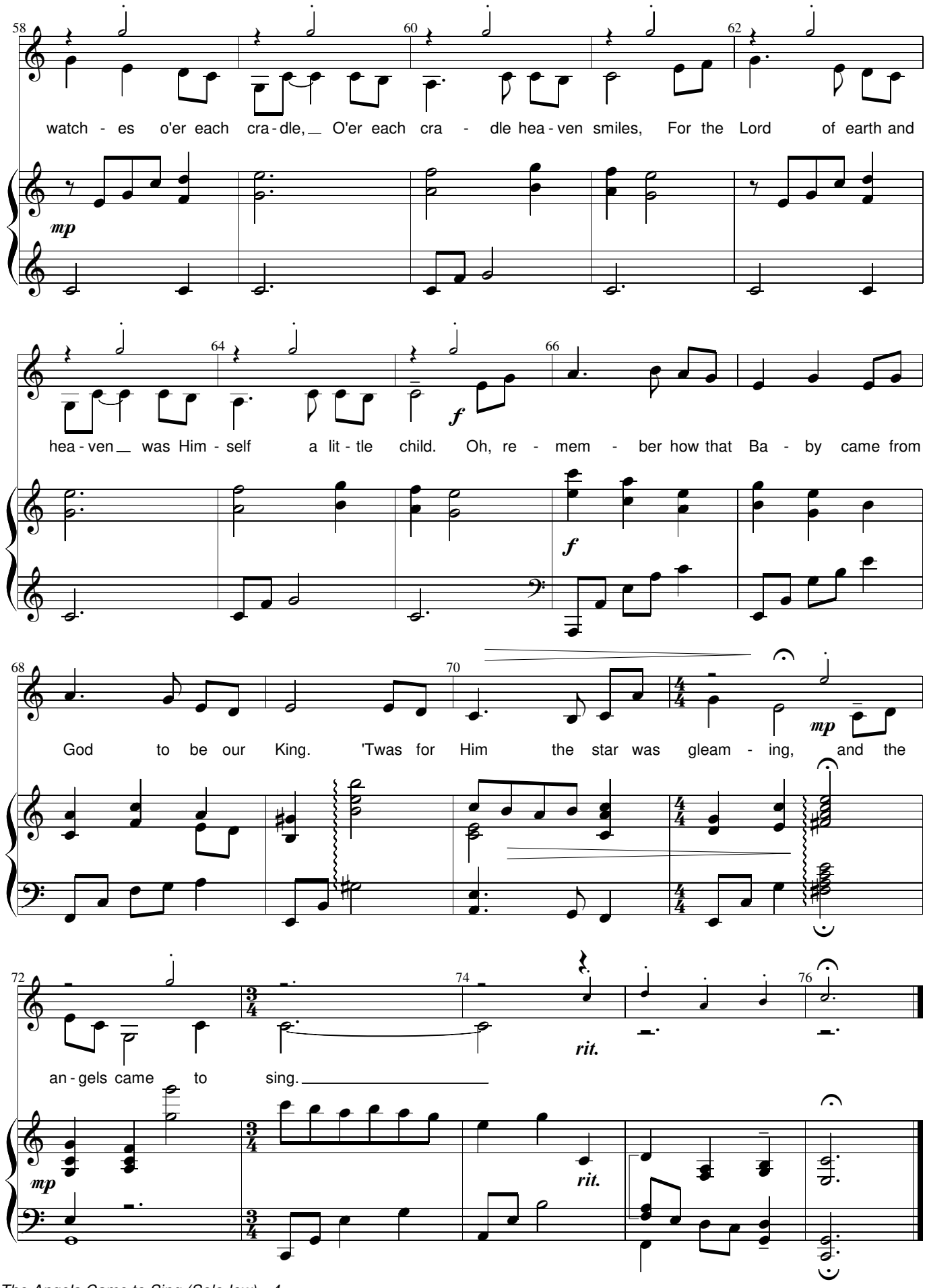
dore, There were wise men on their jour - ney, Led by hea - ven's bright - est
42
44
46
f
star, Je - sus lay in low - ly man - ger, Sent from God to be our King, And the
48
50
skies were filled with glo - ry when the an - gels came to sing.
f
52
54
56
mp
Hea - ven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60
62
watch - es o'er each cra - dle, O'er each cra - dle hea - ven smiles, For the Lord of earth and
mp
64
66
hea - ven was Him - self a lit - tle child. Oh, re - mem - ber how that Ba - by came from
f
f
68
70
God to be our King. 'Twas for Him the star was gleam - ing, and the
mp
72
74
76
an - gels came to sing.
rit.
mp
rit.