

BORN ON THIS DAY

Music & Lyrics by
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for high voice and piano



Hello! Thank you for your interest in my music!

I composed *Born On This Day* on commission from a friend who wanted something new and different to include on a holiday concert. This is the original version, for high voice and piano, and there are transpositions for low treble voice and low bass voice, all available for free download on my website.

I also have arrangements for SA chorus and and SATB chorus available for sale.

Please do not upload this score to other platforms. If you want to share with others, you can direct them to www.sarahpalermo.com.

If you decide to perform *Born On This Day*, I would love to know! Also, please consider programming some of my other works which can be purchased at J.W. Pepper!

Thank you,

Sarah Palermo



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Jubilantly!

(♩ = 80)

Musical score for measures 1-4. The piece is in 7/8 time with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The piano part features a melodic line in the right hand and a more active bass line in the left hand. The dynamic is marked *mp*.

Musical score for measures 5-8. The piano part continues with a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The dynamic is marked *mf* and then *p*. The word *sim.* (sostenuto) is written below the bass line in measure 8.

Musical score for measures 9-14. The vocal line begins in measure 9 with the lyrics: "On the ho - ri - zon, can you see it shin - ing, shin - ing,". The piano part continues with a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The dynamic is marked *mp* and then *f*. The word *sub.* (subito) is written below the bass line in measure 10.

Musical score for measures 15-18. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "shin - ing bright - ly to all? Star in the heav - ens lead - ing shep - herds and". The piano part continues with a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The dynamic is marked *mf* and then *mp*.

20

wise_ men to a sta-ble in Beth - le - hem! _____ Wel-come the ba - by, wel-come the Christ child,

25

A host_ of an - gels light the way, Sing-ing "Hal - le - lu - jah,

30

hal - le - lu - jah, Re - jice, _____ re - jice, re-joyce for He is born on_ this day!" _____

35

"Be not a - fraid," the an - gel said to Ma-ry, _____

41

"The Lord is with you, You have found fa-vor with God!" "The Ho - ly Spir - it___ will

mf

46

come o - ver you— you will bear a son, and will call him Em-man - u - el!"

f

51

mf

Wel-come the ba - by, wel-come the Christ child, Glo-ry to God, peace_ to all!_____

mf

56

f *mp* *f*

Come sing hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, re - joice,___ re - joice, re-joice for He is

mf *p sub.*

Poco meno mosso (♩ = 69)

61

mp

born on this day: _____

The Son of

mf legato

p

67

Tempo primo

(,)

f

God, the Sav-ior of men, the light of the world _____ is come on this day! _____

mf

73

mp

On this day! _____

Re - joice and be glad, Christ is born on this day!

p sub.

ff