

The First Noel

English carol

English melody
Sandys' Christmas Carols

Soprano
Alto

The first no - el the an - gel did say Was to cer - tain poor
Then did ap - pear a won - drous star Shin - ing in the
And by the light of that same star, Three wise men
Now let us all with one ac - cord Sing prais - es

Tenor
Bass

S/A

shep - herds in fields as they lay~ In fields where they lay keep - ing their
east, be - yond them far; Un - to the earth it gave great
came from coun - try far; To seek a king was their in -
to our heav'n - ly Lord, That hath made heav'n and earth of

T/B

S/A

sheep, On a cold win - ter's night that was so deep. No -
light, And so it con - tin - ued both day and night.
tent, And to fol - low the star wher - ev - er it went.
naught, And with His blood man - kind hath bought.

T/B

S/A

el, no - el! No - el, no - el! Born is the King of Is - ra - el!

T/B