

# There Is a Gift

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*p* *molto espressivo*

Soprano  
In Ma-ry's heart there lived a rose — And how it, how it grew no - bo-dy knows —

Alto  
In Ma-ry's heart there lived a rose — And how it grew no - bo-dy knows —

Tenor  
8  
And how it

Bass  
And how it

Perusal Only

S *mp*  
blos-somed in the night Is the sea-son's true de - light

A *mp*  
blos-somed in the night Is the sea-son's true de - light

T *mp*  
blos-somed in the night Is the sea-son's true de - light (Is the sea-son's true de-light)

B *mp*  
blos-somed in the night Is the sea-son's true de - light (true de - light)

S *mf* *mp*  
A - ve ve mo - ther sang Ma - ri - a Ma -

A *mf* *mp*  
A - ve A - ve mo - ther sang Ma - ri - a Ma -

T *mf* *mp*  
A - ve A - ve mo - ther sang Ma - ri - a Ma -

B *mf* *mp*  
A - ve A - ve mo - ther sang Ma - ri - a Ma -

12 *p* *mp*

S ri - a was that young girl's name How

A ri - a was that young girl's name How

T 8 ri - a was that young girl's name And ev - 'ry mo - ther knows the tune

B ri - a was that young girl's name And ev - 'ry mo - ther knows the tune

12 *mp*

16 *p* *p* *p* *p*

S in - fants leave our arms too soon (How chil - dren fly a - way too soon)

A in - fants leave our arms too soon (How chil - dren fly a - way too soon)

T 8 (How chil - dren fly a - way too soon)

B (How chil - dren fly a - way too soon)

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20 *mp* *cresc.* , *mf*

S There are some gifts I bring with me \_\_\_\_\_ a gift I've come to see The star that shines u-pon this tree A -

A There are some gifts I bring with me \_\_\_\_\_ a gift I've come to see The star that shines u-pon this tree A -

T 8 There are some gifts I bring with me There is a gift I've come to see \_\_\_\_\_ The star that shines u-pon this tree A -

B There are some gifts I bring with me \_\_\_\_\_ a gift I've come to see The star that shines u-pon this tree A -

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24 *rit.* *a tempo* *mp*

S bides in sil-ent re-ver-y, re-sides In an-cient mys-ter-y Snow-flake, star-light, can-dle-flame Il-

A bides in sil-ent re-ver-y, re-sides in an-cient mys-ter-y Snow-flake, star-light, can-dle flame Il-

T 8 bides in sil-ent re-ver-y, re-sides in an-cient mys-ter-y Snow-flake, star-light, can-dle flame Il-

B bides in sil-ent re-ver-y, re-sides in an-cient mys-ter-y Snow-flake, star-light, can-dle flame Il-

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28 *p*  
S lu - mi - nate the in - fant's name Il - lu - mi - nate the in - fant's name  
A lu - mi - nate the in - fant's name Il - lu - mi - nate the in - fant's name  
T 8 lu - mi - nate the in - fant's name Il - lu - mi - nate the in - fant's name *mp* In a - do - ra - tion  
B lu - mi - nate the in - fant's name Il - lu - mi - nate the in - fant's name *mp* In a - do - ra - tion

33 *mp* *p*  
S For vi - sions that their dreams re - veal From con - stel - la - tions' dis - tant  
A For vi - sions that their dreams re - veal From con - stel - la - tions' dis - tant  
T 8 shep - herds kneel From con - stel - la - tions dis - tant  
B shep - herds kneel From dis - tant

39 *mp legato*

S fires To chor - us - es of Christ - mas choirs Love comes down to flesh and bone to

A fires To chor - us - es of Chris - mas choirs Love comes down to flesh and bone to

T 8 fires To chor - us - es of Christ - mas choirs Love comes down to flesh and bone to

B fires \_\_\_\_\_ choirs Love comes down to flesh and bone To

43 *mf cresc.*

S heal the heart that dwells a - lone There are some gifts I bring with me a gift I've

A heal the heart that dwells a - lone There are some gifts I bring with me a gift I've

T 8 heal the heart that dwells a - lone There are some gifts I bring with me There is a gift I've

B heal the heart that dwells a - lone There are some gifts I bring with me a gift I've

47 *f*

S come to see *f* The star that shines u - pon this tree A - bides in sil - ent re - ver - y, re -

A come to see *f* The star that shines u - pon this tree A - bides in sil - ent re - ver - y, re -

T 8 come to see *f* The star that shines u - pon this tree A - bides in sil - ent re - ver - y, re -

B come to see *f* The star that shines u - pon this tree A - bides in sil - ent re - ver - y, re -

51 *mp* *mf* *subp*

S sides In an - cient mys - ter - y in sil - ent re - ver - y In an - cient mys - ter - y In Mar - y's heart there lived a

A *mp* *mf* *p* sides in an - cient mys - ter - y in sil - ent re - ver - y In an - cient mys - ter - y And

T 8 *mp* *mf* sides in an - cient mys - ter - y A - bides sil - ent re - ver - y, re - sides an - cient mys - ter - y

B *mp* *mf* sides in an - cient mys - ter - y A - bides sil - ent re - ver - y, re - sides an - cient mys - ter - y

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S  
rose \_\_\_\_\_ (Is the sea-son's true de-light)

A  
how it grew no-bo-dy knows \_\_\_\_\_ (Is the sea-son's true de-light)

T  
8 *p* And how it blos-somed in the night \_\_\_\_\_ (Is the sea-son's true de-light)

B  
*p* Is the sea-son's true de-light

With a sense of arrival and awe

*meno mosso*

*mp*

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S  
*meno mosso*  
*mp* There are some gifts I bring with me a gift I've come to see The start that shines u-pon this tree A-

A  
*meno mosso*  
*mp* There are some gifts I bring with me a gift I've come to see The start that shines u-pon this tree A-

T  
8 *meno mosso*  
*mp* There are some gifts I bring with me There is a gift I've come to see The start that shines u-pon this tree A-

B  
*meno mosso*  
*mp* There are some gifts I bring with me a gift I've come to see The start that shines u-pon this tree A-



63 *rit.* *pp*

S bides in sil - ent re - ver - y, re - sides in an - cient my - ster - y

A bides in sil - ent re - ver - y, re - sides in an - cient my - ster - y

T 8 bides in sil - ent re - ver - y, re - sides in an - cient my - ster - y

B bides in sil - ent re - ver - y, re - sides in an - cient my - ster - y

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