

It Came Upon a Midnight Clear

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The musical score is written in 3/4 time and consists of eight systems of music. Each system includes a treble clef staff with a key signature of one flat (F major) and a set of lyrics. Chord symbols are placed above the staff lines. The lyrics are as follows:

It came up - on the mid - night clear that
Still through the clo - ven skies they come with
For Lo! the days are has - t'ning on, by
glo - rious song of old From
peac - eful wing un - furl'd And
proph - ets seen of old when
an - gels bend ing near the earth to
still their heav'n - ly mu - sic floats O'er
with the ev - er - cir - cling years Shall
touch their harps of gold "Peace
all the wea - ry world A -
come the time fore - told When
on the earth good - will to men From
bove its sad and low - ly plains, They
the new heav'n and earth shall own the
heav'ns all - gra - cious King" The
bend on hov 'ring wing And
Prince of Peace their King The
world in sol - emn still - ness lay to
ev - er o'er its Ba - bel sounds the
whole of world send back the song which
hear the an - gels sing (2).Still
bless - ed an - gels sing (3).For
now the an - gels Sing