

The First Noel

Traditional English Carol

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1. The first No - el the an - gel did say Was to cer - tain poor shep - herds in
2. They look - èd up and sa - w a star Shin - ing i - n the ea - st, be -
3. And by the light of th - at same star Three wi - se men ca - me from co -
4. This star drew nigh to th - e north - west, O' - er Be - th - le - he - m it
5. Then en - tered in those wi - se men three, Fu - ll re - v - er - ent - ly up -

fields as they lay. In fields where they lay keep - ing their sheep, On a cold win - ter's
- yo - nd them far; And to the earth it ga - ve great light, A - nd so it con -
- un - try far; To seek for a king was the - ir in - tent, And to fol - low the
- to - ok its rest; And there it did both st - op a - nd stay, Right o - ver the
- o - n the knee; And of - fered there, in H - is pre - sence, Their go - ld and my -

Refrain

ni - ght that was so deep.
- tin - ued both day and night.
- star wher - ev - er it went. No - el, No - el, No - el, No - el, Born is the King of
- pl - ace where Je - sus lay.
- rhh and fr - ank - in - cense.

Is - ra - el.