

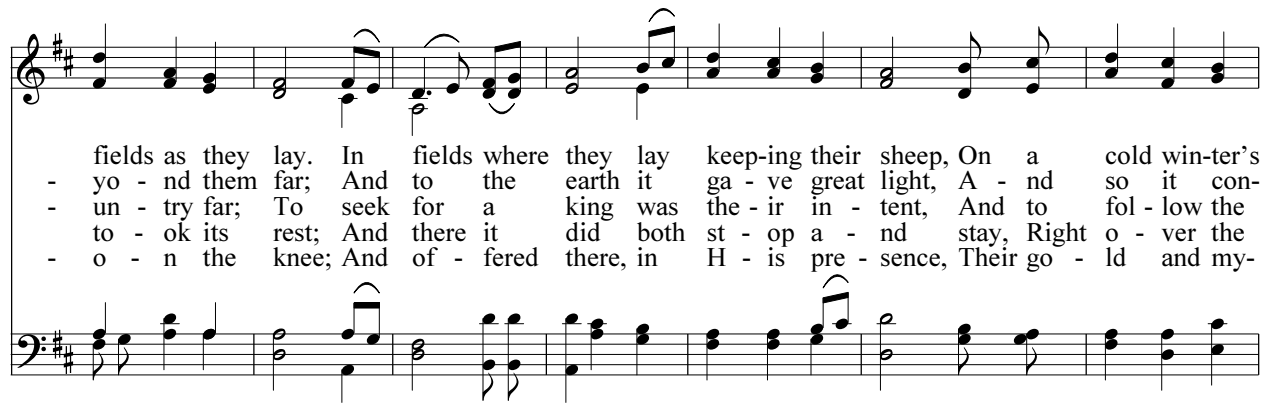
# The First Noel

Traditional English Carol

$\text{♩} = 107$



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-

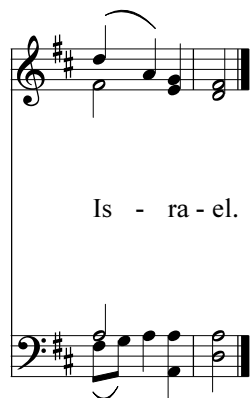


fields as they lay. In fields where they lay keep-ing their sheep, On a cold win-ter's  
- yo - nd them far; And to the earth it ga - ve great light, A - nd so it con-  
- un - try far; To seek for a king was the - ir in - tent, And to fol - low the  
- to - ok its rest; And there it did both st - op 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.