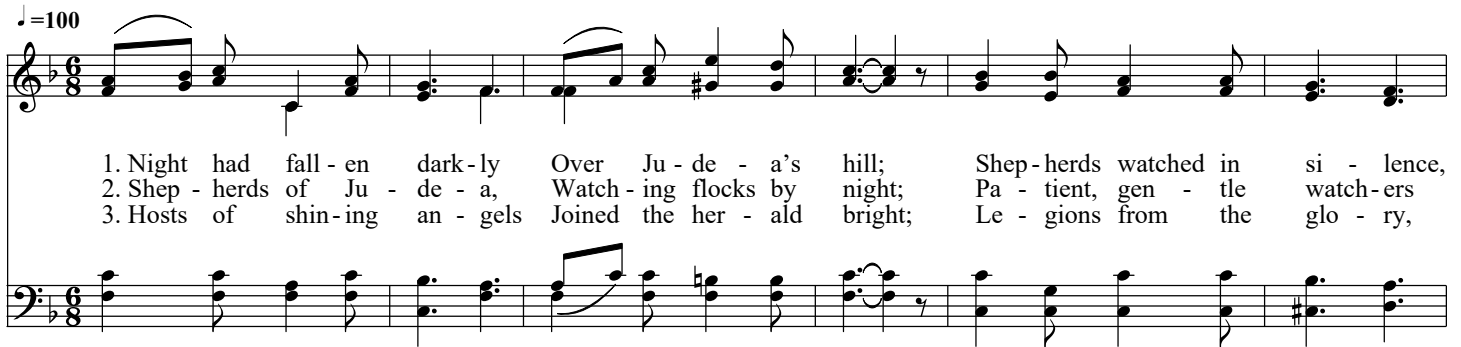


Long Ago

Flora Kirkland, 1903

William A. Post

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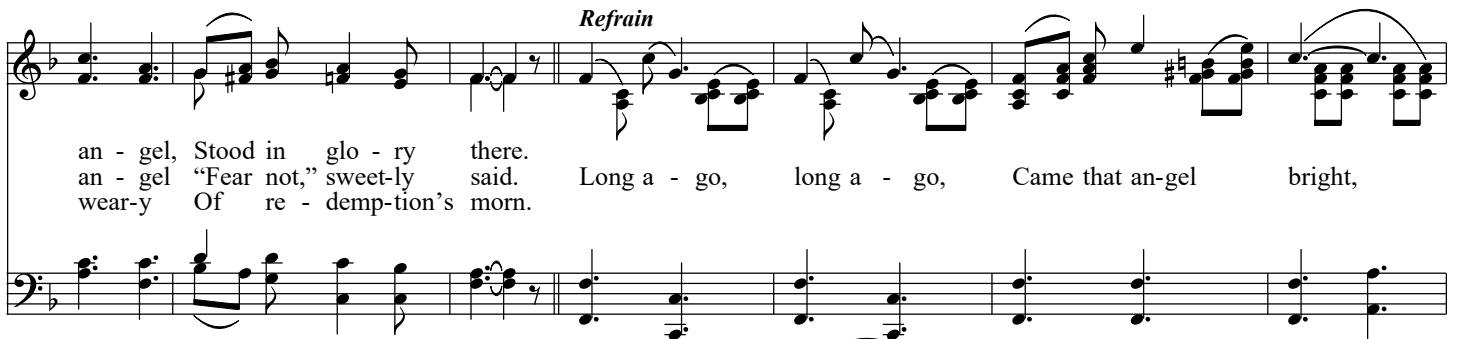


1. Night had fall - en dark - ly Over Ju - de - a's hill; Shep - herds watched in si - lence,
2. Shep - herds of Ju - de - a, Watch - ing flocks by night; Pa - tient, gen - tle watch - ers
3. Hosts of shin - ing an - gels Joined the her - ald bright; Le - gions from the glo - ry,

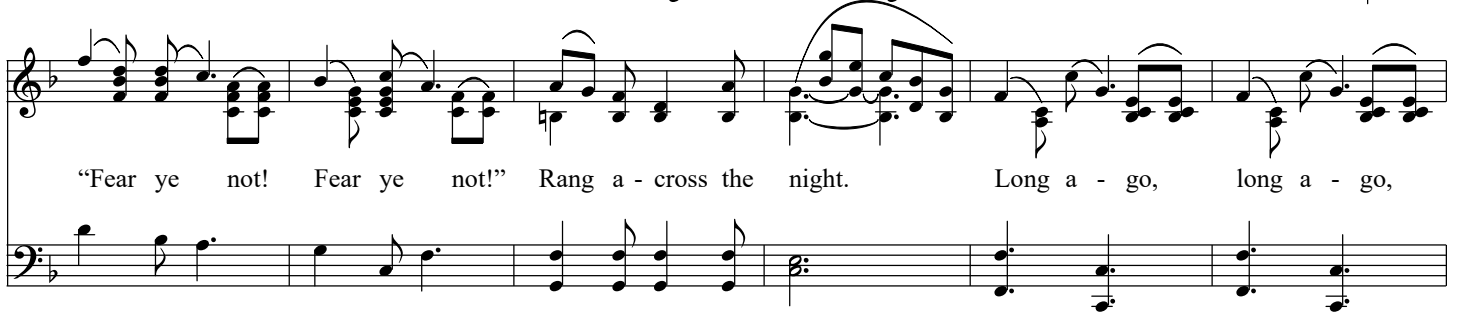


All the flocks were still; Light dis - pelled the dark - ness, Light, then day more fair, Lo! a might - y
Trem - bled at the light, Trem - bled when the glo - ry O'er the hill - side spread, Trem - bled till the
Came that won - drous night— Came with al - le - lu - ias, For a Sav - ior born; Came to tell the

Refrain



an - gel, Stood in glo - ry there.
an - gel "Fear not," sweet - ly said. Long a - go, long a - go, Came that an - gel bright,
wear - y Of re - demp - tion's morn.



"Fear ye not! Fear ye not!" Rang a - cross the night. Long a - go, long a - go,



Over a bed of hay, An - gels fair, in the air, Watched where Je - sus lay.