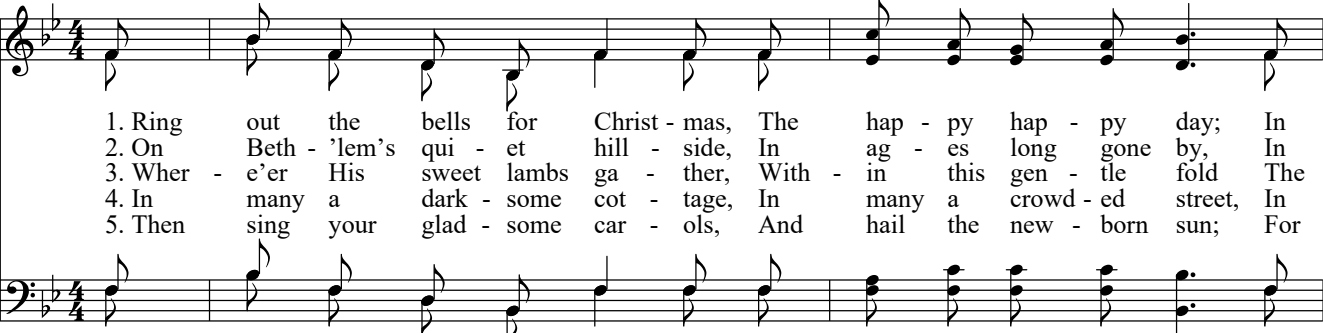


Ring Out the Bells for Christmas

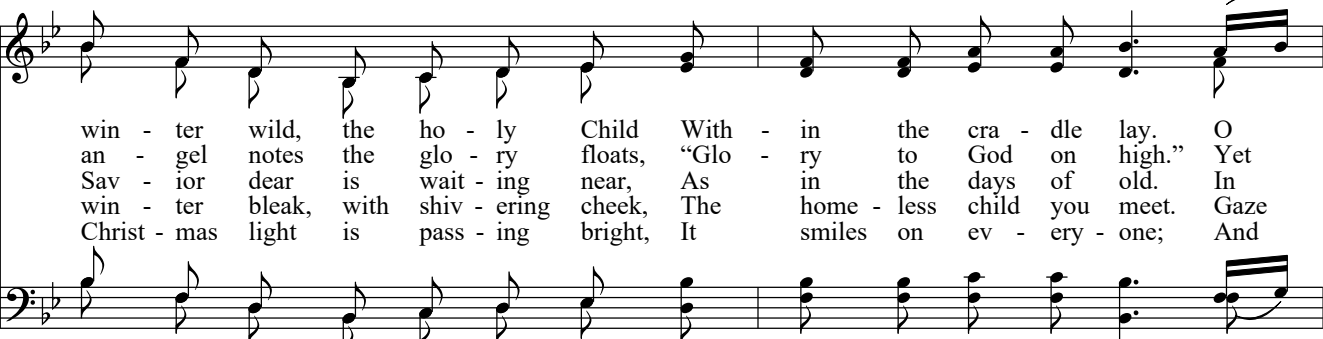
Edward Abiel Washburn (1819–1881)

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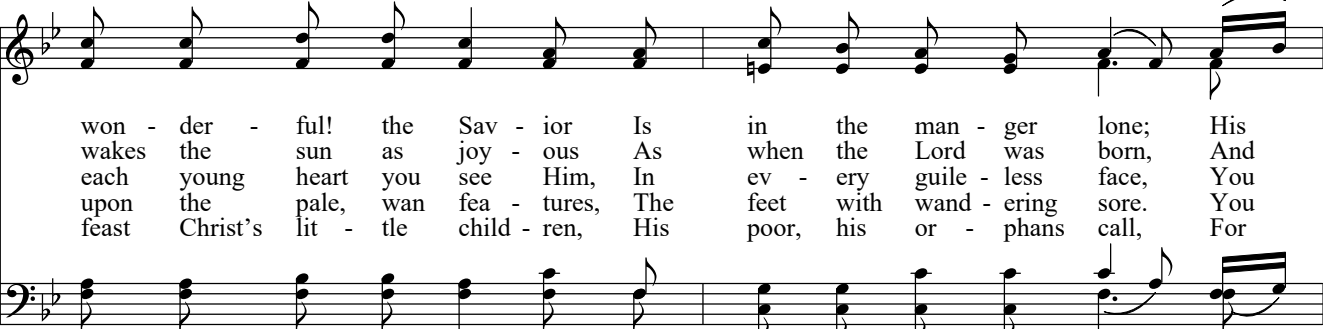
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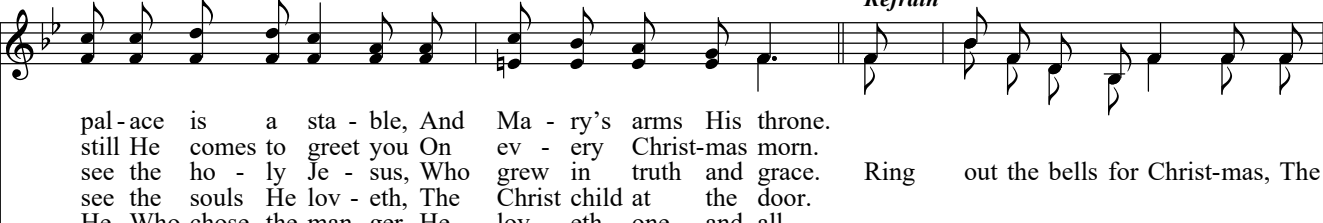
1. Ring out the bells for Christ - mas, The hap - py hap - py day; In
 2. On Beth - 'lem's qui - et hill - side, In ag - es long gone by, In
 3. Wher - e'er His sweet lambs ga - ther, With - in this gen - tle fold The
 4. In many a dark - some cot - tage, In many a crowd - ed street, In
 5. Then sing your glad - some car - ols, And hail the new - born sun; For




win - ter wild, the ho - ly Child With - in the cra - dle lay, O
 an - gel notes the glo - ry floats, "Glo - ry to God on high." Yet
 Sav - ior dear is wait - ing near, As in the days of old. In
 win - ter bleak, with shiv - ering cheek, The home - less child you meet. Gaze
 Christ - mas light is pass - ing bright, It smiles on ev - ery - one; And



won - der - ful! the Sav - ior Is in the man - ger lone; His
 wakes the sun as joy - ous As when the Lord was born, And
 each young heart you see Him, In ev - ery guile - less face, You
 upon the pale, wan fea - tures, The feet with wand - ering sore. You
 feast Christ's lit - tle child - ren, His poor, his or - phans call, For



Refrain
 pal - ace is a sta - ble, And Ma - ry's arms His throne.
 still He comes to greet you On ev - ery Christ - mas morn.
 see the ho - ly Je - sus, Who grew in truth and grace. Ring out the bells for Christ - mas, The
 see the souls He lov - eth, The Christ child at the door.
 He Who chose the man - ger, He lov - eth one and all.



mer - ry, mer - ry Christ - mas, Ring out the bells for Christ - mas, The hap - py, hap - py day.

