

Watching on Judea's Plain

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1. Watch - ing on Ju - de - a's plain, Shep - herds spent their dew - y night,
2. Let us raise an an - them now, To the name of Christ our king,
3. Let the joy - ful tid - ings fly All the spa - cious earth a - round,



When there came a heav - en - ly train, In their robes of spot - less white; Joy - ful news they
And with joy and glad - ness bow, While our youth - ful praise we sing, Je - sus is the
Till all lands be - neath the sky Hear and love the ho - ly sound— Till the Sav - ior's



brought to earth, Long by pro - phet tongues fore - told, Tid - ings of our Sav - ior's birth,
child - ren's friend; He will hear their ear - nest prayer; He will lead them to the end
name is known, Friend, Re - deem - er, Prince of Peace, And in rap - ture to His throne



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Tuned with harps of shin - ing gold.
And will keep them in His care. Glo - ry in the high - est sing! Glo - ry be to
Praise shall ev - er - more in - crease.



God a - bove! Peace on earth we come to bring, Un - to men good will and love.

