

Rejoice with Exceeding Great Joy

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Gospel Feel, in two ♩ = 89

Choir NARRATOR 1: "Then they opened..." *mf* O - ver

Flute

Oboe (Clarinet) (Soprano Sax)

Clarinet

Horn (Clarinet) (Alto Sax)

Trumpet 1 *mf* Harmon Mute

Trumpet 2 & 3 (Alto Sax) *mf* Harmon Mute

Trombone 1 & 2 (Baritone T.C.) (Tenor Sax) *mf*

Trombone 3 / Tuba (Bari Sax) *mf*

Percussion Mark Tree *mp*

Rhythm *mf* Funky Gir. Pattern Dm Dm Dm Dm Dm Dm Dm Dm

Harp ++|++++

Violin 1 & 2 *mf*

Viola (Clarinet) *mf*

Cello / Bassoon (Bass Clarinet) *mf*

String Bass *mf*

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

Choir
moun - tains and val - leys, it led them each night: _____ a star of most ra - di - ant light. Three

Flute
mf

Oboe
mf

Clar.
mf

Horn

Tpt. 1
Open

Tpt. 2 & 3
Open

Trb. 1 & 2

Trb. 3 / Tuba

Perc.

Rhythm
Dm Dm Dm Dm Dm Dm A7 A7
Gtr. Keeps Motion Going

Harp

Vln. 1 & 2

Viola

Cello

Str. Bass

9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

Choir
wise men re - joiced as they jour-neyed a - far, ——— to be - hold such a beau - ti - ful star.

Flute

Oboe

Clar.

Horn
mf

Tpt. 1
mf

Tpt. 2 & 3
mf

Trb. 1 & 2
mf

Trb. 3 / Tuba
mf

Perc.
Sus. Cym.
Timpani

Rhythm
Dm Dm Gm G⁴2 Gm Dm A A⁷ Dm Dm
Adding More... Even More...

Harp
F scale
mf

Vln. 1 & 2
mf

Viola
mf

Cello
mf

Str. Bass
mf

17

18

19

20

21

22

23

24

1st Time, Ladies, Parts
2nd Time, Choir, Parts
mf - f

Choir
When they saw the star, they re - joiced with great joy. When they saw the star, they re - joiced!

Flute
mf - f

Oboe
mf - f

Clar.
mf - f

Horn
mf - f

Tpt. 1
mf - f

Tpt. 2 & 3
mf - f

Trb. 1 & 2
mf - f

Trb. 3 / Tuba
mf - f

Perc.
mf - f

Rhythm
Dm C Dm Dm Dm Gm E G Gm Dm A

Harp

Vln. 1 & 2
mf - f

Viola
mf - f

Cello
mf - f

Str. Bass
pizz.
mf - f

25 26 27 28 29 30 31

Choir When they saw the star, they re - joiced with great joy, they re - joiced with ex - ceed - ing great—

Flute *mf - f*

Oboe *mf - f*

Clar. *mf - f*

Horn *mf - f*

Tpt. 1 *mf - f*

Tpt. 2 & 3 *mf - f*

Trb. 1 & 2 *mf - f*

Trb. 3 / Tuba *mf - f*

Bells *mf - f*

Perc. *mf - f*

Rhythm A 7 Dm C Dm Dm Dm Dm A 7

Harp *mf - f* F scale

Vln. 1 & 2

Viola

Cello

Str. Bass

32 33 34 35 36 37 38

1 (to meas. 25) 2

Choir joy! joy!

Flute

Oboe

Clar.

Horn

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2 & 3

Trb. 1 & 2

Trb. 3 / Tuba

Perc.

Sus. Cym.

Timpani

Rhythm

Dm Dm Dm Dm Dm Bb7

Funky Gtr. Pattern

Harp

F scale

Vln. 1 & 2

Viola

Cello

Str. Bass

arco

39 40 41 42 43 44

mf

Choir Oth-ers saw the star, but they fol-lowed it not; ——— To them it would come and would pass. The

Flute

Oboe

Clar.

Horn

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2 & 3

Trb. 1 & 2

Trb. 3 / Tuba

Perc.

Rhythm

Harp

Vln. 1 & 2

Viola

Cello

Str. Bass

mf Gospel Half-Time

Ebm Ebm Bbm Ebm Ebm Ebm Bb7 Bb7

45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52

Choir

wise men kept trust - ing, with all of their hearts, — that the star would find the Ba - by at last.

Flute

Oboe

Clar.

Horn

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2 & 3

Trb. 1 & 2

Trb. 3 / Tuba

Perc.

Sus. Cym.
Timpani

Rhythm

Ebm Ebm Abm Ab⁴/₂ Abm Ebm Bbm Bb7 Ebm Ebm

Harp

G♭ scale
f

Vln 1 & 2

mf

Viola

mf

Cello

mf

Str. Bass

mf

53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60

Choir

When they saw the star, they re - joiced with great joy. When they saw the star, they re -

Flute

Oboe

Clar.

Horn

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2 & 3

Trb. 1 & 2

Trb. 3 / Tuba

Perc.

Rhythm

Harp

Vln. 1 & 2

Viola

Cello

Str. Bass

f

f

f

f

f

f

f

f

f

pizz.

f

Ebm *D^b₉* *Ebm* *Ebm* *Ebm* *A^bm* *G^b₇ A^b* *A^bm*

61 62 63 64 65 66

Choir

joiced! When they saw the star, they re - joiced with great joy, they re -

Flute

Oboe

Clar.

Horn

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2 & 3

Trb. 1 & 2

Trb. 3 / Tuba

Perc.

Rhythm

Harp

Vin. 1 & 2

Viola

Cello

Str. Bass

1 (to meas. 61) 2

Choir
joiced with ex - ceed - ing great joy! joy! Great

Flute
f

Oboe
f

Clar.
f

Horn

Tpt. 1
f

Tpt. 2 & 3
f

Trb. 1 & 2
f

Trb. 3 / Tuba
f

Bells
f

Perc.
Sus. Cym.
Timpani

Rhythm
Ebm Bb7 Ebm Ebm Ebm

Harp
G♯ scale
f ++++T++

Vln. 1 & 2

Viola

Cello

Str. Bass
arco

73 74 75 76 77 78

Choir
joy! When they saw the star, they re-joiced with great joy. When they saw the star,

Flute
tr. *ff*

Oboe
tr. *ff*

Clar.
tr. *ff*

Horn
ff

Tpt. 1
ff

Tpt. 2 & 3
ff

Trb. 1 & 2
ff

Trb. 3 / Tuba
ff

Perc.
Sus. Cym.
Timp.
ff

Rhythm
Em Em Em D/E Em Em Em Am G/A Am
ff

Harp
G scale
ff

Vln. 1 & 2
ff

Viola
ff

Cello
ff

Str. Bass
pizz.
ff

79 80 81 82 83 84 85

Choir they re - joiced! When they saw the star, they re - joiced with great joy, they re -

Flute *ff*

Oboe *ff*

Clar. *ff*

Horn *ff*

Tpt. 1 *ff*

Tpt. 2 & 3 *ff*

Trb. 1 & 2 *ff*

Trb. 3 / Tuba *ff*

Perc. Timpani *ff*

Rhythm *Em B Em D Em Em Em*

Harp *G scale*

Vln. 1 & 2

Viola

Cello

Str. Bass

86 87 88 89 90 91 92

Choir
joiced with ex - ceed - ing great joy! They re - joiced with ex - ceed - ing great joy!

Flute
ff

Oboe
ff

Clar.
ff

Horn

Tpt. 1
ff

Tpt. 2 & 3
ff

Trb. 1 & 2
ff

Trb. 3 / Tuba
ff

Bells
ff

Perc.

Rhythm
Em B7 Em Em Em B7 Em

Harp

Vln. 1 & 2

Viola

Cello

Str. Bass

93 94 95 96 97 98 99

Choir: They re - joiced with ex - ceed - ing great joy!

Flute, Oboe, Clar., Horn, Tpt. 1, Tpt. 2 & 3, Trb. 1 & 2, Trb. 3 / Tuba, Perc., Timpani, Rhythm, Harp, Vln. 1 & 2, Viola, Cello, Str. Bass

100 101 102 103 104 105 106