



Bernard Dewagtere

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God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen Traditional

About the artist

Doctor in musicology, conductor and composer.

Compositions and arrangements from all eras, in all styles or musical genres and for any instrument or vocal training.

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About the piece



Title: God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

Composer: Traditional

Arranger: Dewagtere, Bernard

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Instrumentation: Lute (french), piano or organ

Style: Christmas - Carols

Comment: God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen (also known as God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen) is an English traditional Christmas carol. The melody is in Aeolian mode. It was published by William B. Sandys in 1833, although the author is unknown. Like so many early Christmas songs, this carol was written as a direct reaction to the music of the fifteenth century church, in *Stories Behind the Best-Loved Songs of Christmas*. However, in the as-yet earliest known publi... (more online)

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God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

Christmas carol (1833)

Arr. : Bernard Dewagtere

mf

God rest you, mer - ry gen - tle - men, let

Luth

mf

Piano

mp

5

no - thing you dis - may. Re - mem - ber Christ, our Sa - vi - our, was

Luth

5

B m

E m

Pno

9

born on Christ - mas day to save us all from Sa - tan's pow'r when

Luth

9

C 3fr.

D 5fr.

G 3fr.

A m

D 5fr.

G 3fr.

B m

Pno

God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

2

13

we were gone as - tray: O ti - dings of com - fort and

Luth

Pno

C 3fr. Am7 D 5fr. G 3fr. Am7

mp

17

joy, com - fort and joy; O ti - dings of com - fort and

Luth

Pno

Em D 5fr. G 3fr. Am7 Bm

21

joy. In

Luth

Pno

Em

mf f

God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

25

Beth - le - hem, in Is - ra - el, this bles - sed babe was born, and

Luth

Pno

B7 Em C 3fr. B7 Em Am B7

29

laid wi - thin a man - ger u - pon this bles - sed morn, the

Luth

Pno

Em B7 Em C 3fr. Bm Am7 D7 G 3fr.

33

witc His Mo - ther Ma - ry did no - thing take in scorn: O

Luth

Pno

Am D 5fr. G 3fr. C 3fr. G 3fr. C 3fr. G 3fr. D#dim Em A 5fr. B7 Em B7

God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

4
37

2.

3. From God, our Heav'n ly Fa ther a - bles - sed an - gel
4. "Fear not then" said the an gel, let no - thing you af -

Luth

Pno

E m

41

came, and un - to cer - tain she - pherds brought ti - dings of the
fright. This day is born a Sa - vi - our of a pure Vir - gin

Luth

Pno

B m

E m

45

same, how that in Beth - le - hem was born the Son of God by
bright to free all those who hem trust in Him from Sa - tan's pow'r and

Luth

Pno

B m E7 A m D G C G C G D#dim E m A B7 E m

God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

49

name: O ti - dings of com fort and joy, com - fort and
might: O ti - dings of com fort and joy, com - fort and

Luth

Pno

B7 G Am7 Em

53

joy, O ti dings of com fort and
joy, O ti dings of com fort and

Luth

Pno

D G Am7 Bm

56

1. joy. 2. joy.

Luth

Pno

Em E