



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.

Qualification: PhD Musicology

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About the piece



Title: God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

Composer: Traditional

Arranger: Dewagtere, Bernard

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Instrumentation: Recorder (S. or T.), piano or organ or guitar

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

Recorder
S. or T.

mf

God rest you, mer - ry gen - tle - men, let no - thing you dis - may. _____ Re -

Em Bm

Piano

p

7

mem - ber Christ, our Sa - vi - our, was born on Christ - mas day _____ to save us all from Sa - tan's pow'r when

Em C D G Am D G Bm

3fr. 5fr. 3fr. 5fr. 3fr.

Pno

13

we were gone as - tray: O — ti - dings of com — fort and joy, com - fort and joy; O — ti — dings of

C Am7 D G Am7 Em D G

3fr. 5fr. 3fr. 5fr. 3fr.

Pno

mp

God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

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1. *f*

com fort and joy. — In Beth - le - hem, in Is - ra - el, this

A m7 B m E m B7 E m C 3fr.

Pno

mf

27

bles - sed babe was born, — and laid wi - thin a man - ger u - pon this bles - sed morn, — the

B7 E m A m B7 E m B7 E m C 3fr. B m A m7 D7 G 3fr.

Pno

33

2. *f*

witch His Mo - ther Ma - ry did no - thing take in scorn: O — 3. From God, our Heav'n - ly
4. "Fear not then" said the

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

Pno

f

39

Fa — ther a - bles - sed an - gel came, — and un - to cer - tain she — pherds brought ti - dings of the
 an — gel, let no - thing you af - fright. — This day is born a Sa - vi - our of a pure Vir - gin

B m E m

Pno

45

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

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

Pno

51

com — fort and joy, com - fort and joy, O — ti — dings of com — fort and joy. — joy. —
 com — fort ans joy, com - fort and joy, O — ti — dings of com — fort and — —

A m7 E m D G A m7 B m E m E

Pno