

# Philip Ledger

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## *Bethlehem*

for unison voices & keyboard,  
words by Richard Pomfret

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Words: Richard Pomfret

Music: Philip Ledger

With a gentle lilt ♩ = 96

VOICES *mp*

1. Hum - ble sta - ble,  
2. An - gel voi - ces  
3. Shep - herds rise and

\* PERCUSSION *p*

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KEYBOARD *mp* *p*

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dead of night, In Beth - le - hem, in Beth - le - hem, Hides un - seen, the  
fill the air, In Beth - le - hem, in Beth - le - hem, Sing - ing al - le -  
go their ways, In Beth - le - hem, in Beth - le - hem, Know - ing nought of

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world's true light, In Beth - le - hem, in Beth - le - hem. Shep - herds kneel on  
- lu - ias there, In Beth - le - hem, in Beth - le - hem. Prais - ing God for  
dark - er days, In Beth - le - hem, in Beth - le - hem. An - gels know yet

\* Note: a gentle percussion instrument should be used e.g. a snare drum with brushes.