

ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH

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VERSES

1. An - gels we have heard on high Sweet - ly sing - ing o'er the plains, And the
 2. Shep - herds, why this ju - bi - lee? Why your joy - ous strains pro - long? Say what
 3. Come to Beth - le - hem and see Him whose birth the an - gels sing; Come, a -
 4. See him in a man - ger laid Whom the an - gels praise a - bove; Ma - ry,

REFRAIN

1. moun - tains in re - ply Ech - o back their joy - ous strains. Glo -
 2. may the tid - ings be Which in - spire your heav'n - ly song.
 3. dore on bend - ed knee Christ, the Lord, the new - born King.
 4. Jo - seph, lend your aid, While we raise our hearts in love.

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Note: When guitar and keyboard play together, keyboardists should improvise using the guitar chords above the melody.

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 Music: GLORIA; trad. French carol.