

# Three French Noels

SATB and Piano\*

*Noël Nouvelet*, Traditional, alt.

*Le Soleil de l'Enfant*, Traditional (Words by R.E.S.)

*Noël des Ausels*, Traditional (Words by R.E.S.)

Traditional French Carols

Arranged by Ruth Elaine Schram

Musical notation for Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass parts. The Soprano part is on a treble clef staff, the Alto on a treble clef staff with a one-octave lower line, the Tenor on a bass clef staff, and the Bass on a bass clef staff. Each part shows a melodic line with a sharp sign on the second note.

① **Brightly** (♩ = ca. 96)

Musical notation for the piano accompaniment. The score is in 4/4 time and begins with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving bass lines.

4 SA

Musical notation for Soprano (SA) and Tenor/Bass (TB) parts. The Soprano and Alto parts are on treble clef staves, and the Tenor and Bass parts are on a bass clef staff. The lyrics are: "Sing we now of Christ - mas, No-el, - sing we here!" The dynamic is mezzo-forte (*mf*).

TB *mf*

Sing we now of Christ - mas, No-el, - sing we here!

Musical notation for the piano accompaniment, continuing from the previous section. It features a complex texture with multiple voices in both hands, including chords and moving lines.

Performance time: ca. 2:10

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7 *mf*

Hear our grate - ful prais - es to the\_ Babe so dear.

9

Sing we No - el, the King is born, No - el!

Sing we No - el, He is born, No - el!

11

Sing we now of Christ - mas, sing we\_ all No - el!

14 Here a - mong the cat - tle mild,  
Here a - mong the cat - tle mild, —

17 sleep, sleep, sleep, O ti - ny Child.  
sleep, — sleep, — sleep, Child.

19 An-gels hov-er near, ser - a-phim ap-pear, whis-p'ring ad-o - ra-tion to the  
*mp* *mp* *mp*

22

3

Babe so dear.

*mf*

25

*mf*

Un - der the stars on Christ - mas night, un - der the stars so

*mf*

28

clear and bright, we hear the rush of an - gels' wings;