

# Once In Royal David's City

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Arranged by Danielle Isaacson

SATB

Brightly ♩ = 140

Soprano  
Alto

Tenor  
Bass

Piano

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Once in roy - al Da - vid's ci - ty Stood a low - ly cat - tle shed, Where a moth - er  
Pro - phets tes - ti - fied of his com - ing. Ma - ny watched for the signs. When a star ap -

Pno.

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laid her ba - by In a man - ger for his bed; Ma - ry was that moth - er mild Je - sus Christ her  
peared in the hea - vens Men re - joiced and an - gels sang: A - le - lu - ia, A - le - lu - ia, A - le - lu - ia

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1. 2.

lit on the child. day.

mp

f

f

p

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He came down to earth from heav - en, Who is God and Lord of all,

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And his shel - ter was a sta - ble, And his cra - cle was a stall; With the poor and

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(A)

mf

38 *optional breath*

mean and low - ly, Lived on earth our Sav - ior ho - ly.

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45

And our eyes at last shall see him, Through his own re -

Pno.

51

deem - ing love; For that child so dear and gen - tle Is our Lord in heav'n a - bove And he leads his

Pno.

57

chil-dren on To the place where he has gone. A - le - lu - ia A-le-lu - ia, A-le-lu - ia

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on this day. A - le-lu - ia, A-le-lu - ia. Praise our Sav - ior born this

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*p*  
lift pedal completely

72

day.

Pno.