

# It Came Upon the Midnight Clear

(Solo)

Text: Edmund H Sears  
Music: Traditional German  
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Slowly, rubato

*mp*

2 4 6

It came up - on the mid - night clear, That glor - ious song of old, From an - gels - bend - ing

Faster, in time

*mf*

8 10

near the earth to touch - their harps of gold, Peace on earth good will to - men from -

12 14 16

heav'n's all - gra - cious King, The world in - sol - emn still - ness lay to hear - the an - gels

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18 20 22

sing. Still through the clo - ven skies they come with peace - ful wings un - furled, And

24 26 28

still their heav'n - ly mu - sic floats a - bove the wea - ry world. O'er its sad and low - ly plain they -

30 32

bend on hov - ring wing, And e - ver o'er its ba - bel sounds the bles - sed an - gels

34 36 38

sing. For lo! the days are

40 42 44

hast - 'ning on, By pro - phets seen of old, \_\_\_\_\_ When with the ev - er - cir - cling years shall

46 48

come the time fore - told. \_\_\_\_\_ When the heav'ns and earth shall own the

50 52 54

Prince of Peace, their King, And all the world send back the song which now the an - gels

56 58

sing. \_\_\_\_\_ The an - gels sing. \_\_\_\_\_

*rit.*