

# Stille Nacht, Heilige Nacht

(Silent Night)

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Key:                      Tempo:

## gr. VERSE 1

I[5]

Stille Nacht, heilige Nacht!

v<sup>7</sup>                      I                      IV                      I

Alles schläft, einsam wacht nur das traute hochheilige Paar.

IV                      I                      VI<sup>7</sup>

Holder Knabe im lockigen Haar,

ii                      v<sup>7</sup>                      I                      v<sup>7</sup>                      I

schlaf in himmlischer Ruh, schlaf in himmlischer Ruh.

## gr. VERSE 2

I[5]

Stille Nacht, heilige Nacht!

v<sup>7</sup>                      I                      IV                      I

Hirten erst kundgemacht durch der Engel Halleluja.

IV                      I                      VI<sup>7</sup>

Tönt es laut von fern und nah:

ii                      v<sup>7</sup>                      I                      v<sup>7</sup>                      I

Christ, der Retter ist da, Christ der Retter ist da.

## gr. VERSE 3

I[5]

Stille Nacht, heilige Nacht!

v<sup>7</sup>                      I                      IV                      I

Gottes Sohn, o wie lacht Lieb' aus deinem göttlichen Mund,

IV                      I                      VI<sup>7</sup>

da uns schlägt die rettende Stund,

ii                      v<sup>7</sup>                      I                      v<sup>7</sup>                      I

Christ, in deiner Geburt, Christ, in deiner Geburt.

e. VERSE 1

I[5]

Silent night, holy night!

V<sup>7</sup> I IV I

All is calm, all is bright, 'round yon virgin Mother and Child.

IV I VI<sup>7</sup>

Holy infant so tender and mild

ii V<sup>7</sup> I V<sup>7</sup> I

sleep in heavenly peace, sleep in heavenly peace.

e. VERSE 2

I[5]

Silent night, holy night!

V<sup>7</sup> I IV I

Shepherds quake at the sight. Glories stream from heaven afar,

IV I VI<sup>7</sup>

heav'nly hosts sing Alleluia.

ii V<sup>7</sup> I V<sup>7</sup> I

Christ, the Savior, is born, Christ, the Savior, is born.

e. VERSE 3

I[5]

Silent night, holy night!

V<sup>7</sup> I IV I

Son of God, love's pure light. Radiant beams from Thy holy face,

IV I VI<sup>7</sup>

with the dawn of redeeming grace.

ii V<sup>7</sup> I V<sup>7</sup> I

Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth, Jesus, Lord at Thy birth.