

The First Noel

DAA tuning

Traditional French, 18th Century

	D			Bm			A			G			D			G			
	The			first	No -		el,	the		an -	gel	did							
	They			look	- ed		up	and		saw		a							
	And			by	the		light	of		that		same							
	This			star	drew		nigh	to		the		north -							
	Then			en	- tered		in	those		Wise		Men							
T	4	3		2	3	4	4	7	7	8	9	8	7						
A	3	2		0	0	3	4	5	6	7	7	7	6						
B	5	4		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	9	8						

	D			G			A			D			G			D			A7		
	say	was	to	cer -	tain	poor	shep-	herds	in	fields	as	they									
	star	Shi-	ning	in	the		east,	be -	yond	coun -	try	them									
	star,	O'er		Three	Wise		Men	came	from	took	its	the									
	west,	Full		Beth -	le -		hem	it		on											
	three			rev -	ent -		ly	up -													
T	7	7	8	9	8	7	7	7	8	9	7	4									
A	5	6	7	7	7	6	5	6	7	7	5	4									
B	7	8	9	10	9	8	7	8	9	10	7	6									

	D			A7			D			Bm			A			G			D			G			
	lay.	In		fields	where		they	lay		keep -	ing	their													
	far.	And		to	the		earth	it		gave		great													
	far.	To		seek	for	a	king	was		their		in -													
	rest	And		there	it		did	both		stop		and													
	knee,	And		of	-	fered	there	in		His		pre -													
T	4	4	3	2	3	4	4	7	7	8	9	8	7												
A	3	3	2	0	0	3	4	5	6	7	7	7	6												
B	5	5	4	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	9	8												

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	D	G	A	D	G	D	G	A ⁷	D	A ⁷		
	sheep	On a		cold win -	ters	night	that		was	so		
	light.	And		so it con -		tin -	ued both		day	and		
	tent,	And to		fol - low	the	star	wher -		ev -	er it		
	stay,	Right		o - ver	the	place	where		Je -	sus		
	sence,	Their		gold	and	myrrh	and		fran -	kin -		
T	7	7	8	9	8	7	7	8	9	7	4	
A	5	6	7	7	7	6	5	6	7	7	5	4
B	7	8	9	10	9	8	7	8	9	10	7	6

	D	A ⁷	D	Bm	F [#] m	D	G					
	deep.	No -	el,	No -	el,	No -	el, No					
	night.											
	went.											
	lay.											
	cense.											
T	4	4	3	2	3	4	4	7	9	8	7	7
A	3	3	2	0	0	3	4	5	7	7	6	6
B	5	5	4	3	4	5	6	7	10	9	8	8

	D	Bm	F [#] m	G	D	A ⁷	D	A ⁷	D		
	- el,	born is the	King	of	Is -	ra -	el				
T	7	9	8	7	7	7	8	9	7	4	4
A	5	7	7	6	5	6	7	7	5	4	3
B	7	10	9	8	7	8	9	10	7	6	5