

The First Noel

Gilbert and Sandys Carols(1833)

arr. by John Stainer (1871)

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They look - ed up and saw a star shin - ing in the
Then let us all with one ac - cord Sing prais - es

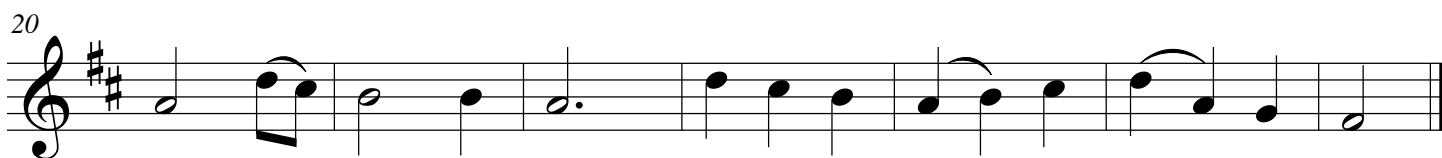
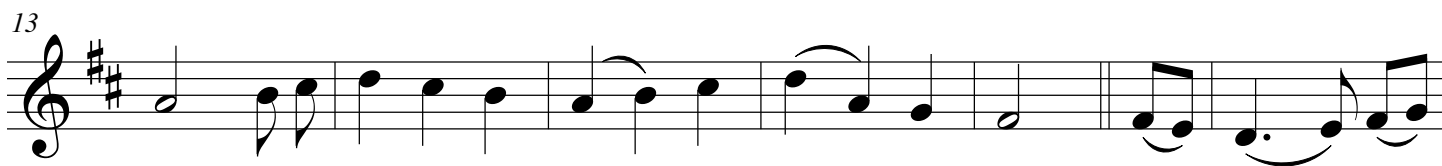
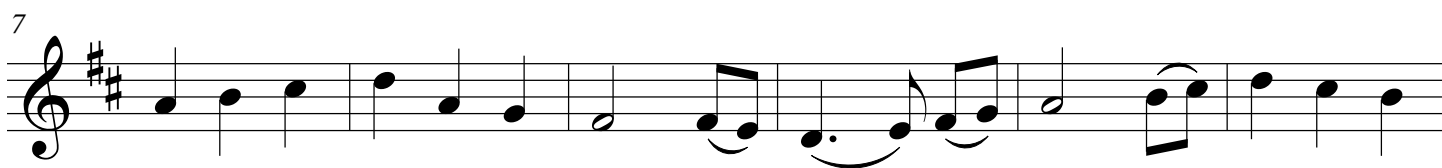
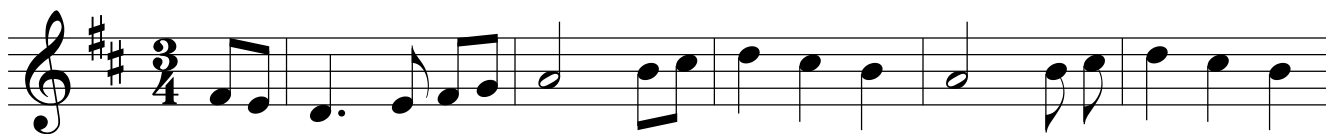
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shep - herds in fields as they lay; in fields where they lay keep - ing their
east, be - yond them far; and to the earth it gave great
to our heav - en - ly Lord; That hath made Heav'n and earth of

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sheep, on a cold win - ter's night that was so deep No - el, No - el, No -
light, and so it con - tin - ued both day and night.
naught, And with His blood man - kind hath bought.

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el, No - el, born is the King of Is - ra - el.

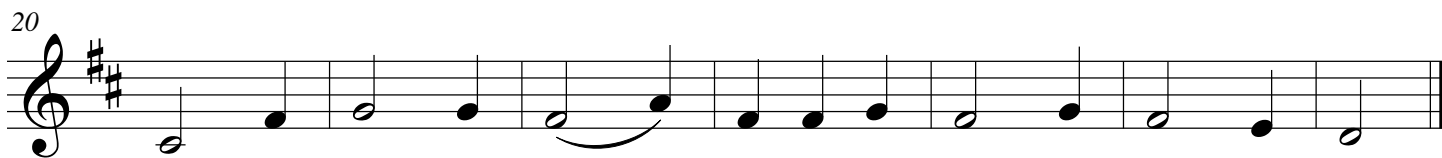
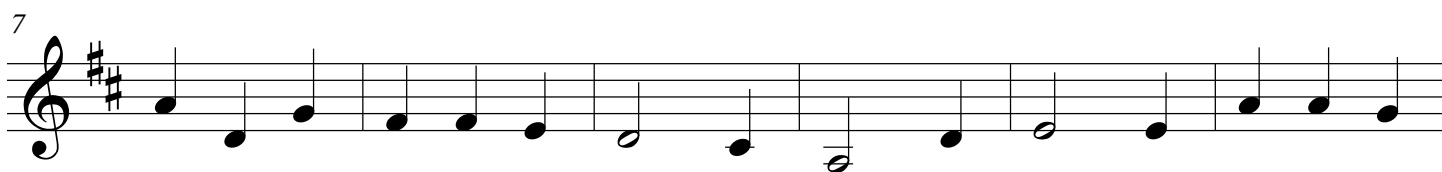
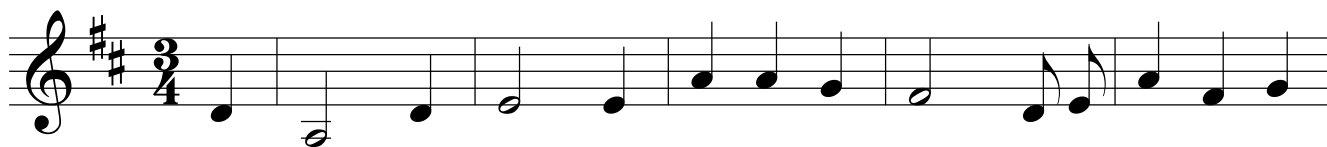
Violin 1

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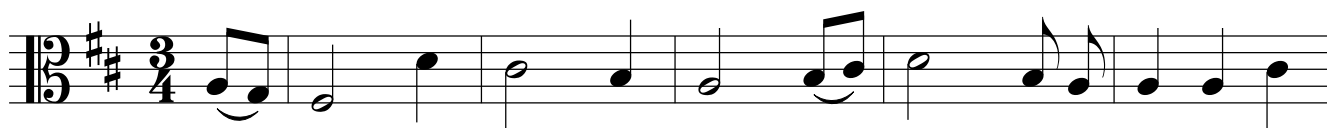
Violin 2

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Viola

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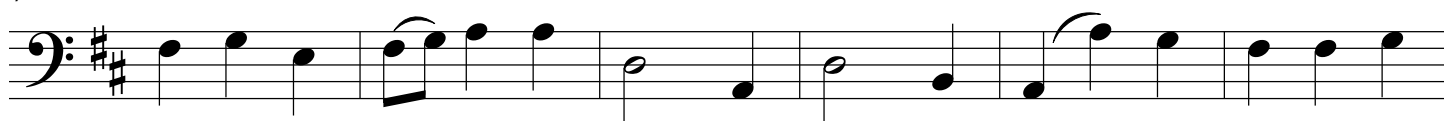


Cello

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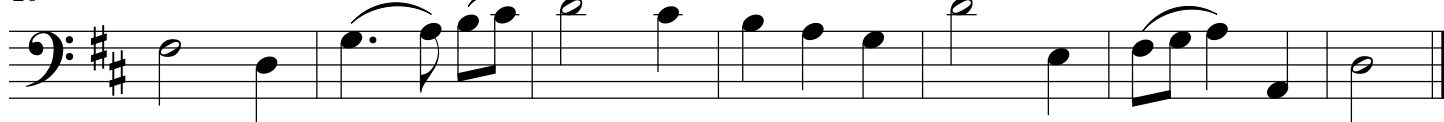
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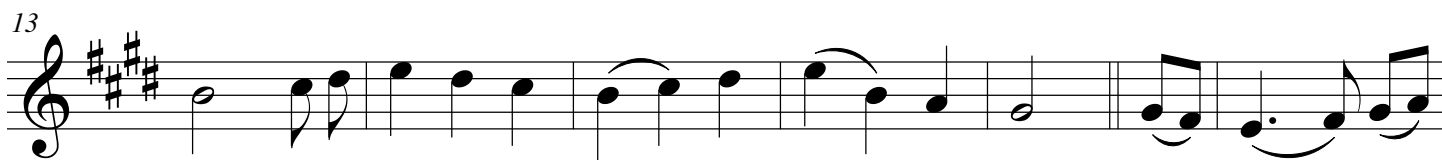
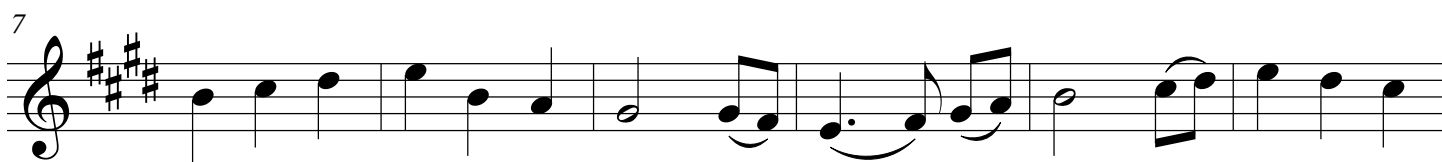
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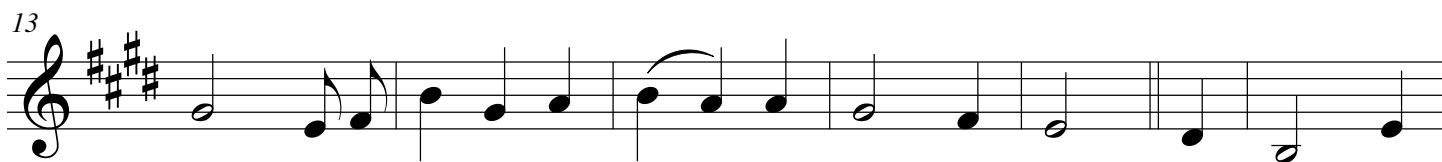
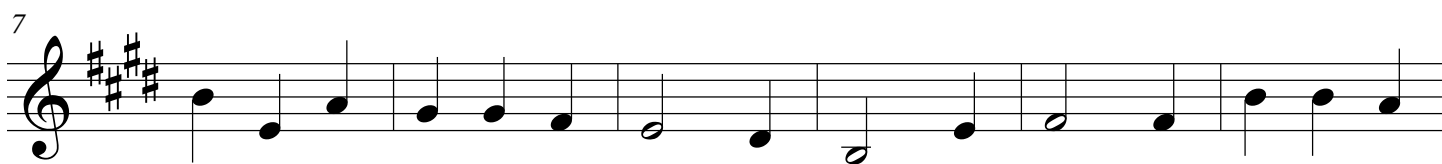
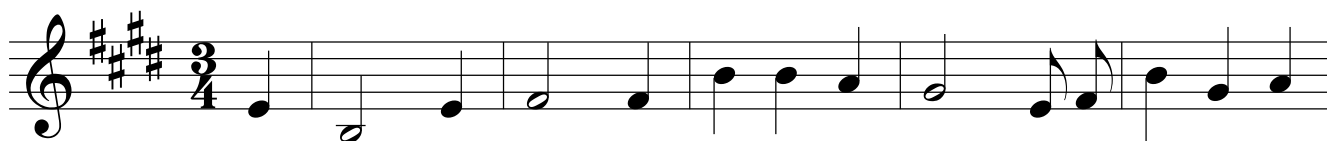
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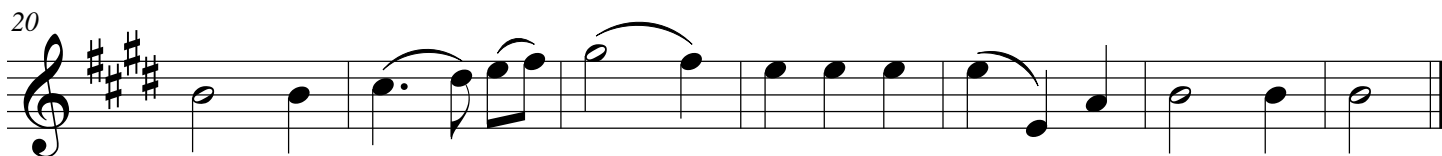
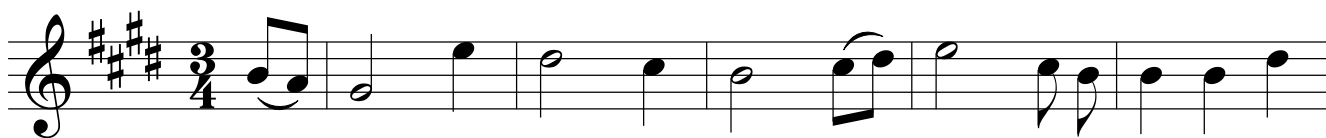


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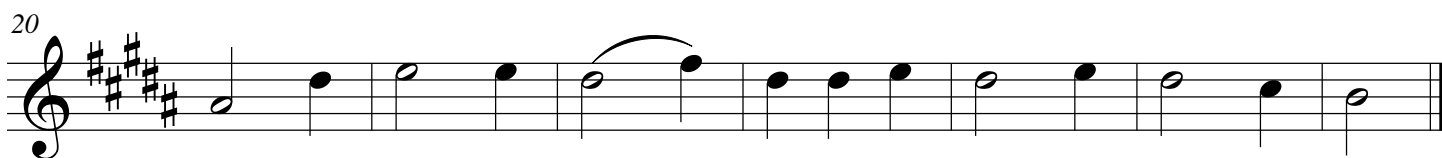
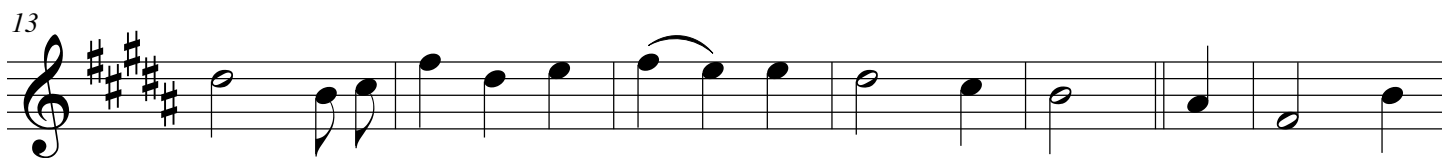
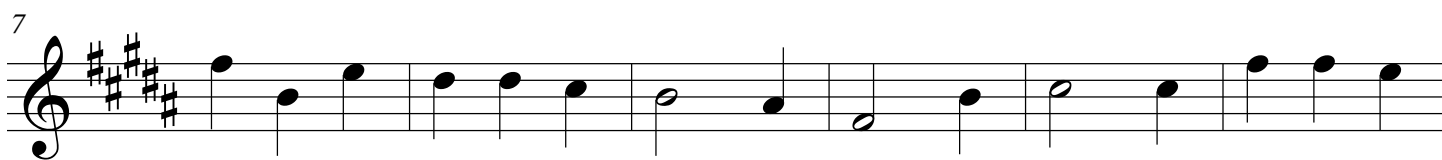
Bass Clarinet

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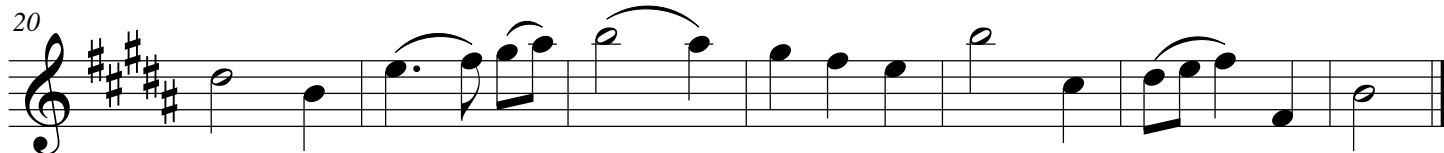
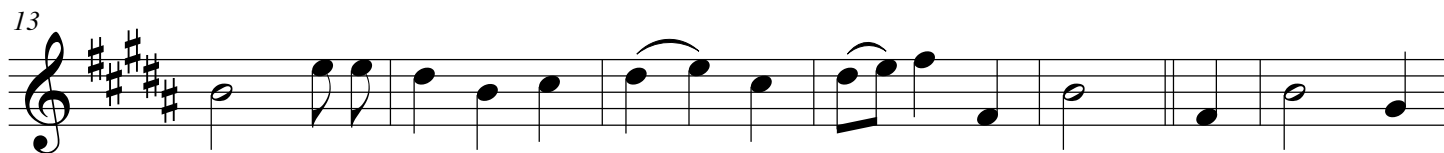
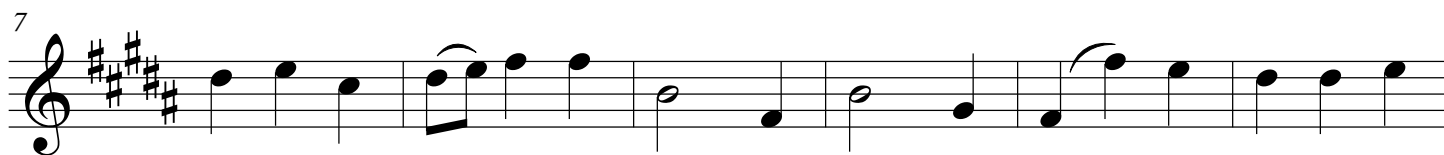
Alto Sax

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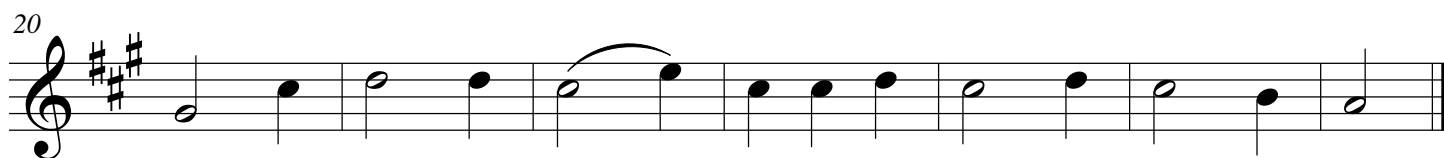
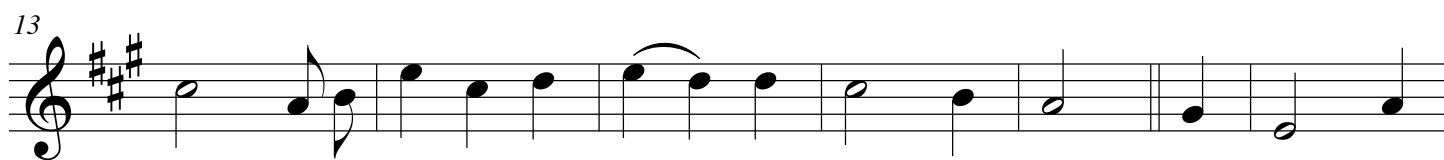
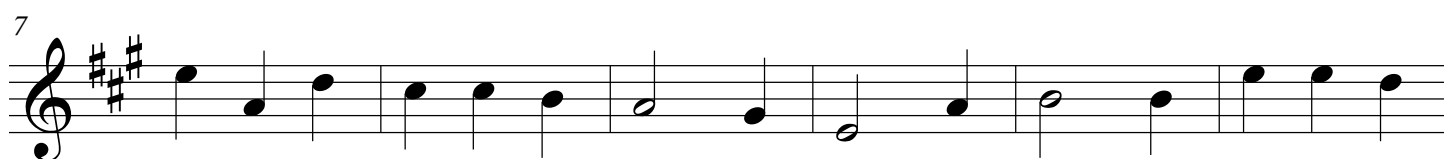
Baritone Sax

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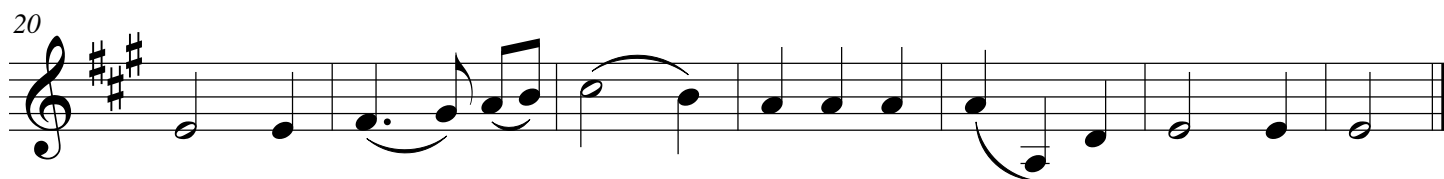
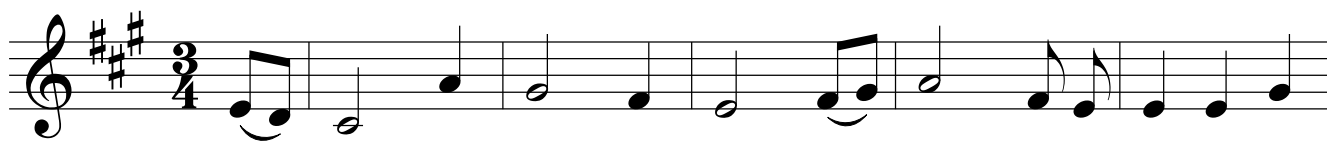
Horn in F 1

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Horn in F 2

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Vocal

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They look - ed up and saw a star shin - ing in the east, be - yond them
Then let us all with one ac - cord Sing prais - es to our heav - en - ly

Violin 1

Violin 2

Viola

Cello

B♭ 1

B♭ 2

Bass Clarinet

Alto Sax

Baritone Sax

Horn in F 1

Horn in F 2

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lay; in fields where they lay keep-ing their sheep, on a cold win-ter's night that was so deep
far; and to the earth it gave great light, and so it con - tin - ued both day and night.
Lord; That hath made Heav'n and earth of naught, And with His blood man - kind hath bought.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vc.

B \flat 1

B \flat 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

B. Sx.

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Detailed description: This is a page of a musical score for 'The First Noel'. It features a vocal line at the top with lyrics, and ten instrumental staves below. The instruments are Violin 1, Violin 2, Viola, Violoncello, B-flat Trumpet 1, B-flat Trumpet 2, B-flat Clarinet, Alto Saxophone, Baritone Saxophone, Horn 1, and Horn 2. The key signature is D major (two sharps). The vocal line starts at measure 9 and continues through the end of the page. The instrumental parts are arranged in a standard orchestral format, with strings at the bottom and brass/woodwinds at the top. The score includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, and slurs.

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No - el, No - el, No - el, No - el, born is the King of Is - ra - el.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vc.

B \flat 1

B \flat 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

B. Sx.

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

This musical score is for the hymn 'The First Noel'. It features a vocal line at the top with lyrics, and ten instrumental staves below. The instruments are Violin 1, Violin 2, Viola, Violoncello, B-flat Trumpet 1, B-flat Trumpet 2, Baritone Clarinet, Alto Saxophone, Baritone Saxophone, Horn 1, and Horn 2. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is common time (C). The score begins at measure 18. The vocal line has lyrics: 'No - el, No - el, No - el, No - el, born is the King of Is - ra - el.' The instrumental parts provide harmonic support, with strings and woodwinds playing sustained notes and brass instruments providing a rhythmic foundation.

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The first Noel the angel did say
was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay;
in fields where they lay keeping their sheep,
on a cold winter's night that was so deep

[Chorus]

Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel,
born is the King of Israel.

They looked up and saw a star
shining in the east, beyond them far;
and to the earth it gave great light,
and so it continued both day and night.

Then let us all with one accord
Sing praises to our heavenly Lord;
That hath made Heav'n and earth of naught,
And with His blood mankind hath bought.