

# London Gallery Quire 674

## While Shepherds watch'd their Flocks by Night

Nahum Tate and Nicholas Brady, 1700

*The Foundling's Hymn* by John Christopher Smith, 1760

Edited by Nicholas Markwell

[♩ = 100]

Soprano [Air]

1. While Shep - herds watch'd their Flocks by Night all seat - ed  
 2. " Fear not, said he, (for migh - ty dread had seiz'd their  
 3. To you, in Da - vid's Town, this day is born, of  
 4. The heav'n - ly Babe you there shall find to hu - mane

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Instrumental Bass

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on the Ground, The An - gel of the Lord came  
 (trou - bled mind) Glad Tid - ings of great Joy I  
 Da - vid's Line, The Sav - iour, who is Christ the  
 view dis - play'd, All mean - ly wrapt in swath - ing

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down, and Glo - ry shone a - round.  
**bring to you, and all Man - kind ;**  
Lord ; and this shall be the sign :  
**bands, and in a Man - ger laid.**

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down, and Glo - ry shone a - round.  
**bring to you, and all Man - kind ;**  
Lord ; and this shall be the sign :  
**bands, and in a Man - ger laid.**

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I B

5 Thus spake the Seraph, and forthwith  
appear'd a shining Throng  
Of Angels praising God, and thus  
address their joyful Song :

6 “ All Glory be to God on high,  
“ and to the Earth be Peace ;  
“ Good-will, henceforth, from heav'n to men,  
“ begin and never cease.