

One Cold Night

Allegro ♩=112

words and music
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PIANO

f *mf*

5 (Men unison)

p

One cold night, not so long a-go, we were mind-ing our own bus' - ness

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watch-ing the lamb - ies grow. We were mind-ing our own bus' - ness watch-ing the lamb - ies

11

mp

grow. To while a-way the time and

f *mp*

14

makes so mer - ri-ment, we were sing-ing our own mu - sic and play-ing our in - stru-ments. We were

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sing-ing our own mu - sic and play-ing our in - stru - ments.

cresc.

20

With Bob on horn, Ga - briel would be proud, such a

mf

23

force - ful de-liv' - ry but nev-er a bit too loud. Such a force - ful de-liv' - ry but

cresc.

f

26

nev-er a bit too loud. And Fred was there,

mp

mf *mp*

30

play - ing on his pipe, Such a mel o - dy you nev - er heard in all your life. Such a

cresc.

cresc. *mf*

33

mel - o - dy you nev - er heard in all your life.

f *mf*

f *mf*

36

And Ken on drums, keep - ing by the beat, There was

mf

39

nev - er a bet - ter en - sem - ble for watch - ing o'er the sheep. There was nev - er a bet - ter en - sem - ble for

cresc. *f*

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watch - ing o'er the sheep.

45

cresc.

(S.A.) Oo _____ Oo _____

Then it start-ed soft - ly at first, then loud - er and loud - er

p *cresc.*

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Oh _____ Oo _____

out of the night it burst; Then loud - er and loud - er out of the night - it burst.

f *mp*

51

Oo _____

We could not be-lieve what seem'd to ap-pear, 'Twas an

mp

54 *cresc.* *f*

Oo. Oh

an - gel de-tach - ment sing - ing a-mid thin air. 'Twas an an - gel de-tach - ment

cresc. *8va* *f*

57 *mf*

sing - ing a-mid thin air. They join'd right in not

We join'd right

mf *etc.*

60

in not wish - ing to in - trude. We ca-denc'd a chor - us and im - pro - vis'd. To

wish - ing to in - trude, and to - ge - ther we ca-denc'd a chor - us and im - pro - vis'd a fugue; To

cresc. poco a poco

63 *f*

geth - er we ca - denc'd a chor - us and im - pro - vis'd a
 geth - er we ca - denc'd a chor - us and im - pro - vis'd a

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fugue. Glo - ri - a! Glo - ri - a! Hal - le - lu - le -
 fugue. Glo - ri - a, hal - le - lu - le - lu, To -

68 *(f)*

lu! To - geth - er we ca - denc'd a chor - us. Glo - ri - a! Glo - ri -
 geth - er we ca - denc'd a chor - us and im - pro - vis'd and im - pro - vis'd a fugue. Glo - ri - a,

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a! Hal - le - lu - le - lu! To - geth - er we ca - denc'd a chor - us. Im - pro
 hal - le - lu - le - lu. To - geth - er we ca - denc'd a chor - us (T.) and im - pro - vis'd and im - pro - vis'd a
 (B.) And im - pro - vis'd a fugue.

75

vis'd To - geth - er im - pro - vis'd a fugue To - geth - er im - pro - vis'd, To -
 fugue To - geth - er im - pro - vis'd a fugue To - geth - er im - pro - vis'd, To -
 (B.)

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geth - er and im - pro - vis'd a fugue - to -
 geth - er and im - pro - vis'd a fugue - to -

mf