

Hark, hark what news the angels bring!

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Anon.

Christmas Day Hymn, (1741) by John Sreeve
Edited by Francis Roads

[♩=120]

Soprano/
Tenor [Air]

Alto

Bass

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Notes and emendations:

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Part allocation conjectural

Bars 5 and 12 bass note 1: # added below to indicate harmony

Bar 8 note 1: semibreves

Bar 9 alto note 2: d'

Bar 11 soprano: sic

Bar 16: semibreves

Transposed up a tone.