

If ye would hear the angels sing

Dora Greenwell (1821–82)
Final stanza: Stephen Mager

Dutch carol
setting by STEPHEN MAGER

Andante grazioso ♩ = 54–60

*SOPRANO

ALTO

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PIANO

p dolce

mf

con Ped.

fp

5

9

SOPRANOS & ALTOS
unis. p

If ye would hear the

p espress.

pp

Ped.

*For unison version, the treble chorus may sing Soprano 1 alone, and the opening phrase (mm. 12–19) may be sung as a solo.

A full score and set of parts for an orchestral accompaniment (1.2.2.2–2.0.0.0–hp–str) [single woodwinds optional] are available on rental from the Publisher.

An alternate setting of Stephen Mager's *If ye would hear the angels sing* for mixed voices (SATB) and piano is available for sale (ISBN 978–0–19–3804784) from the Publisher.

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an - gels sing, "Peace on earth, and mer - cy mild," - think of Him who was

mp

p

17

once a child, on Christ - mas Day in the morn - ing.

p

20

S. *p* *div.*

If ye would hear the an - gels sing, rise and spread your

A. *p*

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p

23 Christ - mas fare; 'tis mer - rier still
mp

Christ - mas fare; mer - rier still the more that share, on
mp

Christ - mas fare; mer - rier still the more that share, on

26 *dolce* Christ - mas Day in the morn - ing. Rise, and bake your
mf *div.*

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mf

dolce *p* *mp* *sonoro*

29 Christ - mas bread: Chris - tians, rise! The world is bare, and

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