

This day Christ was born

A Caroll for Christmas Day

William Byrd (c.1540-1623)

Cantus I (part 1 of 6)

Psalmes, songs and sonnets (London, 1611)

This day Christ was born, Christ was born, *Christ was born*, this day Christ
was born. This day our Sa - vi - or did ap - pear. This day the An - gels sing in earth,
this day the An - gels sing in earth, the Arch - an - gels are glad,
are glad, the Arch - an - gels are glad, are glad, the Arch - an - gels are glad, are glad. This day the just re -
joyce, re - joyce, this day the just re - joyce, the just re - joyce, re -
joyce, say - ing, say - - - ing: Glo - ry be to God on high,
glo - ry be to God on high, glo - ry be to God on high, to God on high, on
high, glo - ry be to God on high, on high, on high,
Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - - - ia.
Al - le - lu - - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - - ia.

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Cantus II (part 2 of 6)

Psalmes, songs and sonnets (London, 1611)

1 This day Christ was born, Christ was born, Christ was born. This day
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10 our Sa - vi - or did ap - pear, did ap - pear. This day the An - gels do sing in earth,
15 sing in earth, the Arch - an - gels are glad, are glad, the Arch - an - gels, the Arch - an - gels are
glad, are glad, the Arch - an - gels are glad. This day the just re - joyce, the just re -
20 joyce, this day the just re - joyce, re - joyce,
25 say - ing, say - ing, say - ing: Glo - ry be to God on
30 high, to God on high, to God on high, glo - ry be to God
35 on high, glo - ry be to God on high, on high, on high,
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45 Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu -
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ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

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A Caroll for Christmas Day

William Byrd (c.1540-1623)

Sextus (part 3 of 6)

Psalmes, songs and sonnets (London, 1611)

This day Christ was born, Christ was born, *Christ was born*, Christ was born. This
day our Sa - vi - or did ap - pear. This day the An - gels sing in earth, the An - gels sing in
earth, in earth, the An - gels sing in earth, the Arch - an - gels are glad, are glad,
the Arch - an - gels, the Arch - an - gels are glad, are glad, are glad.
This day the just re - joyce, re - joyce, this day the just re - joyce, re - joyce,
say - ing, say - ing: Glo - ry be to God
on high, glo - ry be to God on high, on high, glo - ry be to
God, glo - ry be to God on high, to God on high, to God on high, on high.
Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu -
ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

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A Caroll for Christmas Day
Contratenor (part 4 of 6)

William Byrd (c.1540-1623)
Psalmes, songs and sonnets (London, 1611)

This day Christ was born, Christ was born, Christ was born.

This day our Sa - vi-or did ap-pear, ap - pear, did ap-pear. This day the

An - gels sing in earth, the An - gels sing in earth, the An - gels sing in earth, the An - gels sing in

earth, in earth, the Arch-an-gels are glad, are glad, the Arch-an-gels are glad, are

- glad, are glad, are glad, are glad. This day the just re - joyce, re -

joyce, re - joyce, re - joyce, re - joyce, re - joyce, re - joyce, re -

joyce. say - ing, say - ing, say - ing: Glo - ry be to God on

high, glo - ry be to God on high, to God on high, glo - ry be to God on

high, glo - ry be to God on high, glo - ry be to God on high, on high.

Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

This day Christ was born: (contratenor)

Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

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A Caroll for Christmas Day
Contratenor (part 4 of 6)

William Byrd (c.1540-1623)
Psalmes, songs and sonnets (London, 1611)

This day Christ was born, Christ was born, Christ was born.

5 This day our Sa - vi-or did ap-pear, ap-pear, did ap-pear. This day the

10 An - gels sing in earth, the An - gels sing in earth, the An - gels sing in earth, the An - gels sing in

15 earth, in earth, the Arch-an-gels are glad, are glad, the Arch-an-gels are glad, are

20 - glad, are glad, are glad, are glad. This day the just re - joyce, re - joyce, re - joyce, re - joyce,

25 re - joyce, say - ing, say - ing, say - ing: Glo - ry be to God on

30 high, glo - ry be to God on high, to God on high, glo - ry be to God on

35 high, glo - ry be to God on high, glo - ry be to God on high, on high.

40 Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

45 Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

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A Caroll for Christmas Day

William Byrd (c.1540-1623)

Tenor (part 5 of 6)

Psalmes, songs and sonnets (London, 1611)

This day Christ was born, *this day Christ was born.* This
day our Sa - vi-or did ap - - pear. This day the An - gels_ sing in earth, this day
10 the An-gels sing in earth, *the An-gels sing in earth,* the Arch-an-gels are glad, are glad, _ the Arch-an-gels
15 are glad, the Arch-an-gels are glad, are glad, the Arch-an-gels are glad, are glad, are glad, _ are glad.
20 This day the just re - joyce, _ the just _ re - joyce, the _ just re -
25 joyce, re - joyce, re - joyce, say - ing, say - - - ing, say -
30 ing: Glo - ry be to God, glo - ry be to God_ on high, on_ high, on_ high,
35 glo - ry be to God on high, glo - ry be to God_ on_ high, _
40 _ on high. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu -
45 ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu -
50 ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

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Bassus (part 6 of 6)

Psalmes, songs and sonnets (London, 1611)

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This day Christ was born, Christ was born. This day our Sa-vi-or did ap-

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pear, ap - pear. This day the An-gels sing in earth, in earth, the Arch-an-gels are

15

glad, the Arch-an-gels are glad, are glad, are glad, are glad, are glad.

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This day the just re - joyce, the just re-joyce, the just re-joyce, re -

25 30

joyce, say - ing, say - ing: Glo-ry be to God on high, on high,

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glo - ry be to God on high, to God on high, to God on high, to God on high,

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to God on high. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

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Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.