

This day Christ was born

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.