

THE ALFRED BURT CAROLS

SET III

1. Nigh Bethlehem

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(for S. A. T. B., unaccompanied)

ALFRED BURT

With spirit ($\text{♩} = 58$)SOPRANO
ALTO

mp 1. Nigh Beth-le'm on a win-try-night, No-el! No-el! No-
p 2. Peace and good-will the Christ Child brings, No-el! No-el! No-
f 3. So, Chris-tian folk, put fear a-side, No-el! No-el! No-

TENOR
BASS

ell ——— Poor shep-herds saw a love-ly-sight, When an-gel hosts in *div.*
ell ——— And saves all men from e-vil-things, For- He of whom the
ell ——— And spread the gos-pel far and wide, That joy be great at

broaden *a tempo*
ves-ture bright, Burst forth from heav-en's loft-y-height, And sang No-el! No-
an-gel sings, Is-Lord of Lords and King-of-Kings, Then sing No-el! No-
Christ-mas-tide, And God in Christ be mag-ni-fied, Then sing No-el! No-

No -

4. Christ In The Stranger's Guise

Old English Rune of Hospitality

Adapted by Alfred Burt

Freely (♩. = about 48)

mp

SOPRANO
ALTO

I met a stran-ger yes - t're'en; I put food in the eat - ing place,

mp

TENOR
BASS

slow *a tempo*

Drink in the drink-ing place, Mu-sic in the list-ning place, And in the name of the

slow *a tempo*

f *p* *f*

Tri - une, - He blessed my-self and my house. My cat-tle and my loved ones, And the

f *p* *f*

Joyously *div.* *f* *f* *f*

lark sang in His song. - Of - ten, Of - ten goes the Christ in the stran-ger's

Of - ten, of - ten,