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Musical score for the first system of "O Holy Night". The score is for five voices: Tenor Solo, Tenor 1, Tenor 2, Baritone, and Bass. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 6/8. The Tenor Solo part begins with a rest for 8 measures, then sings "O ho - ly night! The stars are bright-ly". Tenor 1 enters with "Like bells" (mp) and sings "Du du du (etc.)". Tenor 2 enters with "Like bells" (mp) and sings "Du du du (etc.)". Baritone enters with "Like bells" (mp) and sings "Du du (etc.)". Bass enters with "Like bells" (mp) and sings "Du (etc.)".

Musical score for the second system of "O Holy Night". The score continues from the first system. The Tenor Solo part begins with a rest for 8 measures, then sings "shin - ing, It is the night of our dear Sav-ior's birth. Long lay the world in". The other voices continue their accompaniment.

Split into two choirs →

16 *poco rit.*

8 sin and er - ror pin - ing, 'til he ap - peared and the soul felt its worth.

poco rit.

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Choir 1 Tenors
mp a tempo

8 A thrill of hope, the wear - y world re - joice - es, for yon - der breaks a new and glor - ious morn. —

Choir 1 Basses
mp a tempo

Choir 2 Tenors
mp a tempo

8 Ah ah

Choir 2 Basses
mp a tempo

31 *f*

8 Fall on your knees! O hear the an - gel voice - es! O

f

8 Fall! Be - hold your king! Hear the an - gels sing!

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8 ev - er. No - el, No - el! O night when Christ was born! No - el,

8 ev - er. No - el, No - el, No - el, No - el,

8 ev - er. No - el, No - el, No - el, No - el,

8 ev - er. No - el, No - el, No - el!

8 ev - er. No - el, No - el,

f *mp* *mf*

74 No - el! O night, O night di - vine!

8 No - el! Du du du du du du du du du du (etc.)

8 No - el! Du du du du du du du du du du (etc.)

8 No - el! Du du du du du du du du du du (etc.)

f dim. *p*

f dim. *p*

f dim. *p*

f dim. *p*

85

dim. *ritard.*

dim. *ritard.*

dim. *ritard.*

dim. *ritard.*