

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

with Fanfare and Descant

(Brass Quintet with optional percussion)

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The Fanfare may be played at the start, or before the final verse, in which case use the last 2 bars of verse 1 as the introduction

FANFARE

♩=96 Maestoso

Trumpet 1 *f* *mf* *f*

Trumpet 2 *f* *mf* *f*

Horn in F *f*

Trombone *f* *mf* *f*

Tuba *f* *mf* *f*

Timpani (optional) *f* *mf* *f*

Sus. Cym. (optional) *mf* *pp* *mf*

metal beater scraped fast across cymbal (or clash cyms scraped)

standard soft sticks

May be played on just 2 timps - play A's as G's - except where marked.

Tpt.1 *mp* (warm)

Tpt.2 *mp* (warm)

Hn. *mp* (warm)

Trom. *f* *mf*

Tuba *mp*

Poco Allargando **molto rit.**

Tpt.1 *ff*

Tpt.2 *ff*

Hn. *ff*

Trom. *ff*

Tuba *ff*

Timp. *f*

Cyms. *f*