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"Christmas Carole Theology"

"Hark The Herald Angels Sing"

First Stanza: "HARK..." (Listen with understanding.) "...THE..." (One and only.) "...HERALD ANGELS SING..." (Group of angels sent to make this public announcement are messengers from Yahweh.) "...GLORY TO..." (These angels constantly hear other creatures glorifying God. **Revelation 4:8**) "...THE..." (One and only.) "...NEWBORN KING..." (Unlike humans, who become kings **Genesis 10:8-11**, Jesus was born a King.) [play "Born a King" by Stephen Mc Whirter] "PEACE ON EARTH AND MERCY MILD..." (**Isaiah 26:3; Lamentations 3:22-23**) "...GOD AND SINNERS RECONCILED..." (**2 Corinthians 5:18-21**) "JOYFUL ALL YE NATIONS RISE..." (**Isaiah 2:2; Isaiah 9:1-2**) "...JOIN THE TRIUMPH OF THE SKIES..." (**Colossians 2:15**) "...WITH ANGELIC HOST PROCLAIM..." (We are to tell others about Jesus. **Mark 16:15**) "...CHRIST..." (Christ is not His last name, it means Messiah, from the Hebrew word "Meshiach" [Anointed One]) "...IS BORN IN BETHLEHEM..." (Bethlehem means "House of Bread" **John 6:35**)

Second Stanza: "CHRIST BY HIGHEST HEAVEN ADORED..." (**John 3:35**) "CHRIST THE EVERLASTING LORD..." (**John 1:1; Hebrews 9:27; 1 John 2:1**) "LATE IN TIME..." (**Hebrews 1:1-2**) "...BEHOLD HIM COME, OFFSPRING OF A VIRGIN'S WOMB..." (**Isaiah 7:14; Romans 5:12**) "VEILED IN FLESH THE GODHEAD SEE..." (**John 1:14; Romans 1:3-4; Hebrews 1:3**) "HAIL..." (A verb meaning "Health to you") "...THE INCARNATE DEITY..." (**Hebrews 2:14; Proverbs 30:4**) "PLEASED..." (Means God chose to do something of his own sovereign will. (**Psalm 135:6**) "...AS MAN WITH MEN TO DWELL..." (**Ephesians 2:19-22; 2 Corinthians 6:16-17; Revelation 21:3**) "...JESUS, OUR IMMANUEL..." (A Hebrew word meaning "God tabernacles with us")

Third Stanza: "HAIL THE HEAVEN BORN PRINCE OF PEACE..." (**Isaiah 9:6; John 16:33; Philippians 4:6-7**) "HAIL THE SON OF RIGHTEOUSNESS..." (**Romans 3:21-22; 2 Corinthians 5:21**) "LIGHT AND LIFE TO ALL HE BRINGS..." (**John 3:18-19**) "...RISEN WITH HEALING IN HIS WINGS..." (**Matthew 13:15; 1 Peter 2:24**) **Ephesians 2:4-5** "MILD HE LAY HIS GLORY BY..." (**John 17:5; Philippians 2:5-8**) "...BORN THAT MAN NO MORE MAY DIE..." (**Genesis 2:17** in Hebrew "Dying you will die" meaning at your physical death, you will die spiritually by being separated from God eternally.) "BORN TO RAISE THE SONS OF EARTH..." (Earth means Dirt. **Genesis 3:19**) "...BORN TO GIVE THEM SECOND BIRTH!" (**John 3:3-7; Ephesians 1:13-14**)

[Play "Hark The Herald Angels Sing" by Clamavi De Profundis]