



Bernard Dewagtere

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God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen Traditional

About the artist

Doctor in musicology, conductor and composer.

Compositions and arrangements from all eras, in all styles or musical genres and for any instrument or vocal training.

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About the piece



Title: God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

Composer: Traditional

Arranger: Dewagtere, Bernard

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Instrumentation: Violin, piano or organ or guitar

Style: Christmas - Carols

Comment: God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen (also known as God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen) is an English traditional Christmas carol. The melody is in Aeolian mode. It was published by William B. Sandys in 1833, although the author is unknown. Like so many early Christmas songs, this carol was written as a direct reaction to the music of the fifteenth century church, in *Stories Behind the Best-Loved Songs of Christmas*. However, in the as-yet earliest known publi... (more online)

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God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

Christmas carol (1833)

Arr. : Bernard Dewagtere

Violon

mf

E m

B m

Piano

p

Vln.

E m

C 3fr.

D 5fr.

G 3fr.

A m

D 5fr.

G 3fr.

B m

Pno

Vln.

13

C 3fr.

A m7

D 5fr.

G 3fr.

A m7

E m

D 5fr.

Pno

13

mp

The musical score is arranged in three systems. The first system features Violon and Piano parts. The Violon part begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature. It includes a dynamic marking of *mf* and two guitar chord diagrams: E m and B m. The Piano part is in a grand staff (treble and bass clefs) with a dynamic marking of *p*. The second system features Violin (Vln.) and Piano (Pno) parts. The Violin part starts at measure 7 and includes guitar chord diagrams for E m, C 3fr., D 5fr., G 3fr., A m, D 5fr., G 3fr., and B m. The Piano part continues in a grand staff. The third system features Violin (Vln.) and Piano (Pno) parts. The Violin part starts at measure 13 and includes guitar chord diagrams for C 3fr., A m7, D 5fr., G 3fr., A m7, E m, and D 5fr. The Piano part also starts at measure 13 and includes a dynamic marking of *mp*.

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2
19

Vln.

G A m7 B m E m

3fr.

1. *f*

Pno

19

mf

1.

25

Vln.

B7 E m C B7 E m A m B7 E m B7 E m C

3fr.

25

Pno

31

Vln.

B m A m7 D7 G A m D G C G C G D#dim E m A B7 E m B7

3fr.

31

Pno

37

2.

Vln.

E m B m E m

37

2.

Pno

f

43

Vln.

Pno

B m E 7 A m D G C G C G D[#]dim E m A B 7 E m

49

Vln.

Pno

B 7 G A m 7 E m D G

55

Vln.

Pno

1. 2. A m 7 B m E m E