

While shepherds watched (Crowley)

Tate & Brady's
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1. While shep - herds watched their flocks by night, All
2. "Fear not," said he (for migh - ty dread Had
3. "To you this day, in Da - vid's town, Is
4. "The heaven - ly Babe ye there shall see, To
5. Thus spake the se - raph, and forth - with Ap -

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1. sea - ted on the ground, The an - gel of the
2. seized their trou - bled mind,) Glad ti - dings of great
3. born of Da - vid's line, A Sa - viour who is
4. hu - man view dis - played, All mean - ly wrapped in
5. peared a shi - ning throng Of an - gels prai - sing

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1. Lord came down, And glo - ry shone a - round.
2. joy I bring To you and all man - kind.
3. Christ the Lord, And this shall be the sign:
4. swa - thing bands, And in a man - ger laid."
5. God, who thus Ad - dressed their joy - ful song:

6. "All glory be to God on high,
And to the earth be peace;
Good will henceforth from heaven to men
Begin and never cease!"