

Joy to the World

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Music by George Frederick Handel
Arranged by Lowell Mason

Not too fast

The musical score is written for piano in 4/4 time. It consists of three systems of music. The first system has a tempo marking 'Not too fast'. The lyrics are: 'Joy to the world! the Lord has come. Let earth receive her King. Let'. The second system continues the lyrics: 'ev - 'ry heart pre - pare Him room. And heav - en and na - ture sing, and -'. The third system concludes with: 'heav - en and na - ture sing, and - heav - en and heav - en and na - ture sing.' The score includes treble and bass clefs, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and various musical notations such as chords, notes, rests, and slurs. Chord symbols are placed above the notes: C, F, C, Dm/F, C/G, G7, C, F, G, C, F/C, C, F/C, C, F/A, C/G, G7, C.

2. Joy to the world! the Savior reigns.
Let men their songs employ
While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains
Repeat the sounding joy, repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

3. No more let sin and sorrow grow,
Nor thorns infest the ground.
He comes to make His blessings flow
Far as the curse is found, far as the curse is found,
Far as, far as the curse is found.

4. He rules the world with truth and grace
And makes the nation prove
The glories of His righteousness
And wonders of His love, and wonders of His love,
And wonders, wonders of His love.