

Angels We Have Heard on High

French carol

The image shows a musical score for the French carol 'Angels We Have Heard on High'. It consists of four staves of music in 4/4 time, with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody is written in treble clef. Above the staves, the following chords are indicated: F, C7, F, F, C, F, C, C7, F; F, C7, F, F, C, F, C, C7, F; F, D7, Bb, C7, F, Bb, C, C7, F, C, F, Bb, F, C; F, D7, Bb, C7, F, Bb, C, C7, F, C, F, Bb, F, C7, F.

1. Angels we have heard on high
Sweetly singing o'er the plains,
And the mountains in reply
Echoing their joyous strains.
Gloria in Excelsis Deo!

2. Shepherds, why this jubilee?
Why your joyous strains prolong?
What the gladsome tidings be
Which inspire your heav'nly song?
Gloria in Excelsis Deo!

3. Come to Bethlehem and see
Him whose birth the angels sing;
Come adore on bended knee
Christ the Lord, the newborn king.
Gloria in Excelsis Deo!