



# The First Noel

Traditional English

A F#m E Bm A D A E<sup>7</sup> A Bm

The first no - el, the an - gel did say, was to cer - tain poor  
They look - ed up and saw a star shin-ing in the  
And by the light of that same star three wise men  
This star drew nigh to the north west, o'er Beth - le -  
Then en - tered in those wise men three, full rev - er - ent-  
Then let us all with one ac - cord sing prais - es

6 A D E<sup>7</sup> A E A E A F#m E Bm A D

shep-herds in fields as they lay, in fields wherethey lay keep-ing their  
east be - yond them far, and to the earth it gave great  
came from coun - try far. To seek for a King was their in -  
hem it took its rest, and there it did both stop and  
ly up - on thier knee, and fered there in His pre -  
to our heav-en - ly Lord who hath made heaven and earth of

12 A E<sup>7</sup> A Bm A D E<sup>7</sup> A E A E A F#m

sheep on a cold win-ter's night that was so deep. No - el, no -  
light, and so it con - tin-ued both day and night.  
tent, and to fol - low the star where - ev - er it went.  
stay right o - ver the place where Je - sus lay.  
sence their gold and myrrh and frank - in- cense.  
naught, and with His blood hu - man - kind hath bought.

18 C#m A D A F#m C#m D A E<sup>7</sup> A E<sup>7</sup> A

- el, no - el, no - el. Born is the King of Is - ra - el.