A CHRISTMAS HYMN
Text: Richard Wilbur (1921 - 2017)

Huub de Lange (*1955)

Mixed choir and piano-4 hands

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Piano right

mf

Piano left

mf

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A stable lamp is lighted whose glow shall wake the sky;

And

The stars shall bend their voices And ev'ry stone shall cry.

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ev'ry stone shall cry, and straw like gold shall shine;

A barn shall harbor

This child through David's city

heaven, a stall become a shrine.
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Shall ride in triumph by;
The palm shall strew its branches, And ev'ry

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stone shall cry.
And ev'ry stone shall cry, Though heavy, dull and dumb,
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And lie with - in the road-way To pave His king-dom come.

Yet He shall be for-

The sky shall groan and dar-ken, And

sa-ken, And yiel-ded up to die;
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ev'ry stone shall cry. And ev'ry stone shall cry For stony hearts of men:

God's blood upon the spear-head, God's love refused again.
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But now, as at the end, the low is lifted high; the stars shall bend their voices, and ev'ry stone shall cry.

Bend their voices, and ev'ry stone shall cry.

And ev'ry stone shall cry.
In praises of the child
By whose descent among us
The worlds are reconciled.
But now, as at the ending,
The low is lifted high;
re-con-ciled.
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