



A Christmas Gloria

A Christmas Mass
GLORIA

Refrain, trad. French carol

Adapted and arranged by Paul Gibson

INTRO *Joyous, but not too fast* (♩ = ca. 100)

VERSE 1: Cantor or Choir Men

Organ *mf*

1. Glo-ry to God in the

1. high - est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-

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1. do-re — you, we glo-ri - fy — you, we give you thanks for your great glo - ry,

1. Lord God, — heav - en - ly King, O God, al - might - y Fa - ther.

REFRAIN: All

Glo - - - - - *ri - a* —

in ex - cēl - sis De - o, Gló

ri - a in ex - cēl - sis De - o.

VERSE 2: Cantor or Choir Women

2. Lord Je - sus Christ, — On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son — of the Fa - ther,

2. you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us; you take a-way the

2. sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer; you are seat - ed at the

2. right hand of the Fa - ther, have mer - cy on us.

REFRAIN: All

S
A
T
B

Gló - - - - *ri - a*

in ex - cël - sis De - o, — Gló

ri - a — in ex - cël - sis De - o.

VERSE 3: Cantor or Choir Unison

3. For — you a - lone — are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone — are the Lord,

3. you a-lone__ are the Most__ High, Je - sus__ Christ, _____ with the

3. Ho - ly Spir - it, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

FINAL REFRAIN: All

Descant (S)

Gló - - - - - *ri - a*

Melody (A/T/B)

in ex - cël - sis De - o, Gló -

ri - a

S (Descant) *rit.*
in ex - cël - sis De o.
T
B (Melody) *rit.*

rit.

Assembly Edition

A CHRISTMAS GLORIA

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1. Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you, we adore you,
we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Refrain: All

Glo - ri - a

in ex - cel - sis De - o, De - o.

2. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
3. For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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