We Three Kings

KINGS OF ORIENT, 88 44 6 with refrain
Carols, Hymns and Songs, 1863
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Based on Matthew 2:1–11
John H. Hopkins, Jr., 1820–1891, alt.

INTRO (♩ = 120–124)
Capo 3: (Bm)
Melody

VERSES
(F♯m7)
(Am7)
(Dm)

 verses

1. We three kings of
2. Born a King on
3. Frank - in - cense to
4. Myrrh is mine; its
5. Glo - rious now be -

(F♯m7)
(Bm)
(Bm)

1. O - ri - ent are; Be - ar - ing gifts we tra - verse a - far Field and
2. Beth - le - hem’s plain, Gold I bring to crown him a - gain, King for -
3. of - fer have I: In - cense owns a De - i - ty nigh; Prayer and
4. bit - ter per - fume Breaths, a life of gath - er - ing gloom; Sor - rowing,
5. hold him a - rise, King and God and Sac - ri - fice; “Al - le -

(A)
(C)
(D)
(F)
(Em)
(Gm)
(Dm)
(Am)
(Dm)

1. foun - tain, Moor and moun - tain, Fol - low - ing yon - der star.
2. ev - er, Ceas - ing nev - er O - ver us all to reign.
3. prais - ing Glad - ly rais - ing, Wor - ship him, God on high.
4. sigh - ing, Bleed - ing, dy - ing, Sealed in the stone - cold tomb.
5. lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!” Sounds through the earth and skies.
REFRAIN

(A) C (let ring) (D) F (G) Bb (D) F

O ___________ star of wonder, star of night, Star with

(G) Bb (D) F (A/C♯) (Bm) (A) C (G) Bb (A)

royal beauty bright; Westward leading, still proceeding,

(D) F (Bm) (G) (D) F (Bm) (F♯m7) (Bm) (F♯m7)

1-4 F Dm Am7 Dm Am7 D.S.

Guide us to thy perfect light.

5 (D) F (D) F (Bm) Dm (G) Bb (D)