

ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH: OTEN Easy Music

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 4/4 time (pu = 0) using **OTEN** EASY Music Notation Method
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*PSALM 103: 20. Bless the LORD, you His angels, Who excel in strength, who do His word,
 Heeding the voice of His word. Bless the LORD, all you His hosts,
 You ministers of His, who do His pleasure. Bless the LORD, all His works,
 In all places of His dominion. Bless the LORD, O my soul!*

VERSES		<i>Osborne TExt-Based Notation (OTEN) -- see website tab for full explanation</i>														
	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+

	F															
1a	An-		gels		we		have		heard	—	—	on	high,	—	—	—
<i>melody</i>	^A		A		A		^C		C	—	—	- Bb	A	—	—	—

	F															
1b	sweet-		ly		sing-		ing		o'er	—	—	the	plains,	—	—	—
<i>melody</i>	A		G		A		^C		A	—	—	- G	F	—	—	—

	F															
1c	And		the		moun-		tains		in	—	—	re-	ply	—	—	—
<i>melody</i>	^A		A		A		^C		C	—	—	- Bb	A	—	—	—

	F															
1d	ech-		o		back		their		joy-	—	—	ous	strains,	—	—	—
<i>melody</i>	A		G		A		^C		A	—	—	- G	F	—	—	—

CHORUS		<i>Osborne TExt-Based Notation (OTEN) -- see website tab for full explanation</i>														
	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+

	F																
C-1	Glor-	—	—	—	o-.....	o-.....	o-.....	o-	o-	—	—	—	o-	o-....	o- ...	o-
<i>melody</i>	^C				^D	C	Bb	A	Bb				^C	Bb	A	G	

	F															
C-2	o-	—	—	—	o-	o-....	o- ...	o-	o-	—	—	ri-	a!	—	—	—
<i>melody</i>	^A				^Bb	A	G	F	G	—	—	vC	C			

	F															
C-3	In	—	ex-	—	cel-	—	sis	—	* De-	-o
<i>melody</i>	F		G		A		Bb		A	G

	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+
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(continued on next page). This song illustrates why OTEN is so EASY for early musicians!

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CHORUS , continued															
1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+
F				Dm				Gm				C			
C-4	Glor-	-	-	o-.....o-.....o-.....o-				o-	-	-	-	o-.....o-.....o-.....o-			
melody	^C			^D C Bb A				Bb				^C Bb A G			
F				Bb				C				(C)			
C-5	o-	-	-	o-.....o-.....o-.....o-				o-	-	-	ri-	a!	-	-	-
melody	^A			^Bb A G F				G	-	-	vC	C			
F				(F)				F				C			
C-6	In	-	ex-	cel-	-	sis	-	De-.....	....	....	....	e-.....	.....	.....	.....
melody	F		G	A		Bb		A.....	.....	.....	.....	G.....	.....	.....	.....
F															
C-7	-o	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
melody	F														

LYRICS.

VERSE 1

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

CHORUS

Gloria..... in excelsis Deo! Gloria..... in excelsis Deo!*

= *ALL GLORY to God!
Pronounced "DAY-oh"

VERSE 2

Shepherds why this jubilee? Why your joyous strains prolong?
 What the gladsome tidings be, which inspire your heavenly song? >> CHORUS

VERSE 3

Come to Bethlehem and see Christ, whose birth the angels sing.
 Come adore on bended knee, Christ the Lord, the newborn King! >> CHORUS

VERSE 4

See Him in a manger laid, Whom the choirs of angels praise
 Mary Joseph lend your aid While our hearts in love we raise. >> CHORUS