

# THE FIRST NOEL

Traditional  
Arr. by Michael Daly

The first Noel, The angels did  
say, Was to certain poor shep - herds in fields as they  
lay; In fields where they lay keep - ing their  
sheep, On a cold win - ter's night that was so

Chords: C, Am, G7, C, F, C, G7, C, F, C, G7, C, F, G7, C, F, C, F, G7, C

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The musical score consists of three systems, each with a guitar chord chart above a piano accompaniment. The piano accompaniment is written in treble and bass clefs. The lyrics are placed below the treble clef staff.

**System 1:** Chords: C, G7, C, Am, G7, C. Lyrics: deep. No - el, No - el, No -

**System 2:** Chords: F, C, G7, C, F. Lyrics: el, No - el, Born is the

**System 3:** Chords: C, F, G7, C, G7, C. Lyrics: King of Is - ra - el.

They looked up, and saw a star,  
 Shining in the East beyond them far;  
 And to the earth it gave great light,  
 And so it continued day and night.

Chorus

This star drew nigh to the north west,  
 O'er Bethlehem it took its rest,  
 And there it did both stop and stay,  
 Right o'er the place where Jesus lay.

Chorus