

for Red Balloon
Carol of the Magi

Words and music by
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Slow and reflective ♩ = 63

poco rubato

CELLO SOLO

p *mp*

ORGAN

6

(tempo giusto) **BARITONE SOLO**
or **FULL BASSES** *p legato, dolce*

1. We rode all

Vc.

mf *ten.* *mp* *p*

(tempo giusto)

ppp

Ped.

10

night thro' fields of dark - ness, Our guid - ing light the East - ern

Vc.

pp

13

TENORS (full) *p* *mp* *p*

T. We came to Beth-le - hem, — we all were wea - ry: — We'd trav-elled

1st BASSES (full) *p* *mp* *p*

1. star; — We came to Beth-le - hem, — we all were wea - ry: *Mm* —

2nd BASSES (full) *p* *mp* *p*

2. (star; —) We came to Beth-le - hem, — we all were wea - ry: *Mm* —

Vc.

cresc. *mp* *p*

(Ped.)

16

8 far that night, — we'd trav-elled far. *Mm* —

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Vc. *mp*

pp

20 **A**

S. *mp* **Nn* *Nn*

A. *mp* **Nn* *Nn*

T. *mp* 2. We heard that here we'd find Mes - si - ah, Fore-told by

B. *mp* 2. We heard that here we'd find Mes - si - ah, Fore-told by

Vc.

A

Ped.

23 *cresc.* *mf* *Nn* *Nn* *Ah*

cresc. *mf* *Nn* *Nn* *Ah*

8 *cresc.* *f* seers from days of old; We looked for pa - la - ces: and found a

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Vc. *f*

cresc. *mf*

* Half-open lips. 'Aw', or other sound, may be sung if preferred.