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## The First Nowell (First Noel) Traditional

### About the artist

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### About the piece



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**Style:** Christmas - Carols

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# The First Nowell

## *The first Noel*

Traditional english Carol (18th century)

Arr. : Bernard Dewagtere

Andante ♩ = 80

Organ

The first system of the musical score for 'The First Nowell'. It features a grand staff with a treble and bass clef. The tempo is marked 'Andante' with a quarter note equal to 80 beats per minute. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The time signature is 3/4. The music consists of a series of chords and moving lines in both hands, with a repeat sign after the fourth measure.

Org.

The second system of the musical score. It continues the piece with similar harmonic and melodic patterns. The notation includes various musical symbols such as notes, rests, and accidentals.

Org.

The third system of the musical score. It concludes the piece with a final cadence. The notation includes various musical symbols such as notes, rests, and accidentals.

# The First Nowell

Org.

2  
22

Musical score for 'The First Nowell' (measures 2-22). The organ part consists of three staves. The top staff is in treble clef, the middle in bass clef, and the bottom in bass clef. The music features various chords and melodic lines with slurs and ties.

Org.

28  
1.

Musical score for 'The First Nowell' (measures 28-33). The organ part consists of three staves. The top staff is in treble clef, the middle in bass clef, and the bottom in bass clef. The music features various chords and melodic lines with slurs and ties. A first ending bracket is shown above the top staff.

Org.

34

Musical score for 'The First Nowell' (measures 34-39). The organ part consists of three staves. The top staff is in treble clef, the middle in bass clef, and the bottom in bass clef. The music features various chords and melodic lines with slurs and ties.

40

Org.

This system contains measures 40 through 45 of the piece. The organ part is written for a three-manual instrument. The top manual (treble clef) features a melody of eighth and sixteenth notes, often beamed together. The middle manual (bass clef) provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines. The bottom manual (bass clef) plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is common time (C).

46

Org.

This system contains measures 46 through 51. The organ part continues with similar textures. Measures 46 and 47 include repeat signs. The top manual has more complex rhythmic patterns, including some triplets. The middle and bottom manuals continue their respective harmonic and accompanimental roles. The key signature remains one sharp (F#), and the time signature is common time (C).

52

Org.

This system contains measures 52 through 57, which conclude the piece. Measures 52 and 53 include first and second endings. The top manual features a final melodic flourish. The middle manual has some sustained chords. The bottom manual ends with a final bass line. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is common time (C).