

Als ich bei meinen Schafen wacht

While by my Sheep I watched at Night, My Sheep were grazing in a Field

German Carol, Echo Song

Traditional, 1623

Solo Choir

p Als ich bei mei - nen Scha - fen wacht', *mf* als ich bei mei - nen Scha - fen wacht',
Ein En-gel mir die Bot - schaft bracht', ein En-gel mir die Bot - schaft bracht'

5 Solo Choir Solo Choir

p Da bin ich froh, *f* bin ich froh, *mf* froh, froh, froh, *f* froh, froh,

9 Solo Choir

froh, *mf* be - ne - di - ca - mus do - mi - no, *f* be - ne - di - ca - mus do - mi - no!

Musical score system 1, measures 1-4. The piece begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The first two measures feature a melody in the right hand with eighth notes and a bass line with quarter notes. The third measure is marked "Echo" and begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic, where the right hand melody is repeated. The system concludes with a repeat sign.

Musical score system 2, measures 5-8. Measure 5 starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The right hand melody includes a sharp sign (#) on the second measure. The third measure is marked "Echo" and begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The fourth measure returns to a forte (*f*) dynamic. The system ends with a repeat sign.

Musical score system 3, measures 9-12. Measure 9 starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The right hand melody features a sharp sign (#) on the second measure. The third measure is marked "Echo" and begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The system concludes with a repeat sign.