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God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen Traditional

About the artist

Doctor in musicology, conductor and composer.

Compositions and arrangements from all eras, in all styles or musical genres and for any instrument or vocal training.

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About the piece



Title: God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

Composer: Traditional

Arranger: Dewagtere, Bernard

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Instrumentation: Clarinet in Bb solo

Style: Christmas - Carols

Comment: God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen (also known as God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen) is an English traditional Christmas carol. The melody is in Aeolian mode. It was published by William B. Sandys in 1833, although the author is unknown. Like so many early Christmas songs, this carol was written as a direct reaction to the music of the fifteenth century church, in *Stories Behind the Best-Loved Songs of Christmas*. However, in the as-yet earliest known publi... (more online)

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God rest ye Merry, Gentlemen

Christmas carol (1833)

Transc. : Bernard Dewagtere

Clarinete en Sib

The musical score is written for Clarinet in B-flat (Sib) and consists of seven staves of music. The notation is in treble clef with a common time signature (C). The piece begins with a whole rest in the first measure, followed by a series of eighth and quarter notes, many of which are beamed together and have slurs above them. Measure 4 is marked with a '4' above the staff. Measure 7 is marked with a '7'. Measure 10 is marked with a '10'. Measure 13 is marked with a '13'. Measure 16 is marked with a '16' and includes a triplet of eighth notes. Measure 19 is marked with a '19' and ends with a double bar line. The overall melody is simple and characteristic of the traditional carol.

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