

I heard the bells on christmas day

SATB and piano

1 $\text{♩} = 76$

S.
A.
T.
B.

Piano

p

Fm Db Ab

Use pedal

4

S.
A.
T.
B.

ah
ah
ah

I heard the bells — on Christ-mas day — Their old — fa-mi - liar ca - rols

C7 Fm Db

13

p Peace on earth Peace on

mp Peace on earth Peace on

p Peace on earth Peace on

Peace — on earth Peace — on

mf Like a choir — they're sing - ing —

Db Ab Db

16

earth Peace — on earth good will to

earth Peace on earth good will to

earth Peace — on earth good will to

earth Peace — on earth good will to

In my heart — I hear — them — Peace on — earth, — good will to

Ab Db Fm

25

Of peace on earth, — good will to men

ah — And the

Of peace on earth, — good will to men And the

ah — And the

Fm Db Ab

(Sub).....

28

But the bells are ring - ing — Like a choir — sing - ing

mp

bells are ring - ing *p* Peace on earth

bells are ring - ing *p* Peace — on earth

bells are ring - ing Peace on earth

C7 Db Ab

(Sub).....

37

mf *ah* ————— peace on earth,
mf *ah* ————— peace on earth,
mf *ah* ————— peace on earth,

Then rang the bells — more loud and deep God is not dead, — nor does He — sleep ———

mf $D\flat$ $D\flat4+$ $D\flat$ $D\flat4+$ Fm

(8^{va}).....

40

— peace on earth, — *ah* ———
 — peace on earth, — *ah* ———
 — peace on earth, — *ah* ———

The wrong shall fail, — the right pre-vail — With peace on — earth,

$E\flat sus$ $E\flat$ $D\flat$ $D\flat4+$ $D\flat$ $D\flat4+$

(8^{va}).....

49

The world revolved from night to day — A voice a chime, a chant sublime —
 ah — ah —
 day — A voice a chime, a chant sublime —
 day — A voice a chime, a chant sublime —
 Ab Eb Fm

52

Of peace on earth, goodwill to men — And the bells are ringing —
 And the bells are ringing —
 Of peace on earth, goodwill to men And the bells are ringing —
 Of peace on earth, goodwill to men And the bells they're ringing —
 Db Ab C7

61

men Do you hear the bells—they're ring - ing? Peace on

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men Do you hear the bells—they're ring - ing? Peace on

f *f* *f* *f*

E♭ *E♭* *D♭*

(Sub).....

64

Delight the an - gels sin - ging — O - pen up — your heart — and hear — them

earth Peace on earth

earth Peace — on earth

earth Peace on earth

A♭ *D♭* *A♭*

(Sub).....

The musical score consists of five staves. The top four staves are vocal parts, each with a treble clef and a key signature of three flats (B-flat major/D-flat minor). The lyrics are: "Peace on earth, Good will to men". The vocal lines are marked with "ooh" and have long horizontal lines indicating sustained notes. The piano accompaniment is on the bottom staff, with a grand staff (treble and bass clefs) and a key signature of three flats. The lyrics are aligned with the piano accompaniment: "Peace on earth, Good will to men". The piano accompaniment includes chords and melodic lines in both hands.

ooh

ooh

ooh

ooh

Peace on earth, Good will to men

Db Fm Eb