

O Little Town of Bethlehem

Oboe

$\text{♩} = 100$

The musical score is written for an Oboe in G major, 4/4 time. It consists of nine staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a tempo marking of quarter note = 100. The first measure is marked with a forte 'f' dynamic. The melody is composed of eighth and quarter notes, with some measures containing beamed eighth notes. The lyrics are written below the staff, with some words underlined. The score includes measure numbers 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 25, 29, and 33 in boxes. Dynamics include 'f' and 'mf'. The piece ends with a repeat sign and a 'V.S.' (Vivace) marking.

f

lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem How still we__ see thee lie A -

mf

bove thy deep and dream-less__sleep The si - lent__stars go by Yet__

mf

in thy dark streets shin - eth The e - ver - las - ting Light The

hopes and fears of all__ the__years Are met in__ thee to - night O

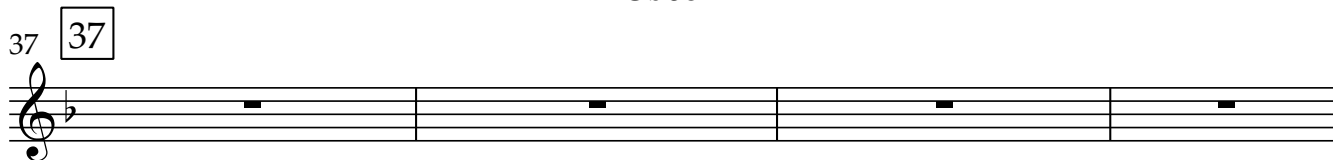
mor - ning stars to - ge - ther Pro - claim the__ ho - ly birth And

prai - ses sing to God__ the__King And Peace to__ men on earth For__

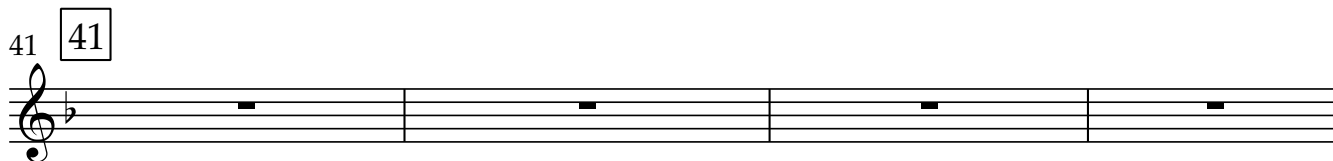
Christ is born of__ Ma - ry And ga - thered all a - bove While

mor - tals sleep, the an - gels keep Their watch of__ won - dering love How

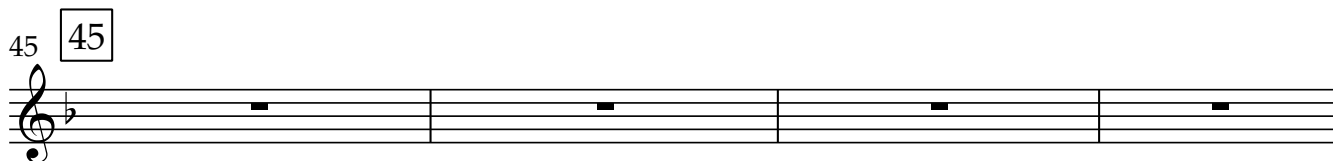
V.S.



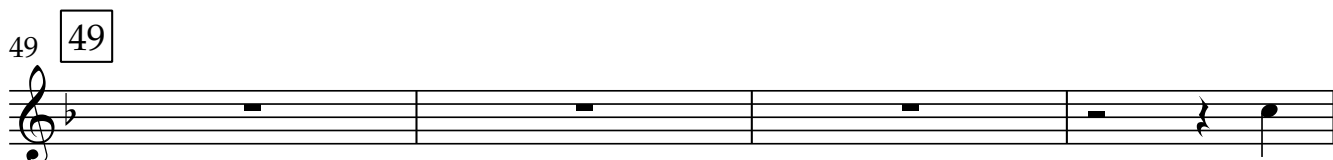
si - lent - ly, how si - lent - ly The won - drous gift is given! So



God im-parts to hu - man hearts The bles - sings of His heav'n. No__

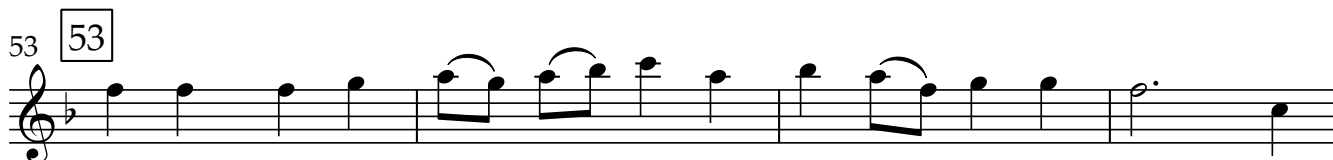


ear may hear His__ co - ming, But in this world of sin, Where

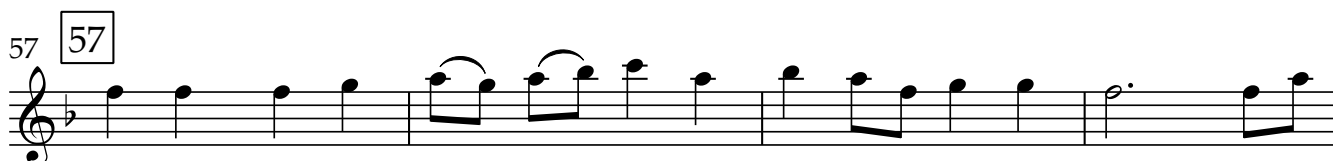


meek souls will re - ceive him__ still, The dear Christ en - ters in.

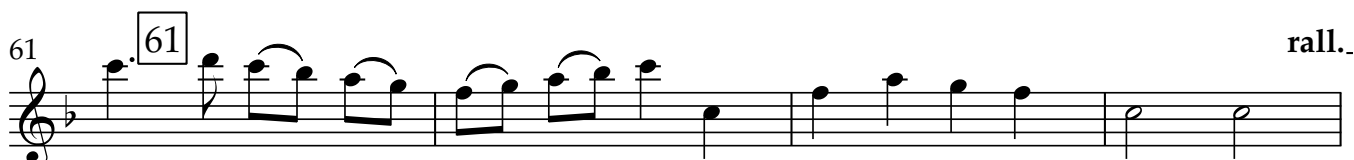
O
f



ho - ly Child of Beth - le - hem Des - cend to__ us, we pray Cast



out our sin and en - ter__ in Be born in__ us to - day We__



hear the Christ-mas__ an - gels The great glad ti-dings tell O

molto rall..



come to us, a - bide__ with__ us Our Lord Em - ma - nu - el