

2nd Clarinet in B $\flat$

# As with Gladness Men of Old

Lyrics by Conrad Kocher, Adapted by William Henry Monk

Music by William C Dix, adapted by Laurence K J Nicholas

from an orchestration by Phillip E Allen

$\text{♩} = 100$



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As with glad-ness men of old	Did the guid - ing star be-hold;
As with joy - ful steps they sped	Sav - iour, to thy low - ly bed,
As they of - fered gifts most rare	At thy cra - dle rude and bare,
Ho - ly Je - sus, ev - 'ry day	Keep us in the nar - row way;
In the hea-venly coun - try bright,	Need they no cre - at - ed light;

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As with joy they hailed its light,	Lead - ing on - ward, beam-ing bright;
There to bend the knee be - fore	Thee whom heav'n and earth a - dore;
So may we with ho - ly joy,	Pure and free from sin's al - loy,
And, when earth-ly things are past,	Bring our ran - somed souls at last
Thou its light, its joy, its crown,	Thou its sun which goes not down;

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So, most gra-cious Lord, may we	Ev - er more be led to Thee.
So, may we with will - ing feet,	Ev - er seek thy mer - cy - seat.
All our cost-liest trea-sures bring,	Christ, to Thee our heav'n - ly King.
Where they need no star to guide,	Where no clouds Thy glo - ry hide.
There for - e - ver may we sing	

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Al - le - lu - ias to our King!