

I wonder as I wander

Appalachian Carol

The musical notation consists of four measures of music in G clef, 6/8 time. The lyrics are placed directly beneath the notes:

I won-der as I wan-der, out un-der the sky,
how Je-sus the Sa-viour did come for to die,
for poor on'-ry peo-ple like you and like I ...
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2 When Mary birthed Jesus 'twas in a cow's stall,
with wise men and farmers and shepherds and all.
But high from God's heaven a starlight did fall,
and the promis of ages it did then recall.

3 If Jesus had wanted for any wee thing,
a star in the sky or a bird an the wing,
or all of God's angels in Heav'n for to sing,
He surely could have it 'cause he was the King.

4=1 I wonder as I wander, out under the sky,
how Jesus the Saviour did come for to die,
for poor on'-ry people like you and like I ...
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Weihnachtslied aus den Appalachen

Ich wundere (mich), da ich wandele
draußen unter dem Himmel,
wie Jesus, der Retter,
dazu kam zu sterben
für arme einfache Menschen
wie du und wie ich.

Als Maria Jesus gebar,
war es in einem Kuhstall
mit Weisen und Bauern
und Schäfern [und allen].
Aber hoch von Gottes Himmel
fiel ein Sternenlicht,
und das Versprechen aus alten Zeiten
wurde (ins Gedächtnis) zurückgerufen.

Wenn Jesus gewünscht hätte
irgendein kleines Ding,
einen Stern im Himmel
oder einen Vogel im Flug,
oder alle Engel Gottes,
um im Himmel zu singen,
hätte er es sicherlich bekommen,
denn er war der König.

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