

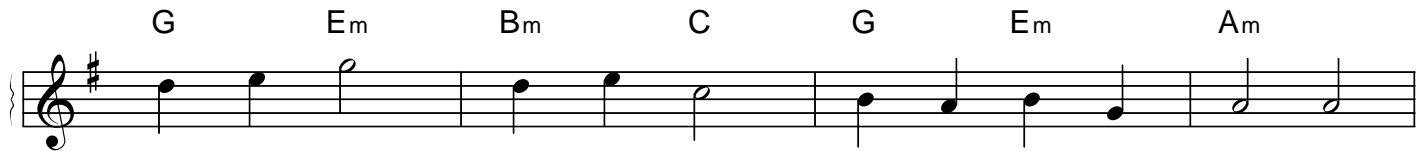
On This Day Earth Shall Ring

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1. On this day earth shall ring with the song chil - dren sing
2. His the doom, ours the mirth; when he came down to earth,
3. God's bright star, o'er his head, Wise Men three to him led;
4. On this day an - gels sing; with their song earth shall ring,



to the Lord, Christ our King, born on earth to save us;
Beth - le - hem saw his birth; ox and ass be - side him
kneel they low by his bed, lay their gifts be - fore him,
prai - sing Christ, hea - ven's King, born on earth to save us;



him the Fa - ther gave us. Id - e - o - o - o, id - e - o -
from the cold would hide him.
praise him and a - dore him.
peace and love he gave us.



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