

There were shepherds abiding in the field

Messiah 1.14

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Soprano  There were shepherds a - bid - ing in the field, keep - ing watch o - ver their flocks by night.

And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them

⁵ **Andante.** ♩ = 56
Soprano  And lo! the an - gel of the Lord came up on them, and the glo - ry of the

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S.  Lord shone and they were sore a - fraid.