

O Little Town of Bethlehem / Handel's Messiah

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Peacefully ♩ = 80

The musical score is written for piano in 4/4 time, featuring a melodic line in the right hand and a harmonic accompaniment in the left hand. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The score is divided into five systems, each with a measure number (1, 5, 10, 15, 19) at the beginning. Chords are indicated by letters above the notes. The first system starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic and includes the instruction "pedal throughout". The second system begins at measure 5. The third system begins at measure 10. The fourth system begins at measure 15 and includes a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic. The fifth system begins at measure 19 and includes a time signature change to 6/8 at the end of the system.

Chords for System 1 (Measures 1-4): F, F, F, F^o, F, Gb^o, Gm, Gm, Gm, F, C, C, C, F, F

Chords for System 2 (Measures 5-8): F, F, D, D⁷, C⁵/D, Gm, Gm, Gm, F, C, C, C⁷, F, F, F, F, E^o, Dm

Chords for System 3 (Measures 10-13): A, A, A, Dm, B^b, Dm, Gm, A, F, F, F, F^o, F, Gb^o, Gm, Gm, B^b

Chords for System 4 (Measures 15-18): F, B^o, F, E^o, F, F, Gm, Am, C

Chords for System 5 (Measures 19-22): F, Gm, Am, C, B^b, C