## The First Noel

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The First Noel the angel did say
Was to certain poor shepherds
In fields as they lay
In fields as they lay, keeping their sheep
On a cold winter's night that was so deep

Noel, Noel, Noel Born is the King of Israel

They looked up and saw a star Shining in the east beyond them far And to the earth it gave great light And so it continued both day and night

And by the light of that same star

Three wise men came from country far

To seek for a king was their intent

And to follow the star wherever it went

This star drew nigh to the northwest O'er Bethlehem it took it rest And there it did both stop and stay Right over the place where Jesus lay

Then entered in those wise men three Full reverently upon their knee And offered there in his presence Their gold, and myrrh, and frankincense

Then let us all with one accord Sing praises to our heavenly Lord That hath made heaven and earth of naught And with his blood mankind hath bought