

For Hannah, Rebekah, Ruth, David, and Sarah
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Watch the Golden Rays of Light

Unison or Two-Part, Organ or Piano

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The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a tempo of quarter note = 60. It begins with an organ or piano introduction marked *mp* and *8va*. The introduction features a treble clef staff with a melodic line of eighth notes and a bass clef staff with a simple accompaniment. The score then transitions to a choir part starting at measure 4, marked *mp*. The lyrics are: "I Watch the gold-en rays of light Preach the prom-ise of the Son: Though the dawn is out of sight, Still the morn - ing has be - gun." The choir part is accompanied by piano accompaniment. The piano part consists of a treble clef staff with a melodic line and a bass clef staff with a simple accompaniment. The score ends at measure 7.

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Shad - ows reign for just a night; See the dark - ness run and hide.

11

Soon, the heav-ens will be bright As that first-born Christ-mas - tide.

14

mf

2 Look, the Morn-ing Star takes flight, Reign-ing o - ver sky and earth.

p

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Christ will come from glo - ry's height, Grand - er than His hum - ble birth.

mf

⑱

Lu - ci - fer is lost in fright; His de - feat is clear as day.

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Je - sus comes in blaz - ing might; All the gloom is cast a - - way.