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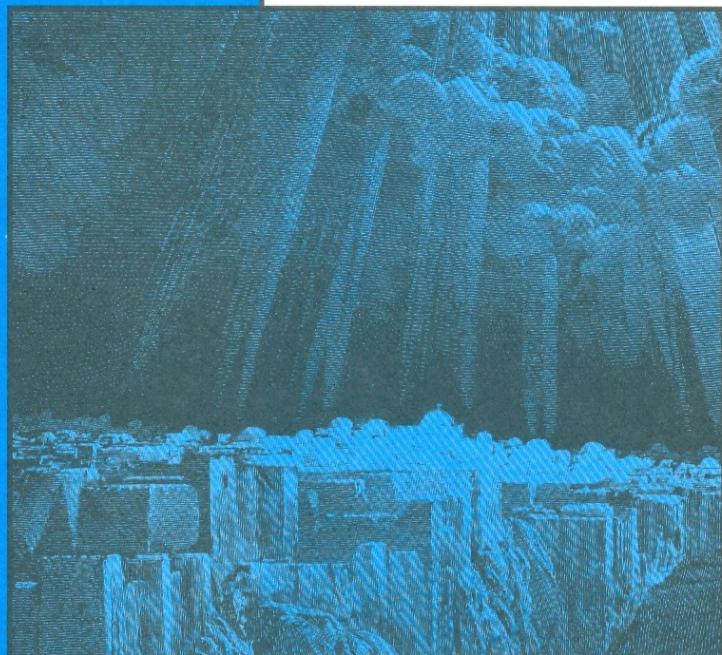
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(ASCAP)

For SATB Choir and Piano

MOLLY IJAMES  
(ASCAP)

With warm fervency ♩ = 76 - 80

A musical score for SATB Choir and Piano. The piano part is in 3/4 time, B-flat major, with dynamics marked *mp*. The vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) enter sequentially, starting with Soprano at measure 1, Alto at 2, Tenor at 3, and Bass at 4. The vocal entries consist of single notes.

The vocal parts continue in unison (SA unis.) with dynamic *mp*. The piano part provides harmonic support. Measures 5 through 8 are shown, with the vocal line consisting of eighth-note patterns.

The vocal line begins with the lyrics "hear the song". The piano part features sustained notes and chords. Measures 9 through 12 are shown.

The vocal line continues with the lyrics "hear the news". The piano part provides harmonic support. Measures 13 through 15 are shown.

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*mp*

16                    17                    18

Beth - le - hem, of Je - sus and His birth, \_\_\_\_\_ a  
 19                    20                    21

song of joy and praise to God, \_\_\_\_\_ of peace up - on the  
 22                    23                    24                    25