Nowell and Nowell









"Nowell and Nowell" the angels did say, While shepherds there in the fields did lay; Late in the night a-folding their sheep, A cold winter's night both cold and deep.

(Chorus) Nowell and nowell! Nowell and nowell! Born is the King of Isreal! Nowell and nowell! Nowell and nowell! Born is the King of Isreal!

And then there did appear a star Whose glory then did shine so far; Unto the earth it gave a great light And there it continued a day and a night. And by the light of that same star Three wise men came from country far To seek a King was their intent And to follow that star wherever it went.

The star drew near unto the north-west O'er Bethlehem city it took its rest And there it did both stand and stay, Right over the house where our Lord lay.

Then entered in those wise men three, With reverence, upon their knee, And offered up, in his presence, Both gold and myrrh and frankincense.

Between an ox-manger and an ass, Our blest Messiah's place it was; To save our souls from sin and thrall, He is the Redeemer of us all.