

Spring

Poem: William Blake 1789

Setting: David Avshalomov (2001)

Allegretto = 86

with joy

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B

f Sound the flute! *p* Sound the flute! *p* Now it's mute *mp* Birds de-light

p (* no "H's") *p* *mp*

mp Now it's mute. *mp* Birds de-

mp *mp* Birds de-light

8

Day and Night Night - in - gale in the dale *mf* Lark in sky

mf Mer*-ri-ly Mer-ry, Mer-ry

light Day and night - in - gale in dale *mf* Mer*-ry, Mer-ry, Mer-ry,
(*single flipped "R

Day and Night Night - in - gale in the dale *mf* Mer-ry, Mer-ry,

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mer - ri-ly Mer-ri - ly Mer - ri-ly to wel - come in the Year, *p* Mer-ri-ly Mer - ri - ly to

Mer - ri - ly, Mer-ri - ly Mer - ri-ly to wel - come in the Year, *p* Mer-ri-ly Mer - ri - ly to

Mer - ri - ly Mer-ri - ly Mer - ri-ly to wel - come in the Year, *p* Mer-ri-ly Mer - ri - ly to

Mer - ri - ly Mer-ri - ly Mer - ri-ly to wel - come in the Year, *p* Mer-ri - ly Mer - ri - ly to

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wel - come in the Year. *mp* Full _____ of Joy

wel - come in the Year. *mf* Lit - tle Boy *mp* Full of Joy

mp Lit - tle Boy *mp*

26

mp Lit - tle Girl sweet and small, cock does crow so do you.

mp Mer - ry,

mp Lit - tle Girl sweet and small does crow _____ so do you. *mf* Mer - ry voice

mp so do you. Mer - ry in - fant noise,

32

mp Mer - ry mer - ry in - fant noise _____ *f* Mer - ri - ly, Mer - ri - ly to wel - come in the Year,

mer - ry mer - ry in - fant noise _____ *f* Mer - ri - ly, Mer - ri - ly to wel - come in the Year, _____

noise _____ *f* Mer - ri - ly, Mer - ri - ly to wel - come in the Year,

mer - ry mer - ry mer - ry noise _____ *f* Mer - ri - ly, Mer - ri - ly to wel - come in the Year _____

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p Mer - ri - ly, Mer - ri - ly to wel - come in the Year. *p* Li - tle Lamb

p Mer - ri - ly, Mer - ri - ly to wel - come in the Year. *p* Lit - tle

p Mer - ri - ly Mer - ri - ly to wel - come in the Year. *p* Lit - tle

p Mer - ri - ly Mer - ri - ly to wel - come in the Year.

42

p here I am, *cresc.* come and lick my white neck.

Lamb *p* *cresc.*

Lamb *p* here I am, *cresc.* Come and lick my white neck. Let me *cresc.*

p Lit - tle Lamb

48

Let me pull your soft wool. *mf* Let me kiss

mf Let me kiss Let me kiss

pull your soft wool. *mf* Let me kiss. *mf* Let me kiss your soft

mf Let me kiss

53

your face Mer - ri - ly Mer - ri - ly we wel - come in the Year,
 your soft face Mer - ri - ly Mer - ri - ly we wel - come in the Year
 face Mer - ri - ly Mer - ri - ly we wel - come in the Year,
 your soft face Mer - ri - ly Mer - ri - ly we wel - come in the Year,

Poco Riten.

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p Mer - ri - ly Mer - ri - ly we wel - come in the Year. *f* Wel - come in the Year!
p Mer - ri - ly Mer - ri - ly we wel - come in the Year *f* Wel - come in the Year!
p Mer - ri - ly Mer - ri - ly we wel - come in the Year *f* Wel - come in the Year!
p Mer - ri - ly Mer - ri - ly we wel - come in the Year *f* Wel - come in the Year!

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