

TTBB Divisi

Christmas Song

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Recorded by Dave Matthews

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Arranged by
Christopher Alexander

TTBB Divisi and Solos, a cappella

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About the Work

This song by Dave Matthews touches at the heart of the holiday season with a worldly view that connects the Christmas story and our own lives together. This arrangement features three (3) soloists with an accompanying chorus, creating intricate voice leading and pop-style harmonic builds that your tenor-bass choir will enjoy singing. When the chorus takes over the melody and expands into an eight-part texture that richly supports the lyrics. This rewarding work will delight the audience at your next holiday concert.

About the Arranger



Mr. Christopher Alexander is an award-winning composer and arranger from St. Joseph, Missouri. He received his Bachelor of Science in Vocal Music Education degree from Missouri Western State University in 2007. A self-taught pianist, his compositions and arrangements range from instrumental works to vocal solo and choral literature. Mr. Alexander has been commissioned numerous times by singing groups and church choirs within the northwest Missouri and northeast Kansas regions. He is also active in musical theatre productions as a music director and pianist. His works have been published with GIA Music Publications and Hal Leonard.

In 2016, he was awarded the St. Joseph Allied Arts Council Mayor's Award for Artist of the Year. In 2022, he was inducted into the New Generation Singers Hall of Fame.

Mr. Alexander currently serves as the pianist and primary arranger for The New Generation Singers, a Christian singing youth group based in St. Joseph, Missouri. He is a member of NAFME, ACDA, MCDA, and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Fraternity.

He is available for commissions and conducting events on request.

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Words and Music by
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Andante moderato (♩ = c. 88)

p *sim.*

TENOR I

Ooh *sim.*

TENOR II

Ooh *sim.*

BARITONE

Ooh *sim.*

BASS

Ooh

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SOLO #1
mp

She was his girl, he was her boy - friend. *ooh*

div.

Ooh *ooh*

Ooh *ooh*

Ooh *ooh*

Ooh *ooh*

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She'd be his wife and make him her hus - band. A sur-prise

unis. *ooh* *div.* *ooh*

ooh *ooh*

ooh *ooh*

ooh *ooh*

ooh

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with a little movement

on the way an - y day, an - y day. One health - y lit - tle gig - gling, drib - bling

with a little movement
unis.

Doo doo doo doo doo doo

with a little movement

Doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

with a little movement

Doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

with a little movement

Doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

16

ba - by Boy. — The wise men came, — three made their way — to

do *do* *do* *do* *do* *do*

do *do* *do* *do* *do* *do*

do *do* — *do* *do* *do* *do* *do* *do* *do* — *do* *do*

do *do* *do* *do*

19

show - er Him — with love while he lad in the hay. Show-er Him with

do *do* *do* *do*

do *do* *do* *do*

do *do* *do* *do* *do* *do* — *do* *do*

do *do* *do*

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mf

love, love _____ love, _____ love, love, _____ love.

mf

Love, love _____ love, _____ doo doo doo doo doo love, _____ love, _____ love,

mf

Love, love _____ love, _____ doo doo doo doo doo love, love, _____ love,

mf

Love, love _____ love, _____ doo doo doo doo doo love, _____ love,

mf

Love, love _____ love, _____ doo doo, love, love, _____ love,

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26

_____ Love, love _____ was all a-round. _____

mp

_____ ooh _____ love, love. _____ Ooh _____

mp

_____ ooh _____ love, love. _____ Ooh _____

mp

_____ ooh _____ love, love. _____ Ooh _____

mp

_____ ooh _____ love, love. _____ Ooh _____

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al-ways out on His own. He met a-no-ther Ma-ry, who for a rea-son-a-ble fee,

doo doo doo doo doo doo

doo doo doo doo doo doo

doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

doo doo doo doo

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less than re - pu - ta - ble was known to be. His heart was full of love, love love,

doo doo doo doo Love, love love,

doo doo doo doo Love love love,

doo doo doo doo doo doo doo Love, love love,

doo doo doo Love, love love,

mf

mf

mf

mf