

Stars Were Gleaming



Smoothly ♩ = 80-88

G D7 G D7

1. Stars were gleam - ing, shep - herds dream - ing; And the night was dark and
2. See the clear - ness and the near - ness Of the bless - ed Christ - mas

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chill. An - gels' sto - ry rang with glo - ry; Shep - herds heard it on the
star, Lead - ing, guid - ing; wise men rid - ing Through the des - ert dark and

G C D Em

hill. Ah, that sing - ing! Hear it ring - ing, Earth - ward wing - ing, Christ - mas
far. Love - ly show - ing, shin - ing, grow - ing, On - ward go - ing, gleam - ing,

p *mp* *mf* *f*

D7 G D7 Em Am D7 G

bring - ing! Hear - ken! We can hear it still!
glow - ing, Lead - ing still, our Christ - mas star!

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Luke 2:8-14
Matthew 2:1-2