

# We Three Kings

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*Moderately*

Emi. B<sup>7</sup> Emi.

1. We three kings of O - ri - ent are, Bear - ing  
 2. Born a King on Beth - le - hem's plain, Gold I  
 (Melchior):

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B<sup>7</sup> Emi. D

gifts we trav - erse a - far, Field and foun - tain,  
 bring to crown Him a - gain, King for - ev - er,

G Ami. Emi. B<sup>7</sup> Emi.

moor and moun - - tain, Fol - low - ing yon - - der star.  
 ceas - ing nev - - er, O - ver us all to reign.

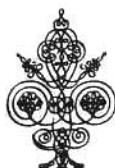
*Refrain*

D<sup>7</sup> G C G  
 O, \_\_\_\_\_ star of won - der, star of night,  
 G C G Emi. D G  
 Star with roy - al beau - ty bright, West - ward lead - ing,  
 C G D G C G D.C.  
 still pro - ceed - ing, Guide us to thy per - fect light.

D.C.

## 3. (Caspar):

Frankincense to offer have I,  
 Incense owns a Deity nigh;  
 Prayer and praising, all men raising,  
 Worship Him, God on high. (*Refrain*)



## 4. (Balthazar):

Myrrh is mine, its bitter perfume  
 Breathes a life of gathering gloom;  
 Sorrowing, sighing, bleeding, dying,  
 Sealed in the stone-cold tomb. (*Refrain*)

## 5. (All):

Glorious now behold Him arise,  
 King and God and sacrifice;  
 Alleluia, alleluia:  
 Earth to the heavens replies. (*Refrain*)

