

7. The Huron Carol

St Jean de Brebeuf (c.1643)
trans. Jesse Edgar Middleton (1872–1960)

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(b. 1955)

Flowing ♩ = 76

SOPRANO
ALTO

mf unis.

1. 'Twas in the moon of win-ter-time when

TENOR

p

ah _____ *ah* _____

BASS

p

ah _____ *ah* _____

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all the birds had fled, that might-y Git-chi Man-i-tou sent an-gel choirs in-stead; be-

ah _____

ah _____ *ah* _____

7 **poco rit.**

-fore their light the stars grew dim, and wan-d'ring hun-ters heard the hymn:—

ah _____

9 **a tempo**

Je - sus your King is born, Je - sus is born, in ex - cel - sis glo - ri - a.

pp
ah

pp
ah

S. *p*
ah *ah*

A. *p*
ah *ah*

T. *mf unis.*

B. 2. With - in a lodge of bro - ken bark the ten - der babe was found, a

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rag - ged robe of rab - bit skin en - wrapped his beau - ty round; but

16 **poco rit.**

ah

ah

as the hun - ter braves drew nigh, the an - gel song rang loud and high: ___

a tempo

18 *mf*

S. A. Je - sus your King is born, Je - sus is born, in ex - cel - sis glo - ri - a.

T. B.

20 *mp*

S. 3. The ear-liest moon of win-ter-time is not so round and fair as was the ring of glo-ry on the

A* *mp*

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T. B.

24 **poco rit.**

help-less in-fant there. The chiefs from far be-fore him knelt with gifts of fox and bea-ver pelt...

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T. B.

27 **a tempo**

SEMICHORUS

unis. mf

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S. A. Je - sus your King is born, Je - sus is born, in ex - cel - sis glo - ri - a.

T. B. *mf*

* or Tenor at pitch.