

# HOW FAR IS IT TO BETHLEHEM

West Country Carol

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STOWEY  
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**Allegretto semplice**

*mp* S, A

How - far is it to - Beth - le-hem? Not ver - y far. - Shall

*mp* T, B

6

we find - the sta - ble room Lit - by - a - star? Can

*mf*

10

we see the lit - tle - child, Is - he - with - in? - If -

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14 *dim. e poco rit.* ***p***

we lift the wood - en latch, May we go in?

*dim. e poco rit.* ***p***

**Dolce**  
*Treble solo (or trebles)*

18

May we stroke the creatures there, Ox, ass or

*\* (hum)*

21

sheep? May we peep like them and find Je - sus a -

*\*Or instrumental accompaniment*