

Simeon

Erzählend, nicht schleppend

Narrativo, non strascinando

Gesang
Voice

Pianoforte

p

*immer gebunden
sempre legato*

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Das Knäb-lein nach acht Ta - gen Ward nach Je - ru - sa -
The in - fant af - ter eight days Un - to Je - ru - sa -

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-lem Zum Got - tes - haus ge - tra - gen Vom Stall in Beth - le - hem.
-lem Was ta - ken by his pa - rents From the stall in Beth - le - hem.

Da kommt ein Greis ge - schrit - ten, Der from - me Si - me - on, Ernimmt in Tem - pels
 Then came an a - ged fa - ther, The pi - ous Si - me - on, And in the sa - cred

Mit - ten Vom Mut - ter - armden Sohn; Vom An - ge - sicht des Al - ten Ein Strahl der Freu - de
 tem - ple Be - held the in - fant son; And now his face il - lu - mined With ray of won - drous

bricht, Er prei - set Got - tes Wal - ten Weis - sa - gungs - voll und spricht;
 love, He speaks as though a pro - phet Prai - sing his God a - bove;

cresc. *poco rit.*

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"Nun läs-sest du in Frie - den, Herr, dei-nen Die-ner gehn, Da dumir noch be -
 "Now let-test Thou Thy ser - vant Peace-ful - ly, Lord, de - part, For he has seen the

a tempo

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-schie - den, Den Hei - land an - zu - sehn, Den du zur Welt ge - sen - det,
 Sa - viour, And hap - py is his heart; Thus to the world Thou'st sent him

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Dass er dem Hei - den - tum Des Lich - tes Hel - le spen - det Zu dei - nes Vol - kes
 That he a hea - then race, Re - deem - ing with his glo - ry, May bright - en with his

Ruhm!"
grace!"

Mit
With

f

p dim.

froh er - staun - tem Sin - nen Ver - nimmt's der El - tern Paar, Dann tra - gen sie von
won - d'ring looks they heard it, The pa - rents of the boy, And then they bore him

p

hin - nen das Knäb - lein wun - der - bar.
thi - ther, O'er - come with si - lent joy.

poco rit.

pp