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# Stille Nacht

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SATB with some divisi a cappella

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June Nixon is Organist Emerita at St. Paul's Cathedral, Melbourne, Australia, where she served as Director of Music for forty years. Her influence outside the Anglican Church was recognized in 1995 by the Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne awarding her the Percy Jones Award for "outstanding dedication and service given to music for worship." She was made a Member (AM) in the General Division of the Queen's Birthday Honours in 1998 for services to church music. In 1999, the Archbishop of Canterbury conferred on her the Lambeth Degree, Doctor of Music (Cantuar), and in 2013 she was awarded Associate of the Royal School of Church Music (ARSCM).

She is a widely published composer, writing music which is accessible and enjoyable for both musicians and listeners. Her works have been recorded by several English and American Cathedral choirs, and her arrangement of the traditional carol "The Holly and the Ivy" was included in the Nine Lessons and Carols from King's College, Cambridge in 2010.

For the choir of St. Paul's Cathedral, Melbourne

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Joseph Mohr (1792-1849)

Franz Gruber (1787-1863)

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The musical score is for the Christmas carol 'Stille Nacht' (Silent Night). It is arranged for SATB choir with piano accompaniment. The score is in G major and 6/8 time. The tempo is marked 'p' (piano). The lyrics are: 'Stil - le Nacht, hei - li - ge Nacht! Al - les schläft, ein - sam wacht'. The score includes staves for Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass, and Piano (rehearsal only). The piano part consists of a simple accompaniment in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The lyrics are written below the vocal staves.

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Piano (reh. only)

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Nur das trau-te, hoch-hei-li-ge Paar, Hol-der Kna-be im lock-i-gen Haar,

Nur das trau-te, hoch-hei-li-ge Paar, Hol-der Kna-be im lock-i-gen Haar,

Nur das trau-te, hoch-hei-li-ge Paar, Hol-der Kna-be im lock-i-gen Haar,

Nur das trau-te, hoch-hei-li-ge Paar, Hol-der Kna-be im lock-i-gen Haar,

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Schlaf in himm-li-scher Ruh! Schlaf in himm-li scher Ruh!

Schlaf in himm-li-scher Ruh! Schlaf in himm-li scher Ruh!

Schlaf in himm-li-scher Ruh! Schlaf in himm-li scher Ruh!

Schlaf in himm-li-scher Ruh! Schlaf in himm-li-scher Ruh!

13 *p* *pp*

Stil - le Nacht, Hei - li - ge Nacht! Ah\_\_\_\_\_

*mf*

Stil - le Nacht, Hei - li - ge Nacht! Hir - ten erst kund ge - macht,

*mf*

Stil - le Nacht, Hei - li - ge Nacht! Hir - ten erst kund ge - macht,

*mf*

Stil - le Nacht, Hei - li - ge Nacht! Hir - ten erst kund ge - macht,

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Ah\_\_\_\_\_ Ah\_\_\_\_\_ Ah\_\_\_\_\_

Durch der En - gel Hal - le - lu - ja, Ah\_\_\_\_\_

Durch der En - gel Hal - le - lu - ja, Tönt es laut von fern und nah':

Durch der En - gel Hal - le - lu - ja, Tönt es laut von fern und nah':

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21 *mp*  
 Christ, der Ret - ter, ist da!

*mp*  
 Christ, der Ret - ter, ist da!

*mp*  
 Christ, der Ret - ter, ist da!

*mp*  
 Christ, der Ret - ter, ist da!

*pp*  
 Stil - le Nacht, hei - li - ge Nacht! Got - tes Sohn, O wie lacht

*pp*  
 Stil - le Nacht, hei - li - ge Nacht! Got - tes Sohn, O wie lacht

*pp*  
 hei - li - ge Nacht! Got - tes Sohn, O wie lacht

*pp*  
 hei - li - ge Nacht! Got - tes Sohn, O wie lacht

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Lieb' aus dei - nem gött-li - chen Mund, Da uns schlägt die ret-ten-de Stund,

Lieb' aus dei - nem gött-li - chen Mund, Da uns schlägt die ret-ten-de Stund,

Lieb' aus dei - nem gött-li - chen Mund, Da uns schlägt die ret-ten-de Stund,

Lieb' aus dei - nem gött-li - chen Mund, Da uns schlägt die ret-ten-de Stund,

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*rall.*  
*p*

Christ, in dei - ner Ge - burt, Christ, in dei - ner Ge - burt.

*p*

Christ, in dei - ner Ge - burt, Christ, in dei - ner Ge - burt.

*p*

Christ, in dei - ner Ge - burt. Christ, in dei - ner Ge - burt.

*p*

Christ, in dei - ner Ge - burt, Christ, in dei - ner Ge - burt.

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