

While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks

Nahum Tate (1652-1715)

OPTIONAL INTRODUCTION
(not shown in vocal score)

Arranged for orchestra by **David Willcocks**,
arranged for band by Paul Noble

In moderate time $\text{A} = 80$

Verse 1

The musical score consists of two systems of music. The first system, labeled 'Verse 1', begins with an optional introduction followed by a section for woodwind instruments (Piccolo, Flutes, Oboe, English Horn, Bassoon, Contrabassoon) and brass instruments (Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, Alto and Tenor Saxophones). The vocal line is provided by a 'Choir'. The second system continues with brass instruments (Trumpets, Trombones, Bass Trombone, Euphonium, Tuba, Double Bass, Timpani) and concludes with a dynamic section for Snare Drum and Cymbals.

Verse 1

1. While shep - herds watched their flocks by night, all

Choir

Brass Instruments:

- Trumpet in B♭ 1
- Trumpet in B♭ 2
- Trumpet in B♭ 3
- Horn in F 1, 2
- Horn in F 3, 4
- Trombone 1
- Trombone 2
- Bass Trombone
- Euphonium
- Tuba
- Double Bass
- Timpani
- Snare Drum
- Cymbals