

O Little Town Of Bethlehem

(as recorded on the PraiseCharts album "PraiseCarols: Christmas Carols for Contemporary Worship")

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Easy Gospel Funk $\text{♩} = 86$

*Piano + Bass, BD + pulsed 16th note HH groove,
E.G. muted pluck fills -
2x add Organ*

2 *W.L. solo (or unis.)* 1

1. O lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem, how still we see thee
Christ is born of Ma - ry, and gath - ered all a -

lie, a - bove thy deep and dream - less sleep, the si - lent stars go
bove, while mor - tals sleep, the an - gels keep their watch of won - d'ring

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by. Yet in thy dark street shin - eth the ev - er - last - ing
love. O morn - ing stars to - geth - er, pro - claim the ho - ly

Light. The hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee to -
birth; and prai - ses sing to God the King, and peace to men on

1 - Repeat to Verse

night. 2. For earth.

1a

3. How si - lent - ly, how

Lead Sheet

(Melody)

Key: E \flat -E-F

30¹ *A*/*E* *F#m7* *Bsus* *E* *E7*/*D* *C#7sus* *C#7*
 si - lent - ly, the won - drous gift is giv'n. So God im - parts to

34¹ *F#m7* *A* *Ama7*/*B* *B6* *A6*/*B* *E* *B*/*D#* **2a** *C#m*
 hu - man hearts the bles - sings of His heav'n. No ear may hear His

38¹ *G#m7* *F#m7* *F#m7*/*E* *D#m9* *D#m7*/*G#* *G#7* *C#m7* *C#7*
 com - ing, but in this world of sin, where meek souls will re -

42¹ *F#m7* *A* *E*/*B* *Bsus* *E* *E2* *E* *A*/*E*
 ceive Him still, the dear Christ en - ters in.

46¹ *D*/*E* *A*/*E* *E \flat* /*F* *B \flat* /*C* *All - octaves* **1b** *F2* *funkier 16th note feel* *B \flat* /*F* *Am7*
 Drum fill - - - - -
 O ho - ly Child of Beth - le - hem, de -

50¹ *Gm7* *C7sus* *Em7(b5)* *E \flat 9(#11)* *D7sus* *D7*/*F#* *Gm7* *Gm*/*B \flat* *C7sus* *C13*
 scend to us, we pray, cast out our sin, and en - ter in, be born in us to -

55¹ *F* *A7sus* *A7* **2b** *Dm7* *Em7(b5)* *A7* *band in* *B \flat ma7* *Gm7*
 day. We hear the Christ - mas an - gels the great glad tid - ings

59¹ *A* *A7* *Drum fill - - - - -* *Dsus* *D7* *Gm7* *Bm7(b5)* *F*/*C* *B \flat* /*C*
 tell. O come to us, a bide with us, our Lord Em -

63¹ *Gm9* *Gm7*/*C* *Drum fill - - - - -* **Tag** *F* *big ride cymb* *time to end* *B \flat* /*F* *E \flat* /*F* *B \flat* /*C* *F2* *(ring out)*
 Rit. *Drum fill - - - - -*
 man - - - u - el!