



# Bernard Dewagtere

France, SIN LE NOBLE

## The First Nowell (The First Noel) Traditional

### About the artist

Doctor in musicology, conductor and composer.

Compositions and arrangements from all eras, in all styles or musical genres and for any instrument or vocal training.

**Qualification:** PhD Musicology

**Associate:** SACEM - IPI code of the artist : 342990

**Artist page :** <https://www.free-scores.com/Download-PDF-Sheet-Music-bernard-dewagtere.htm>

### About the piece



**Title:** The First Nowell [The First Noel]

**Composer:** Traditional

**Arranger:** Dewagtere, Bernard

**Copyright:** Copyright © Dewagtere, Bernard

**Instrumentation:** Guitar and/or piano or organ

**Style:** Christmas - Carols

**Comment:** The First Nowell (also written The First Noëll) is a traditional classical English carol, most likely from the 18th century, although possibly earlier. In its current form it is of Cornish origin, and it was first published in Carols Ancient and Modern (1823) and Gilbert and Sandys Carols (1833), both of which were edited by William B. Sandys and arranged, edited and with extra lyrics written by Davies Gilbert Hymns and Carols of God. (Wikipedi... (more online)

Bernard Dewagtere on [free-scores.com](https://www.free-scores.com)

#### LICENSE

This sheet music requires an authorization  
- for public performances  
- for use by teachers

**Buy this license at :**

<https://www.free-scores.com/licence-partition-uk.php?partition=39146>



- listen to the audio
- share your interpretation
- comment
- pay the licence
- contact the artist

Prohibited distribution on other website.

# The First Nowell

Traditional English carol (18th century)

Arr. : Bernard Dewagtere

Guitare

The \_\_\_ First \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ el, the \_\_\_  
look \_\_\_ ed \_\_\_ up and \_\_\_

Piano

E m C G D7 G D7 G D A m

Guit.

An - gels did say was to cer-tain poor she - pherds in fields as they lay; In \_\_\_ fields \_\_\_ where \_\_\_  
saw \_\_\_ a star shi - ning in \_\_\_ the East \_\_\_ be - yond \_\_\_ them far; and \_\_\_ to \_\_\_ the \_\_\_

Pno

G C G A m G A m G A m G D7 G

©2011Dewagtere

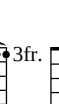
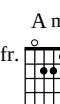
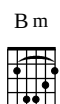
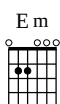
# The First Nowell

2  
14

they lay — kee - ping their sheep on a cold win-ter's night — that was — so deep. No —  
earth it — grave — great light and — so it con - ti - nued both day — and night. —

Guit.

they lay — kee - ping their sheep on a cold win-ter's night — that was — so deep. No —  
earth it — grave — great light and so it con - ti - nued both day — and night. —



14

Pno

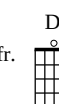
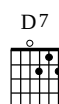
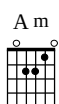
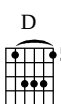
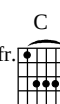
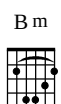
21

el, — No — el, No — el, No - el , born is the King — of Is — ra -

Guit.

21

el, — No — el, No — el, No - el , born is the King — of Is — ra -



21

Pno

# The First Nowell

3

28

1. 2.

ē! They — ē! This — star — drew — nigh to — the — north - west O'-er

Guit.

28

0 0 2 . 0 2 0 2 0 2 3 0 2 4 5 4 2 0 2 4

ē! They — ē! This — star — drew nigh to — the — north - west O'-er

G

3fr.

E

7fr.

A

5fr.

E

7fr.

B m

A

5fr.

D

5fr.

A

5fr.

B m

Pno

28

34

Be — thle - hem — it took — its rest; And — there — it — did both — Pause — and

Guit.

34

5 4 2 0 2 4 5 0 3 2 2 0 2 0 2 3 0 2 4 5 4 2

Be — thle - hem it took — its rest; And — there — it — did both — Pause — and

A

5fr.

B m

5fr.

A

5fr.

B m

5fr.

A

5fr.

E 7

A

5fr.

F#m

C#m B m

Pno

34

# The First Nowell

4  
41

stay right o' - er the place where Je sus lay. No el, No el, No

Guit.

0 2 4 5 4 2 0 2 4 5 0 3 2 2 0 2 0 2 3 0 5 4

stay right o' - er the place where Je sus lay. No el, No el, No

C#m Bm A Bm A E A E A E A C#m A

4fr. 4fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 7fr. 5fr. 7fr. 5fr. 7fr. 5fr. 4fr. 5fr.

Pno

48

el, No - el, born is the King of Is ra - ël, No Is ra - ël!

Guit.

2 2 0 5 4 2 0 2 4 5 0 3 2 2 0 5 0 4 5

el, No - el, born is the King of Is ra - ël, No Is ra - ël!

D A E F#m Bm A E7 A E7 A A E7 A

5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr. 5fr.

Pno

rit.