

The First Noel

Instrumental Solo and Piano
E-flat Alto Saxophone

Traditional English Carol
arranged by Molly Ijames

SOLO

With Joy *a tempo*

poco rit. *mp*

11

17

23 *mf*

29 *mp* *mp*

41

47 *melody* *mf*

The musical score is written for E-flat Alto Saxophone in 3/4 time. It begins with a 'SOLO' instruction. The first staff contains a 7-measure rest followed by the start of the melody. Performance markings include 'With Joy', 'a tempo', 'poco rit.', and dynamic markings of 'mp' and 'mf'. The score is divided into systems of staves, with measure numbers 11, 17, 23, 29, 41, and 47 indicated at the start of their respective staves. A large red watermark 'PREVIEW' is overlaid diagonally across the page.

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53 *f*

59 *ff*

65 *mf* *mp* *ritard.*

73 *a tempo* *poco ritard.* *p* *pp*

The musical score consists of four staves of music in G minor. The first staff (measures 53-58) features a melodic line with a dynamic marking of *f*. The second staff (measures 59-64) begins with a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic and includes a crescendo hairpin. The third staff (measures 65-72) contains a triplet of eighth notes, with dynamics *mf* and *mp*, and a *ritard.* marking. The fourth staff (measures 73-78) starts with *a tempo*, includes a *poco ritard.* marking, and ends with a decrescendo hairpin leading to a pianissimo (*pp*) dynamic.

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