

Big Night in a Small Town

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Verse1

Just an ordinary day
That's how it began
We could never have dreamed
what heaven had planned
With so many ways that a Savior could come
It's still hard to imagine
That's how God sent His Son

Chorus

It was a big night in a small town (reach arms up, down, up, down, roll arms down, up)
Bethlehem was buzzin' with the story goin' round (step together step touch right hands by shoulders shaking, then to the left point index fingers up and circling)
There were angels in the heavens (step out and lift arms up to "V")
A star was shining down (reach arms up to right diagonal (hands facing each other), then pull left arm down diagonally)
It was a big night (reach arms up, down, up, down)
A big night (reach right arm up, left arm up)
in a small town (roll arms down, up, down, up)

Verse2

There were shepherds who were there
In search of a King
Looking like they'd been scared
By something they'd seen
Too many trav'lers
And no place to rest
Well there's more to the story
But you gotta know this

Chorus

Bridge

O Little town of Bethlehem
How still we see thee lie
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep
The silent stars go by

(Repeat Chorus)

Baa Baa Bethlehem

Dave Clark

Verse

If the sheep could talk
And they could tell us everything they saw
What they heard and even what they thought
On the night the angel came
Would the words they use
sound the same as me and you
Would we be laughing if we knew
What only they could say

Chorus

Baa baa Bethlehem (clap hands to right shoulder, left shoulder, right hip, left hip)
How come the shepherd men (push hands upward to right diagonal 2 times, then left 2 times)
Left us on the hillside (clap hands to right shoulder, left shoulder, right hip, left hip)
We should'a followed them (push hands upward to right diagonal 2 times, then left 2 times)
Baa baa Baby King (clap hands to right shoulder, left shoulder, right hip, left hip)
They went to worship Him (praying hands at chest and bow forward)
That's where we would have been (clap hands to right shoulder, left shoulder, right hip, left hip)
Baa Baa (bend forward and shake head for "Baa's")
In baa baa Bethlehem (reach right arm up, left arm up, then both together down, up, down)

Verse

Would we recognize
the story we've heard all our lives
If we could see it through their eyes
If we could hear them say

Chorus

Bridge

Dialog spoken over bridge section
While choir repeats the hook line

(Repeat Chorus)

Come and See What's Happenin'

Bill and Gloria Gaither, Woody Wright, Michael Sykes

[On this song, you only need to learn the choruses]

Verse

Must have been sometime `bout close to midnight
A big ole' guy came knockin' at my door
He said his wife was `bout to have a baby
And she just couldn't travel anymore.
I said the rooms had all been rented out
But they'd find shelter out there in the barn
They could throw some blankets in the stable;
At least, they would be dry and safe from harm.

Chorus

Come and see what's happenin' in the barn! (arms motion coming in towards the body, then hit right thigh with right hand, left thigh with left hand, then clap repeat this three times)

I've seen nothin' like this since I've been on this farm! (right arm over eyes moving body right to left, then reverse with left hand over eyes moving left to right)

Those strangers that camped out there have a baby in their arms (step touch arms reach forward and pull down to sides, right then left, fold arms like holding a baby and swing right, left, right, left)

Come and see what's happenin' in the barn! (arms motion coming in towards the body, then hit right thigh with right hand, left thigh with left hand, then clap repeat this three times)

Verse

Sometime before dawn I was awakened
Light was floodin' through the windowpane
A star as bright as moonlight was a shinin'
And pretty music I could not explain
I ran downstairs to have a look around
I tell you I could not believe my eyes
A crowd had gathered all around the manger
And they were talkin' `bout God's big surprise.

Chorus

Come and see what's happenin' in the barn! (Repeat choreography from above)

I've seen nothin' like this since I've been on this farm!

Those strangers that camped out there have a baby in their arms

Come and see what's happenin' in the barn!

Gratitude Medley

Verse

Away in a manger no crib for a bed
The little Lord Jesus lay down His sweet head
The stars in the sky looked down where He lay
The little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay

Verse

Be near me Lord Jesus I ask Thee to stay
Close by me forever and Love me I pray
Bless all the dear children in Thy tender care
And take us to heaven to live with You there

Chorus

So I throw up my hands and praise You again and again (left arms up, sign for “praise” clapping hands together and circling around to clap again (clap 3 times)
‘cause all that I have is a Hallelujah! Hallelujah! (cross hands at chest, sign for “hallelujah” clap hands, then index fingers lifted and bent forward circling in an upward motion then open hands straight up, repeat each time they sing that word)
And I know it’s not much but I’ve nothing else fit for a king (with arms still up sway right and left, swipe arms out to the sides, both hands come to head as if putting on a crown)
Except for a heart singin’ Hallelujah! Hallelujah! (hands cross at heart, and repeat sign for “Hallelujah” twice)

Chorus

O come let us Adore Him (sign for “come” both index fingers coming towards the body, sign for “adore” with hands in fists knuckles together and thumbs beside each other make circular motion coming into the body)
O come let us Adore Him (repeat above motions)
O come let us Adore Him (repeat)
Christ the Lord (sign for “Christ” with right hand make a C and move it to left shoulder and then across the body to right hip, and the sign for “Lord” is the same motion making an L with the right hand)

Chorus

For He alone is worthy (lift right hand up, sign for “worthy” both hands thumb and index finger are touching other three fingers are up, start with hands low and circle up until hands touch each other)
For He alone is worthy (repeat above)

For He alone is worthy (repeat)

Christ the Lord (sign for “Christ” with right hand make a C and move it to left shoulder and then across the body to right hip, and the sign for “Lord” is the same motion making an L with the right hand)

All Over Again

Dave Clark

Verse

We’ve all heard the story
Of the way that Jesus came
How they laid the tiny Savior
In a manger filled with hay
Shepherds came to see Him
Wisemen brought their gifts
But what the story was back then
Well that’s still what it is

Chorus

He’s still waiting (step touch reach right arm up then pull down)
He’s still saving (step touch reach left arm up then pull down)
He’s still calling us today (step out hands frame mouth)
He’s still moving (step touch reach right arm up then pull down)
He’s still proving (step touch reach left arm up then pull down)
He’s still worthy of our praise (sign for “worthy”, sign for “praise”)
Every time a seeker comes and gives their heart to Him (repeat step touches, cross arms at chest and then lift both arms up)
That’s where the Christmas story starts all over again (repeat step touches, cross arms low and circle arms and open up lifted in a “V”)

Bridge (2x)

Go tell it (tell it on the mountain) (scoop arms as you step right, together, right, touch and clap)
Go tell it (tell in the streets) (same choreography to the left)
Go tell the Christmas story (repeat to the right)
To everyone you meet (repeat to the left)

Repeat Chorus

