

# THE FIRST NOEL

TRAD, ARR: DAVID WILLCOCKS

**C Am G F C F C**  
THE FIRST NOEL, THE ANGELS DID SAY  
**F C F C F G C G7 C G**  
WAS TO CERTAIN POOR SHEPHERDS IN FIELDS AS THEY LAY  
**C Am G F C F C**  
IN FIELDS WHERE THEY LAY KEEPING THEIR SHEEP  
**F C F C F G C G7 C G**  
ON A COLD WINTER'S NIGHT, THAT WAS SO DEEP

CHORUS:

**G7 C Am Em C F C G**  
NOEL, NOEL, NOEL, NOEL  
**Am F C G C G7 C**  
BORN IS THE KING OF ISRAEL

**C Am G F C F C**  
THEY LOOKED UP AND SAW A STAR  
**F C F C F G C G7 C G**  
SHINING BRIGHT IN THE EAST BEYOND AND FAR  
**C Am G F C F C**  
AND TO THE EARTH IT GAVE GREAT LIGHT  
**F C F C F G C G7 C G**  
AND SO IT CONTINUED BOTH DAY AND NIGHT

**C Am G F C F C**  
AND BY THE LIGHT OF THE SAME STAR  
**F C F C F G C G7 C G**  
THREE WISE MEN CAME FROM COUNTRY FAR  
**C Am G F C F C**  
TO SEEK FOR A KING WAS THEIR INTENT  
**F C F C F G C G7 C G**  
AND TO FOLLOW THE STAR WHEREVER IT WENT

**C Am G F C F C**  
THEN LET US ALL, WITH ONE ACCORD  
**F C F C F G C G7 C G**  
SING PRAISES TO OUR HEAVENLY LORD  
**C Am G F C F C**  
THAT HATH MADE HEAVEN AND EARTH OF NAUGHT  
**F C F C F G C G7 C G**  
AND WITH HIS BLOOD MANKIND HATH BOUGHT