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The Red Lantern

(Shine On Red Lantern)

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Moderato

Till voice

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a rhythmic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The tempo is marked 'Moderato' and the dynamics range from piano to mezzo-forte.

The Chin-ese tell a stor-y That's full of mys-tic glo-ry, Of the O-ri-ent, a
From Eng-lish sire de-scended Her blood with Chin-a blend-ed, Eyes of Sax-on blue,

The vocal line begins with a quarter rest followed by a series of eighth and quarter notes. The piano accompaniment consists of chords in the right hand and a rhythmic pattern in the left hand.

tale of won-der-ment; By the Tem-ple Walls each night, They burn a red, red
skin of yel-low hue; At the call of war's com-mand, Her heart turned to her

The vocal line continues with a similar melodic pattern. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the left hand and chords in the right hand.

lan-tern bright, To their an-cient war-ri-or-maid they pray.
Moth-er-land, Ev-er-more they hon-or her and say.

The vocal line concludes with a long note. The piano accompaniment includes a 'cresc.' marking and a 'ff' dynamic, leading to a more active accompaniment.

CHORUS

Shine on Red Lan-tern, through the gloom-y night, O-ver fields of white, Shine on

The chorus begins with a vocal line that is repeated. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the left hand and chords in the right hand, marked with 'p.f'.

Red Lan-tern, o-ver pop-pies bright, Where she sleeps to-night, While tem-ple bells to the

God of war is call-ing, While thru the moon-light the yel-low dra-gon's crawl-ing, Come with

sword in hand, save your Chin-a land, Shine on Red Lan-tern,

send your sil-ver beams, O-ver hills and streams, Shine on Red Lan-tern till the morn-ing gleams,

Wake her from her dreams, Sound the tom tom till they come, Beat the cym-bal

and the drum, Shine on Red Lan-tern shine on.