



Christmas

Concert

19th December

2018

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No. 1 - Opening (A)

God bless all, good friends here, a very merry
Christmas and a happy new year. X2

No. 2 - I'm Gonna Sing (A)

I'm gonna sing, sing, sing; I'm gonna dance, dance,
dance; I'm gonna sing, I'm gonna dance, Allelu
When the gates are open wide, I'll be standing by your
side, I'm gonna sing, I'm gonna dance, Allelu.

Oh when the Saints, Oh when the Saints,
Oh when the Saints go marching in
I'm gonna be in that number
When the saints go marching in.

**Swing low sweet chariot,
Coming for to carry me home
Swing low sweet chariot,
Coming for to carry me home.**

No. 4 Do You Hear What I Hear (CD)

Said the night wind to the little lamb
Do you see what I see
Way up in the sky little lamb
Do you see what I see
A star, a star
Dancing in the night
With a tail as big as a kite X 2
**Said the little lamb to the Shepard boy
Do you hear what I hear
Ringing through the sky Shepard boy
Do you hear what I hear
A song, a song
High above the trees
With a voice as big as the sea X2**

Said the Shepard boy to the mighty king
Do you know what I know
In your palace wall mighty king
Do you know what I know
A child, a child
Shivers in the cold
Let us bring him silver and gold X2

Said the king to the people everywhere
Listen to what I say
Pray for peace people everywhere
Listen to what I say
The child, the child
Sleeping in the night
He will bring us goodness and light X2

No. 3 The Cradle Rocks (CD)

Pah Pah, Pah Pah Pah Pah da.

Pah Pah, Pah Pah Pah Pah X 2 (EVERYONE)

V1. The little cradle rocks tonight in glory X 4
(GROUP 1)

(GROUP 2) Pah Pah X

4

**Telling of the Son of God X 3
(EVERYONE)**

His name we glorify.

V2. Oh little Mary won't you rock that cradle
gently X4 (GROUP 1)

(GROUP 2) Pah Pah X

4

**Singing to the Son of God X 3 (EVERYONE)
A gentle lullaby**

CLICKS

V3. Now sing our praises glory be to Jesus X

4

Bringing us peace on earth X3

He is our God on High.

Da, Da, Da, Da, Da, nah, nah

No. 5 Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer (A)

Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer
Had a very shiny nose
And if you ever saw it
You would even say it glows
All of the other reindeer
Used to laugh and call him names
They never let poor Rudolph
Join in any reindeer games
Then one foggy Christmas Eve
Santa came to say
"Rudolph, with your nose so bright
Won't you guide my sleigh tonight?"
Then how the reindeer loved him
As they shouted out with glee
"Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer
You'll go down in history"

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6. Deck the halls with boughs of holly

Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la
'Tis the season to be jolly
Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la
Don we now our gay apparel
Fa-la-la, la-la-la, la-la-la
Troll the ancient Yule-tide carol
Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la

See the blazing Yule before us
Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la
Strike the harp and join the chorus
Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la
Follow me in merry measure
Fa-la-la, la-la-la, la-la-la
While I tell of Yule-tide treasure
Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la
Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la

9. Little Drummer Boy: Lyrics (A)

Come they told me, pa rum pum pum pum
A new born King to see, pa rum pum pum pum
Our finest gifts we bring, pa rum pum pum pum
To lay before the King, pa rum pum pum pum,
rum pum pum pum, rum pum pum pum,
So to honor Him, pa rum pum pum pum,
When we come.

Little Baby, pa rum pum pum pum
I am a poor boy too, pa rum pum pum pum
I have no gift to bring, pa rum pum pum pum
That's fit to give the King, pa rum pum pum pum,
rum pum pum pum, rum pum pum pum,
Shall I play for you, pa rum pum pum pum,
On my drum?

Mary nodded, pa rum pum pum pum
The ox and lamb kept time, pa rum pum pum pum
I played my drum for Him, pa rum pum pum pum
I played my best for Him, pa rum pum pum pum,
rum pum pum pum, rum pum pum pum,
Then He smiled at me, pa rum pum pum pum
Me and my drum.

7, READING

C is for the Christ Child, born upon this day,
H is for the Herald angels who led the shepherds on
their way.
R is for the robin, who kept the fire burning bright,
I is for the Innkeeper who gave them shelter for the
night.
S is for the North Star shining up above,
T is for the Three Wise Men who gave their gifts with
love.
M is for the manger where Jesus lay His head,
A is for the animals who stayed beside His bed.
S is for the songs we sing at this time of year to
celebrate the birth of Christ and all its festive cheer.

8. Way down in Bethlehem (A)

Oh there was a little baby, Oh my Lord X 3
Way down in Bethlehem x 2
And Mary was his mother, Oh my Lord X 3
Way down in Bethlehem x 2
And she laid him in a manger, Oh my Lord X 3
Way down in Bethlehem x 2
And she named him Jesus, Oh my Lord X 3
Way down in Bethlehem x 2
Sing Glory Hallelujah, Oh my Lord X 3
Way down in Bethlehem x 2

**10. The Christmas Story by Leanne Guenther
(Reading)**

Once upon a time, a long, long time ago,
Begins a story of a baby, That most of you should
know.

His Daddy's name was Joseph and Mary was his mom,
This babe was very special, He was God's only Son.

Some angels came from heaven, and they began to sing,
to the shepherds in the fields below, "Glad tidings we
do bring!"

A bright star lit the heavens, to light the Magi's way,
to the baby in the manger who was born on Christmas
Day.

And all who gathered round him, rejoiced and praised
his birth, for the babe, the King, named Jesus,
Is our Saviour here on Earth!

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11. Silent night, holy night (A)

All is calm and all is bright
Round yon virgin, mother and child
Holy infant, so tender and mild
Sleep in heavenly peace, ooh
Sleep, sleep in heaven, heavenly peace

Silent night, holy night
Shepherds quake at the sight
Glories streams from heaven afar
Heavenly hosts sing, alleluia
Christ the savior is born, he's born
Christ the savior is born

Silent night, holy night
Son of God, oh, love's pure light
Radiant beams from Thy holy face
With the dawn of redeeming grace
Jesus, Lord at Thy birth
Jesus, Lord at Thy birth
Jesus, Lord at Thy birth

13. Amhrán na n-Aoirí (CD)

E -F# G A-B A D- E F# G- A G E-F# G E- D E
E

V1. Oíche chiúin, oíche gheal Oíche naofa is iontach
Guí anocht i máinséar bhocht
Glóir do Dhia sna hairde.

All: Codail a Íosa, Codail a Íosa, Codail mo chara
chaomh. (x2)

E -F# G A-B A D- E F# G- A G E-F# G E- D E
E

V2. Éistigí, éistigí Tá na haingil ag canadh
Canaigí, canaigí Glóir do Dhia sna hairde.
Codail a Íosa, Codail a Íosa, Codail mo chara chaomh.
(x2) E -F# G A-B A D- E F# G- A G E-F# G E-
D E E

V3. Luí isteach le do mháthair bhog
Luí isteach le do chlann
Asal, bó is na h-uain bheaga
Glóir do Dhia sna hairde.

All: Codail a Íosa, Codail a Íosa, Codail mo chara
chaomh. (x2)

12. Joy to the world, Angels we have heard and Oh
Come All Ye Faithful (Medley) (CD)

O come, all ye faithful,
Joyful and triumphant,
O come ye,
O come ye to Bethlehem;
Come and behold Him
Born the King of angels;
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
Christ, the Lord.

**Angels we have heard on high
Sweetly singing o'er the plains
And the mountains in reply
Echoing their joyous strains
Gloria, in excelsis Deo (x2)**

Joy to the world
The Lord has come
Let earth receive her King
Let every heart prepare Him room
And heaven and nature sing
And heaven and nature sing
And heaven and heaven and nature sing

Joy to the world
The Saviour reigns
Let men their songs employ
While fields and floods
Rocks, hills, and plains
Repeat the sounding joy
Repeat the sounding joy
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy

14. (A) **Away in a manger** no crib for a bed
The little lord Jesus laid down his sweet head
The stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay
The little lord Jesus asleep on the hay.

The cattle are lowing the baby awakes
But little lord Jesus no crying he makes.
I love you lord Jesus; look down from the sky
And stay by my side until morning is nigh.

Be near me lord Jesus I ask you to stay
Close by me forever, and love me, I pray.
Bless all the dear children in your tender care,
And fit us for heaven, to live with you there.

15. Christmas Wishes (Reading)

Christmas wishes tried and true,
We're sending now just for you,
A little love, a little cheer
And wishes for a great New Year!
Hope Santa brings you gifts galore
With more surprises still in store,
May all your Christmas dreams come true
And may God's blessings be yours too.

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16. Christmas Medley (CD)

Winter Wonderland

Sleigh bells ring, are you listening, In the lane, snow is glistening
A beautiful sight, We're happy tonight
Walking in a winter wonderland
Gone away is the bluebird, Here to stay is a new bird
He sings a love song, As we go along
Walking in a winter wonderland

Frosty the Snowman

Frosty the Snowman, Was a jolly happy soul
With a corncob pipe and a button nose, And his eyes made out of coal (ALL REPEATED)

Let it Snow

Oh, the weather outside is frightful
But the fire is so delightful
And since we've no place to go
Let it snow, let it snow, let it snow

Santa Claus is coming to town

You better watch out, You better not cry, Better not pout, I'm telling you why
Santa Claus is coming to town
He's making a list, And checking it twice, He's gonna find out who's naughty or nice
Santa Claus is coming to town
He sees you when you're sleeping, He knows when you're awake,
He knows if you've been bad or good, So be good for goodness sake.

You better watch out, You better not cry, Better not pout, I'm telling you why
Santa Claus is coming to town

Jingle bells

Jingle bells, jingle bells
Jingle all the way,
Oh what fun it is to ride
In a one-horse open sleigh,
Jingle bells, jingle bells
Jingle all the way,
Oh what fun it is to ride
In a one-horse open sleigh.

We wish you a Merry Christmas

We wish you a Merry Christmas X 3
And a happy new year
REPEAT THESE 2 LINES AGAIN