

**ÍE** Indianapolis  
Children's  
Choir

# The Caroling Book



# *O Come All Ye Faithful*

O come all ye faithful joyful and triumphant  
Oh come ye O come ye to Bethlehem;  
come and behold him born the King of angels;  
O come let us adore him Christ the Lord.

God of God light of light  
Lo he not the virgin's womb;  
Very God begotten not created:  
O come let us adore him Christ The Lord.

Sing choirs of angels sing in exultation  
Sing all ye citizens of heaven above;  
Glory to God in the highest:  
O come, let us adore him, Christ The Lord

See how the shepherds summoned to his cradle,  
leaving their flocks, draw nigh with lowly fear  
we too will thither hend our joyful footsteps;  
O come, let us adore him, Christ the Lord.

# *We Wish You a Merry Christmas*

We wish you a Merry Christmas  
We wish you a Merry Christmas  
We wish you a Merry Christmas  
And a Happy New Year

Good tidings we bring  
To you and your kin  
We wish you a Merry Christmas  
And a Happy New Year

Now bring us some figgy pudding  
Now bring us some figgy pudding  
Now bring us some figgy pudding  
And a cup of good cheer

We won't go until we get some  
We won't go until we get some  
We won't go until we get some  
So bring it right here

So bring us some figgy pudding  
So bring us some figgy pudding  
So bring us some figgy pudding  
And bring it right here

Good tidings we bring  
To you and your king  
We wish you a Merry Christmas  
And a Happy New Year

(Repeat Chorus Three Times)

# *The Twelve Days of Christmas*

On the first day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
A Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the second day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
2 Turtle Doves  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the third day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
3 French Hens  
2 Turtle Doves  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the fourth day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
4 Calling Birds  
(3, 2)  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the fifth day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
5 Golden Rings  
(4, 3, 2)  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the sixth day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
6 Geese a Laying  
(5, 4, 3, 2)  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the seventh day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
7 Swans a Swimming  
(6, 5, 4, 3, 2)  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the eighth day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
8 Maids a Milking  
(7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2)  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the ninth day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
9 Ladies Dancing  
(8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2)  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the tenth day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
10 Lords a Leaping  
(9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2)  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the eleventh day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
11 Pipers Piping  
(10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2)  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the first day of Christmas  
my true love sent to me:  
12 Drummers Drumming  
(11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2)  
and a Partridge in a Pear Tree

# O Holy Night

O holy night!  
The stars are brightly shining  
It is the night of the dear Savior's birth!  
Long lay the world in sin and error pining  
Till he appear'd and the soul felt its worth.  
A thrill of hope the weary soul rejoices  
For yonder breaks a new and glorious morn!

[Chorus:]  
Fall on your knees  
Oh hear the angel voices  
Oh night divine  
Oh night when Christ was born  
Oh night divine  
Oh night divine

Led by the light of Faith serenely beaming  
With glowing hearts by His cradle we stand  
So led by light of a star sweetly gleaming  
Here come the wise men from Orient land  
The King of Kings lay thus in lowly manger  
In all our trials born to be our friend

Chorus

Truly He taught us to love one another  
His law is love and His gospel is peace  
Chains shall He break for the slave is our brother  
And in His name all oppression shall cease  
Sweet hymns of joy in grateful chorus raise we,  
Let all within us praise His holy name

Chorus

# *Jingle Bells*

Dashing through the snow  
On a one horse open sleigh  
O'er the fields we go,  
Laughing all the way  
Bells on bob tail ring,  
making spirits bright  
What fun it is to laugh and sing  
A sleighing song tonight

Oh, 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

# *Deck the Halls*

Deck the halls with boughs of holly, Fa la la la la la la la!

'Tis the season to be jolly, Fa la la la la la la la!  
Don we now our gay apparel, Fa la la la la la la la!  
Troll the ancient Yuletide carol, Fa la la la la la la la!

See the blazing yule before us, Fa la la la la la la la!  
Strike the harp and join the chorus, Fa la la la la la la la!

Follow me in merry measure, Fa la la la la la la la!  
While I tell of Yuletide treasure, Fa la la la la la la la!

Fast away the old year passes, Fa la la la la la la la!  
Hail the new, ye lads and lasses, Fa la la la la la la la!  
Sing we joyous all together! Fa la la la la la la la!  
Heedless of the wind and weather, Fa la la la la la la la!

# *Joy To The World*

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 Savior 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

No more let sins and sorrows grow  
Nor thorns infest the ground  
He comes to make  
His blessings flow

Far as the curse is found  
Far as the curse is found  
Far as, far as the curse is found

# *Rudolph, The Red Nosed Reindeer*

You know Dasher and Dancer and Prancer and Vixen,  
you know Comet and Cupid and Donner and Blitzen,  
But do you recall  
The most famous reindeer of all!

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 all the reindeer loved him,  
As they shouted out with glee,  
Rudolph the red-nose Reindeer  
You'll go down in history

# *Silent Night*

Silent night, holy night!  
All is calm, all is bright.  
Round yon Virgin, Mother and Child.  
Holy infant so tender and mild,  
Sleep in heavenly peace,  
Sleep in heavenly peace

Silent night, holy night!  
Shepherds quake at the sight.  
Glories stream from heaven afar  
Heavenly hosts sing Alleluia,  
Christ the Savior is born!  
Christ the Savior is born

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

# *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*

Hark! the herald angels sing,  
"Glory to the newborn King!"  
Peace on earth, and mercy mild,  
God and sinners reconciled  
Joyful, all ye nations, rise,  
Join the triumph of the skies;  
With th' angelic host proclaim,  
"Christ is born in Bethlehem."  
Hark! the herald angels sing,  
"Glory to the newborn King!"

Christ, by highest heav'n adored:  
Christ, the everlasting Lord;  
Late in time behold him come,  
Offspring of the favored one.  
Veil'd in flesh, the Godhead see;  
Hail, th'incarnate Deity:  
Pleased, as man, with men to dwell,  
Jesus, our Emmanuel!  
Hark! the herald angels sing,  
"Glory to the newborn King!"

Hail! the heav'n born Prince of peace!  
Hail! the Son of Righteousness!  
Light and life to all he brings,  
Risen with healing in his wings  
Mild he lays his glory by,  
Born that man no more may die:  
Born to raise the sons of earth,  
Born to give them second birth.  
Hark! the herald angels sing,  
"Glory to the newborn King!"

