

# CAROLING THROUGH THE BOROUGH



# SONG BOOK



# JINGLE BELLS

Dashing through the snow  
In a one-horse open sleigh  
O'er the fields we go  
Laughing all the way (ha ha ha)



Bells on bobtails ring  
Making spirits bright  
What fun it is to ride 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, hey!  
Jingle bells, jingle bells Jingle all the way  
Oh what fun it is to ride  
In a one-horse open sleigh  
Now the ground is white  
Go it while you're young  
Take the girls tonight  
Sing this sleighing song  
Get a bobtailed bay  
Two forty for his speed  
And hitch him to an open sleigh  
And you will take the lead  
Oh, jingle bells, jingle bells Jingle all the way  
Oh, what fun it is to ride  
In a one-horse open sleigh, hey!  
Jingle bells, jingle bells Jingle all the way  
Oh, what fun it is to ride In a one-horse open sleigh  
Oh, what fun it is to ride In one horse open sleigh!



# 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!  
Man it doesn't show signs of stopping  
And I brought me some corn for popping  
The lights are turned way down low  
Let it snow! Let it snow!



When we finally kiss goodnight  
How I'll hate going out in the storm  
But if you'll really hold me tight  
All the way home I'll be warm  
And the fire is slowly dying  
And, my dear, we're still goodbying



But as long as you'd love me so  
Let it snow! Let it snow and snow!  
When we finally kiss goodnight  
How I'll hate going out in the storm  
But if you really grab me tight  
All the way home I'll be warm

Oh, the fire is slowly dying  
And, my dear, we're still goodbying  
But as long as you'd love me so  
Let it snow, let it snow, let it snow!



# FROSTY THE SNOWMAN

Frosty the Snowman, Was a jolly happy soul  
With a corn cob pipe and a button nose  
And two eyes made out of coal

Frosty the Snowman, Is a fairytale they say  
He was made of snow, but the children know  
How he came to life one day



There must have been some magic  
In that old top hat they found  
For when they placed it on his head

He began to dance around

Oh, Frosty the Snowman, Was alive as he could be  
And the children say he could laugh and play  
Just the same as you and me

Frosty the Snowman, Was a jolly happy soul  
With a corn cob pipe and a button nose  
And two eyes made out of coal

Frosty the Snowman, A fairytale they say  
Was made of snow, But he came to life one day

There must have been some magic  
In that old top hat they found

For when they placed it on his head

He began to dance around



Frosty the Snowman, Knew the sun was hot that day  
So he said, "Let's run, and we'll have some fun  
Now before I melt away"

Frosty the Snowman, Had to hurry on his way  
But he waved good-bye, saying, "Don't you cry  
I'll be back again some day!"

# I'LL BE HOME FOR CHRISTMAS



**I'll be home for Christmas**

**You can count on me**

**Please have snow and mistletoe**

**And presents on the tree**

**Christmas eve will find me**

**Where the love light gleams**

**Oh, I'll be home for Christmas**

**If only in my dreams**

**My darling, Christmas eve will find me**

**Right where the love light gleams**

**And I'll be home for Christmas**

**If only in my dreams**

**If only in my dreams**



# THE MOST WONDERFUL TIME OF THE YEAR



It's the most wonderful time of the year

With the kids jingle belling

And everyone telling you be of good cheer

It's the most wonderful time of the year

It's the hap-happiest season of all

With those holiday greetings and gay happy meetings

When friends come to call

It's the hap-happiest season of all

There'll be parties for hosting, Marshmallows for toasting

And caroling out in the snow

There'll be scary ghost stories, And tales of the glories of

Christmases long, long ago

It's the most wonderful time of the year

There'll be much mistltoeing, And hearts will be glowing

When loved ones are near

It's the most wonderful time of the year

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When loved ones are near

It's the most wonderful time

Yes the most wonderful time

Oh the most wonderful time, of the year

# RUDOLPH THE RED NOSED REINDEER

You know Dasher and Dancer and Prancer and Vixen  
Comet and Cupid and Donner and Blitzen

But do you recall

The most famous reindeer of all?

(chorus)



*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"*

(Chorus x 2)



# DREIDEL, DREIDEL, DREIDEL

I have a little dreidel  
I made it out of clay  
And when it's dry and ready  
Then dreidel I shall play!



*(chorus)*

*Oh - dreidel, dreidel, dreidel  
I made it out of clay  
And when it's dry and ready  
Then dreidel I shall play!*

It has a lovely body  
With legs so short and thin  
And when my dreidel 's tired  
It drops and then I win!

*(repeat chorus)*

My dreidel 's always playful  
It loves to dance and spin  
A happy game of dreidel  
Come play now, let 's begin!

*(repeat chorus)*



# JINGLE BELL ROCK

Jingle bell, jingle bell, jingle bell rock  
Jingle bells swing and jingle bells ring  
Snowin' and blowin' up bushels of fun  
Now the jingle hop has begun



*(Chorus)*

*Jingle bell, jingle bell, jingle bell rock  
Jingle bells chime in jingle bell time  
Dancin' and prancin' in Jingle Bell Square  
In the frosty air  
What a bright time, it's the right time  
To rock the night away  
Jingle bell time is a swell time  
To go glidin' in a one-horse sleigh  
Giddy-up jingle horse, pick up your feet  
Jingle around the clock  
Mix and a-mingle in the jinglin' feet*



**That's the jingle bell rock**

*(Repeat Chorus)*

**That's the jingle bell**

**That's the jingle bell**

**That's the jingle bell rock**

# 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**

*(Chorus)*

***Good tidings we bring to you and your kin  
We wish you a merry Christmas and a happy new year***

**Oh, bring us some figgy pudding, Oh, bring us some figgy  
pudding, Oh, bring us some figgy pudding  
And bring it right here**

*(Repeat Chorus)*

**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**

*(Repeat Chorus)*

**We all like our figgy pudding, We all like our figgy  
pudding, We all like our figgy pudding  
With all its good cheers**

*(Repeat Chorus)*

**We wish you a merry Christmas  
We wish you a merry Christmas**

**We wish you a merry Christmas and a happy new year**



# DECK THE HALLS



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



Fast away the old year passes

Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la

Hail the new year, lads and lasses

Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la

Sing we joyous, all together

Fa-la-la, la-la-la, la-la-la

Heedless of the wind and weather

Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la

# AULD LANG SYNE

Should auld acquaintance be forgot  
And never brought to mind?

Should auld acquaintance be forgot  
And the days of auld lang syne?

For auld lang syne, my dear

For auld lang syne

We'll drink a cup of kindness yet

For the sake of auld lang syne

And surely you will buy your cup

And surely I'll buy mine!

We'll take a cup of kindness yet

For the sake of auld lang syne

We two have paddled in the stream

From morning sun till night

The seas between us Lord and swell

Since the days of auld lang syne

For old acquaintance be forgot

And never brought to mind

Should old acquaintance be forgot

For the sake of auld lang syne?

For old acquaintance be forgot

And never brought to mind

Should old acquaintance be forgot

In the days of auld lang syne?

For auld lang syne, my dear

For auld lang syne

We'll drink a cup of kindness yet

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# HIPPO HERO



I want a hippopotamus for Christmas  
Only a hippopotamus will do  
I don't want a doll, no dinky Tinkertoy  
I want a hippopotamus to play with and enjoy

I want a hippopotamus for Christmas  
I don't think Santa Claus will mind, do you?  
He won't have to use our dirty chimney flue  
Just bring him through the front door  
That's the easy thing to do

I can see me now on Christmas morning  
Creeping down the stairs  
Oh, what joy and what surprise  
When I open up my eyes  
To see my hippo hero standing there

I want a hippopotamus for Christmas  
Only a hippopotamus will do  
No crocodiles, or rhinoceroses  
I only like hippopotamuses  
And hippopotamuses like me too



# HIPPO HERO (CONT)

I want a hippopotamus for Christmas  
A hippopotamus is all I want  
Mom says the hippo would eat me up  
But then teacher says a hippo is a vegetarian

I want a hippopotamus for Christmas  
The kind I saw this summer at the zoo  
There's lots of room for him in our two car garage  
I'd feed him there and wash him there  
And give him his massage

I can see me now on Christmas morning  
Creeping down the stairs  
Oh, what joy and what surprise  
When I open up my eyes  
To see my hippo hero standing there

I want a hippopotamus for Christmas  
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# GRANDMA GOT RUNOVER BY A REINDEER

*(Chorus)*

*Grandma got run over by a reindeer  
Walking home from our house, Christmas Eve  
You can say there's no such thing as Santa  
But as for me and Grandpa, we believe*

**She'd been drinkin' too much eggnog  
And we'd begged her not to go  
But she forgot her medication  
And she staggered out the door into the snow**

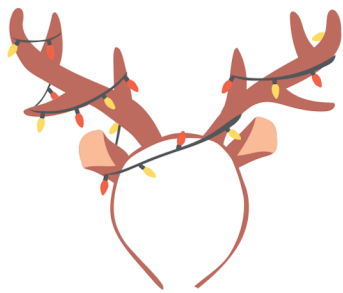
**When we found her Christmas morning  
At the scene of the attack  
She had hoof prints on her forehead  
And incriminating Claus marks on her back**

*(Repeat Chorus)*

**Now we're all so proud of Grandpa  
He's been taking this so well  
See him in there, watching football  
Drinkin' beer and playing cards with Cousin Mel**

**It's not Christmas without Grandma  
All the family's dressed in black  
And we just can't help but wonder  
Should we open up her gifts or send them back? Send them back!**

*(Repeat Chorus)*





# GRANDMA GOT RUNOVER BY A REINDEER (CONT)

Now the goose is on the table  
And the pudding made of fig (ah!)  
And a blue and silver candles  
That would just have matched the hair in Grandma's wig

I've warned all my friends and neighbors  
"Better watch out for yourselves!"  
They should never give a license  
To a man who drives a sleigh and plays with elves  
*(Repeat Chorus)*

Sing it, Grandpa!  
Grandma got run over by a reindeer  
Walking home from our house, Christmas Eve  
You can say there's no such thing as Santa  
But as for me and Grandpa, we believe

