



# Christmas Carols in English

## Traditional songs to sing together

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### 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!"  
Hail! The heaven-born Prince of peace! Hail! The Son of righteousness!  
Light and life to all He brings, ris'n with healing in His wings.  
Mild He lays His glory by, born that man no more may die:  
Born to raise the son of earth, born to give them second birth.  
Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King!"

### O Come, All Ye Faithful

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!  
Sing choirs of angels, sing with exultations,  
Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above;  
Glory to God, in the highest;  
O come, let us adore Him, o come, let us adore Him,  
O come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord!  
Ô peuple fidèle, Jésus vous appelle,  
Venez, triomphants, joyeux, venez en ces lieux !  
Ô peuple fidèle, venez voir le roi des cieux ;  
Que votre amour l'implore, que votre foi l'adore  
Et qu'elle chante encore ce don précieux !

### Joy to the World!

Joy to the world! The Lord is come;  
Let earth receive her King;  
Let every heart prepare Him room  
And heaven and nature sing,  
And heaven and nature sing,  
And heav'n, and heav'n 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.  
He rules the world with truth and grace  
And makes the nations prove  
The glories of His righteousness  
And wonders of His love,  
And wonders of His love,  
And wonders, wonders, of His love.

### O Christmas Tree

O Christmas tree! O Christmas tree!  
Thy leaves are so unchanging;  
Not only green when summer's here,  
But also when 'tis cold and drear.  
O Christmas tree! O Christmas tree!  
Thy leaves are so unchanging.  
O Christmas tree! O Christmas tree!  
How richly God has decked thee!  
Thou bidst us true and faithful be,  
And trust in God unchangingly.  
O Christmas tree! O Christmas tree!  
How richly God has decked thee!  
Mon beau sapin, roi des forêts,  
Que j'aime ta verdure.  
Quand vient l'hiver bois et guérets  
Sont dépouillés de leurs attraits.  
Mon beau sapin, roi  
des forêts,  
Que j'aime ta parure.



## Deck the Hall

Deck the hall with boughs of holly,  
fa lalalala lalalala.  
'Tis the season to be jolly, fa lalalala lalalala.  
Don we now our gay apparel, fa lalalala lalalala.  
Troll the ancient yuletide carol,  
fa lalalala lalalala.

See the blazing yule before us,  
fa lalalala lalalala.  
Strike the harp and join the chorus,  
fa lalalala lalalala.  
Follow me in merry measure, fa lalalala lalalala.  
While I tell of yuletide treasure,  
fa lalalala lalalala.

Fast away the old year passes,  
fa lalalala lalalala.  
Hail the new, ye lads and lasses,  
fa lalalala lalalala.  
Sing we joyous all together, fa lalalala lalalala.  
Heedless of the wind and weather,  
fa lalalala lalalala.

## God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen

God rest ye merry, gentlemen, let nothing you  
dismay,  
Remember, Christ our Saviour was born on  
Christmas day  
To save us all from Satan's power when we were  
gone astray.  
O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy,  
O tidings of comfort and joy!

From God our heavenly Father a blessed angel  
came,  
And unto certain shepherds brought tidings of  
the same:  
How that in Bethlehem was born the Son of God  
by name.  
O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy,  
O tidings of comfort and joy!

Now to the Lord sing praises, all you within this  
place,  
And with true love and brotherhood each other  
now embrace.  
This holy tide of Christmas doth bring  
redeeming grace.  
O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy,  
O tidings of comfort and joy!

## 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!  
Son of God, 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!

Douce nuit, sainte nuit !  
Dans les cieux ! L'astre luit.  
Le mystère annoncé s'accomplit :  
Cet enfant sur la paille endormi,  
C'est l'amour infini !  
C'est l'amour infini !

## 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.

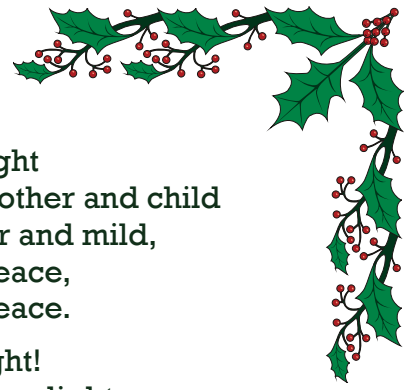
Oh, bring us a figgy pudding,  
Oh, bring us a figgy pudding,  
Oh, bring us a figgy pudding and a cup of good  
cheer.

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

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 some  
out here.

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

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