

Christmas Singalong 2022

1. RUDOLPH THE RED-NOSED REINDEER

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 the 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 to-night"

Then how the reindeer loved him As they shouted with glee:

"Rudolph the Red nosed reindeer

You'll go down in history"

2. SLEIGH RIDE

Just hear those sleigh bells jingle-ing, ring-ting-tingle-ing, too
It's lovely weather for a sleigh ride together with you

Outside the snow is falling and friends are calling 'Yoo Hoo'
Come on, it's lovely weather for a sleigh ride together with you

Giddy up, giddy up, giddy up, let's go
Let's look at the show
In winter wonderland of snow

Giddy up, giddy up, giddy up, it's grand
Just holding your hand
We're gliding along with a song of a wintery fairy land

Our cheeks are nice and rosy, and comfy cosy are we
We're snuggled up together like two birds of a feather would be

Let's take that road before us and sing a chorus or two,
Come on it's lovely weather for a sleigh ride together with you

There's a birthday party at the home of farmer Grey
It'll be the perfect ending of a perfect day

We'll be singing the songs we love to sing without a single stop
At the fireplace while we watch the chestnuts pop
Pop! Pop! Pop!

There's happy feeling nothing in the world can buy
When they pass round the coffee and the pumpkin pie

It'll nearly be like a picture print by Currier or Ives
These wonderful things are the things we'll remember all out lives

Our cheeks are nice and rosy, and comfy cosy are we
We're snuggled up together like two birds of a feather would be

Let's take that road before us and sing a chorus or two,
Come on it's lovely weather for a sleigh ride together with you

3. WINTER WONDERLAND

Sleigh bells ring, are you listening?

In the lane, snow is glistening,

A beautiful sight, we're happy tonight,

Walkin' 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,

Walkin' in a winter wonderland.

In the meadow we can build a snowman,

Then pretend that he is Parson Brown.

He'll say "Are you married?",

We'll say "No man!" But you can do the job when you're in town.

Later on we'll conspire,

As we dream by the fire.

To face unafraid, the plans that we made,

Walkin' in a winter wonderland.

4. GOOD KING WENCESLAS

Good King Wenceslas looked out,
On the feast of Stephen,
When the snow lay round about
Deep and crisp and even.

Brightly shone the moon that night,
Though the frost was cruel
When a poor man came in sight,
Gathering winter fuel,

Hither page and stand by me,
If thou knows it, telling.
Yonder peasant, 'Who is he?
Where, and what his dwelling?'
'Sire, he lives a good league hence
Underneath the mountain.
Right against the forest fence,
By St Agnes fountain.'

"Bring me flesh, and bring me wine,
Bring me pine logs hither;
Thou and I shall see him dine
When we bear them thither".
Page and monarch forth they went,
Forth they went together:
Through the rude wind's wild lament
And the bitter weather.

"Sire. The night is darker now,
And the wind blows stronger;
Fails my heart, I know not how,
 I can go no longer."

"Mark my footsteps good, my page;
 Tread thou in them boldly.
Thou shall find the winter's rage
 Freeze thy blood less coldly."

In his master's steps he trod,
 Where the now lay dinted;
 Heat was in the very sod
 Which the saint had printed
Therefore, Christian men be sure,
 Wealth or rank possessing
Ye who now will bless the poor,
 Shall yourselves find blessing.

5. 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 Saviour, is born!

Christ, the Saviour, is born!

Silent night! Holy night!

Wondrous star lend thy light

With the angels let us sing

Alleluia to our King:

Christ, the Saviour, is born!

Christ; the Saviour, is born!

6. OH 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,

God of God , Light of Light

Lo! He abhors not the virgin's womb

Very God, begotten not created

REFRAIN

Sing choirs of angels, sing in exultation,

O sing all ye citizens of heaven above!

Glory to God, all Glory in the highest.

REFRAIN

Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, born this happy morning,

Jesus, to Thee be all glory given;

Word of the Father now in flesh appearing.

REFRAIN

7. SPREAD A LITTLE HAPPINESS

I've got a creed for every need
So easy that it must succeed
I'll set it down for you to read
So please, take heed

Keep out the gloom, let in the sun
That's my advice for everyone
It's only once we pass this way
So day by day

Even when the darkest clouds are in the sky
You mustn't sigh and you mustn't cry
Spread a little happiness as you go by
Please try

What's the use of worrying and feeling blue?
When days are long keep on smiling through
Spread a little happiness till dreams come true

Surely you'll be wise to make the best of every blues day
Don't you realize you'll find next Monday or next Tuesday
Your golden shoes day

Even when the darkest clouds are in the sky
You mustn't sigh and you mustn't cry
Spread a little happiness as you go by
Spread a little happiness as you go by...

8. 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 (some magic in that hat)
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"

Dow to the village with a broomstick in his hand,
Running here and there all around the square sayin' 'catch me if you can'

He led them down the streets of town
Right to the traffic cop
And he only paused a moment when he heard him holler 'stop'

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!"

Thumpety thump thump, thumpety thump thump
Look at Frosty go
Thumpety thump thump, thumpety thump thump
Over the fields of snow

9. SANTA BABY

Santa baby, just slip a Sable under the tree for me
Been an awful good girl
Santa baby, so hurry down the chimney tonight

Santa baby, a 54 convertible too, light blue
I'll wait up for you dear
Santa baby, so hurry down the chimney tonight

Think of all the fun I've missed
Think of all the fellas that I haven't kissed
Next year I could be just as good
If you check off my Christmas list

Santa baby, I want a yacht and really that's not a lot
Been an angel all year
Santa baby, so hurry down the chimney tonight

Santa baby, one little thing I really need
The deed to a platinum mine
Santa baby, so hurry down the chimney tonight

Santa cutie, and fill my stocking with the duplex and cheques
Sign your 'x' on the line
Santa cutie, and hurry down the chimney tonight

Come and trim my Christmas tree
With some decorations bought at Tiffanys
I really do believe in you
Let's see if you believe in me

Santa baby, forgot to mention one little thing
A ring, I don't mean on the phone
Santa baby, so hurry down the chimney tonight
Hurry down the chimney tonight
Hurry, tonight

10. SANTA CLAUS IS COMIN' 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
He's checking it twice
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

11. JINGLE BELL ROCK

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

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 mingle in a jingle-in' beat
That's the jingle bell rock
That's the jingle bell rock

12. THE HOLLY AND THE IVY

The holly and the ivy,
When they are both full grown,
Of all the trees that are in the wood
The holly bears the crown.

*The rising of the sun
And the running of the deer
The playing of the merry organ
Sweet singing in the choir.*

The holly bears a berry
As red as any blood,
And Mary bore sweet Jesus Christ
To do poor sinners good.

REFRAIN

The holly bears a prickle
As sharp as any thorn,
And Mary bore sweet Jesus Christ
On Christmas Day in the morn

REFRAIN

The holly and the ivy,
Now both are full well grown,
Of all the trees that are in the wood
The holly bears the crown.

13. O LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

O little town of Bethlehem, How still we see thee lie!
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep, The silent stars go by.
Yet in thy dark streets shineth, The everlasting light;
The hopes and fears of all the years, Are met in thee tonight.

O morning stars, together, Proclaim the holy birth,
And praises sing to God the King, And peace to men on earth;
For Christ is born of Mary; And, gathered all above,
While mortals sleep, the angels keep, Their watch of wond'ring love.

How silently, how silently, The wondrous gift is giv'n!
So God imparts to human hearts, The blessings of his heav'n.
No ear may hear his coming; But in this world of sin,
Where meek souls will receive him, still The dear Christ enters in.

O holy Child of Bethlehem, Descend to us, we pray:
Cast out sin, and enter in, Be born in us today.
We hear the Christmas angels, The great glad tidings tell:
O come to us, abide with us, Our Lord Emmanuel

14. WE THREE KINGS OF ORIENT ARE

We Three Kings of Orient Are,
Bearing gifts we traverse afar,
Field and fountain, moor and mountain,
Following yonder star.

*O Star of wonder, Star of night!
Star of royal beauty bright;
Westward leading, still proceeding,
Guide us to Thy perfect light.*

Born a King on Bethlehem's plain,
Gold I bring to crown Him again,
King forever, ceasing never,
Over us all to reign.

REFRAIN

Frankincense to offer have I,
Incense owns a deity nigh:
Prayer and praising, all men raising,
Worship Him, God on high.

REFRAIN

Myrrh is mine; its bitter perfume
Breathes a life of gathering gloom;
Sorrowing, sighing, bleeding, dying,
Sealed in a stone cold tomb.

REFRAIN

Glorious now behold Him arise,

King and God, and sacrifice.

Alleluia, Alleluia! Sounds through the earth and skies

15. DING DONG MERRILY ON HIGH

Ding Dong merrily on high
In heav'n the bells are ringing
Ding Dong, verily the sky is riv'n with an angel singing

Gloria, Hosanna in excelsis.

Gloria, Hosanna in excelsis.

E'en so here below below
Let Steeple bells be swungen
And i-o i-o i-o
By priest and people sungen

REFRAIN

Pray you dutifully prime
Your matin chime you ringers
May you beautifully rhyme
Your eve-time song ye singers

REFRAIN

16. MY SIMPLE CHRISTMAS WISH

Ever since I was a baby I have had one dream in mind
And each Christmas I think maybe it will finally come true
It's a simple wish that everyone has had from time to time
So I know you'll understand me when I share my dream with you

I wanna be rich, famous and powerful
Step on all my enemies and never do a thing
I wanna be rich, famous and powerful
So all I have to do in life is sit around and sing

I don't wanna work, struggle or compromise
When I set a goal I wanna reach it right away
Cause paying your dues that's just for other guys
As for me, I want what I want and I want it all today

I don't wanna audition, I don't wanna take class
I wanna be discovered while I'm sitting on my ass
I should not have to suffer, I should not have to sweat
I tried that for ten minutes once and look, what did I get?

I'm still not rich, famous or powerful
Barbra Streisand has it all and I can do what she can do
So why is she rich, famous and powerful?
While I'm still stuck here schlepping through my life like all of you!

What does it take to be famous and powerful?
Santa, if you're listening, please tell me what to do
What do I have to fake to be famous and powerful?
I've done ev'rything I can and now the rest is up to you.

I tried being good, I tried being nice
I even tried pretending I was listening once or twice
But the really big stars have made it without it
Was Betty Davis pleasant? Well, I seriously doubt it

STILL SHE WAS RICH
Everyone adored her and the world was at her feet
And SHE WAS A B****
It's obvious that I have gotten nowhere being sweet.

Now I know I should be thankful for the blessings that I've got
My husband truly worships me and starving I am not
And I suppose good friends and family and health count for a lot
But I have to admit, all this doesn't mean S***

If I'm not rich, famous and powerful
Oh, come on, don't be so shocked
you know you feel the same as I
If we were rich, famous and powerful
We could take all those agents and casting directors
Tiny apartments and back tax collectors
Critics and casting calls, chilly rehearsal halls
People who bore us and jobs in the chorus
And kiss them all goodbye!

Is that too much to ask?

17. THE CHRISTMAS SONG (CHESTNUTS ROASTING ON AN OPEN FIRE)

Chestnuts roasting on an open fire,
Jack Frost nipping at your nose,
Yuletide carols being sung by a choir,
And folks dressed up like Eskimos.

Everybody knows a turkey and some mistletoe
Help to make the season bright.
Tiny tots with their eyes all a-glow
Will find it hard to sleep tonight.
They know that Santa's on his way;
He's loaded lots of toys and goodies on his sleigh.
And every mother's child is gonna spy
To see if reindeer really know how to fly.

And so I'm offering a simple phrase
To kids from one to ninety two.
Although it's been said many times, many ways;
"Merry Christmas to you."

18. JINGLE BELLS

Dashing through the snow, In a one horse open sleigh,
O'er the fields we go, Laughing all the way.
Bells on bob-tails ring, Making spirits bright .
What fun it is to ride and sing, A sleigh-ing song tonight

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 one-horse open sleigh.

Dashing through the snow, In a one horse open sleigh,
O'er the fields we go, Laughing all the way.
Bells on bob-tails ring, Making spirits bright .
What fun it is to ride and sing, A sleigh-ing song tonight

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 one-horse open sleigh.

19. ROCKIN' AROUND THE CHRISTMAS TREE

Rockin' around the Christmas tree
At the Christmas party hop
Mistletoe hung where you can see
Every couple tries to stop
Rockin' around the Christmas tree
Let the Christmas spirit ring
Later we'll have some pumpkin pie
And we'll do some carolling

You will get a sentimental feeling when you hear
Voices singing, let's be jolly
Deck the halls with boughs of holly
Rockin' around the Christmas tree
Have a happy holiday
Everyone dancin' merrily
In the new old-fashioned way

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Deck the halls with boughs of holly
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20. ALL I WANT FOR CHRISTMAS IS YOU

I don't want a lot for Christmas
There is just one thing I need
I don't care about the presents underneath the Christmas tree
I just want you for my own
More than you could ever know
Make my wish come true
All I want for Christmas is you
Yeah

I don't want a lot for Christmas
There is just one thing I need
Don't care about the presents underneath the Christmas tree
I don't need to hang my stocking there upon the fireplace
Santa Claus won't make me happy with a toy on Christmas Day

I just want you for my own
More than you could ever know
Make my wish come true
All I want for Christmas is you
You, baby

Oh, I won't ask for much this Christmas
I won't even wish for snow
I'm strong, I'll keep waiting underneath the mistletoe
I won't make a list and send it to the North Pole or Saint Nick
I won't even stay up late to hear those magic reindeer click
'Cause I just want you here tonight
Holding on to me so tight
What more can I do? Baby, all I want for Christmas is you

Oh-oh, all the lights are shining so brightly everywhere
And the sound of children's laughter fills the air
And everyone is singing
Hear those sleigh bells ringing
Santa, won't you bring me what I really need?
Won't you please bring my baby to me?

Oh, I don't want a lot for Christmas
This is all I'm asking for
I just wanna see my baby standing right outside my door
Oh, I just want you for my own
More than you could ever know
Make my wish come true
Baby, all I want for Christmas is you

21. ONCE IN ROYAL DAVID'S CITY

Once in Royal David's city
Stood a lowly cattle shed
Where a mother laid her baby
In a manger for His bed
Mary was that Mother mild
Jesus Christ her little child.

He came down to earth from heaven
Who is God and Lord of all
And his shelter was a stable
And His cradle was a stall
With the poor, and mean, and lowly,
Lived on earth our Saviour holy.

And our eyes at last shall see Him
Through His own redeeming love,
For that Child so dear and gentle,
Is our Lord in heaven above;
And He leads His children on
To the place where He is gone

Not in that poor lowly stable
With the oxen standing by
We shall see Him, but in heaven
Set at god's right hand on high;
When like stars His children crowned
All in white shall wait around.

22. DECK THE HALL WITH BOUGHS OF HOLLY

Deck the hall with boughs of holly

Fa la la la la, la la la la

'Tis the season to be jolly

Fa la la...

Fill the mead cup; drain the barrel

Fa la la...

Trill the ancient Yuletide carol

Fa la la...

See the blazing Yule before us

Fa la la...

Strike the harp and join the chorus

Fa la la...

Follow me in merry measure

Fa la la...

While I tell the Yuletide treasure

Fa la la...

Fast away the old year passes

Fa la la...

Hail the new, ye lads and lasses,

Fa la la...

Sing we joyous all together

Fa la la...

Heedless of the wind and weather,

Fa la la...

23. HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING

Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the new born King;
Peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!"

Joyful, all ye nations, rise,
Join the triumph of the skies;
With the angelic host proclaim, "Christ is born in Bethlehem!"

Hark! The herald angels sing.

"Glory to the new born King. "

Christ, by highest heaven adored; Christ, the everlasting Lord;
Late in time behold Him come, Offspring of the Virgin's womb.

Veiled in flesh the Godhead see;
Hail the Incarnate Deity,
Please as man with men to dwell; Jesus our Emmanuel.

Hark! The herald angels sing.

"Glory to the new born King. "

Hail the heaven 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 rise the sons of earth, Born to give them second birth.

24. 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

Two turtle doves

And a Partridge in a Pear Tree

On the third day of Christmas.....

Three French Hens

Four Calling Birds

Five Gold Rings

Six Geese-a-Laying

Seven Swans-a-swimming

Eight Maids-a-milking

Nine Ladies dancing

Ten Lords-a-leaping

Eleven Pipers piping

Twelve Drummers drumming

25. HAVE YOURSELF A MERRY LITTLE CHRISTMAS

Have yourself a merry little Christmas,
Let your heart be light.
From now on our troubles will be out of sight.
Have yourself a merry little Christmas,
Make the Yuletide gay,
From now on our troubles will be miles away.
Here we are as in olden days,
Happy golden days of yore.
Faithful friends who are dear to us
Gather near to us once more.
Through the years we all will be together,
If the fates allow.
Hang a shining star up on the highest bough.
And have yourself a merry little Christmas now.

26. 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 (x3)
And bring some out here!

REFRAIN

For we all like figgy pudding (x3)
So bring some out here.

REFRAIN

And we won't go until we've got some (x3)
So bring some out here.

REFRAIN