

Carol of the Bells

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for Four-part Mixed Voices (SATB) *a cappella*

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Allegro

Soprano *pp*
Hark! how the bells, sweet sil - ver bells, All seem to say,

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Keyboard
(for rehearsal only) *Allegro pp*

4 5 *pp sempre cresc.* *sim.*
"throw cares a - way." Christ - mas is here bring - ing good cheer, To young and old,

pp sempre cresc.
Ding, dong, ding,

pp sempre cresc. *sim.*

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meek and the bold. Ding, dong, ding, dong, that is their song, With joy - ful ring,

p *sempre cresc.*

dong, Ding, dong, ding,

p *sempre cresc.*

Ding, dong, ding,

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all car - ol - ling. One seems to hear words of good cheer From ev - 'ry-where,

mf *sim.*

dong. One seems to hear words of good cheer From ev - 'ry-where,

mf *sim.*

dong. One seems to hear words of good cheer From ev - 'ry-where,

mf *sim.*

One seems to hear words of good cheer From ev - 'ry-where,

16 17 *f*

fill - ing the air. Oh, how they pound, rais - ing the sound, O'er hill and dale,

f

fill - ing the air. Oh, how they pound, rais - ing the sound, O'er hill and dale,

f

8 fill - ing the air. Oh, how hap - py

f

fill - ing the air. Oh, how they pound, rais - ing the sound, O'er hill and dale,

20 21 *ff*

tell - ing their tale. Gai - ly they ring, while peo - ple sing,

ff

tell - ing their tale. Gai - ly they ring, while peo - ple sing,

ff

8 are their tones. Gai - ly they ring, while peo - ple sing,

ff

tell - ing their tale. Gai - ly they ring, while peo - ple sing,

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f

songs of good cheer, Christ - mas is here! Mer - ry, Mer - ry, Mer - ry,

f

songs of good cheer, Christ - mas is here! Ding,

ff

songs of good cheer, Christ - mas is here! Ding, dong, ding, dong,

ff

songs of good cheer, Christ - mas is here! Ding,

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Mer - ry Christ - mas! Mer - ry, Mer - ry, Mer - ry, Mer - ry Christ - mas!

ding, _____ dong. Ding, _____ ding, _____ dong,

that is their song, With joy - ful ring, all car - ol - ing.

ding, _____ ding, _____ dong. _____

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1.

pp

Hark! how the bells, sweet sil-ver bells, All seem to say, "throw cares a-way."

pp

dong.

pp

dong.

pp

dong.

1.

pp

37 *dim. senza rit.*

dim. senza rit.

dim. senza rit.

On, on they send, On with - out end, Their joy - ful tone

dim. senza rit.

dim. senza rit.

40 *ppp* **Slowly (dictated)** *mf* *div.* *mf* *unis.*

Ding, dong, ding, dong.

ppp

to eve - ry home.

ppp *mf*

Slowly (dictated) *mf*

Bohm!



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