

Now is the carolling season

Words and music by
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in the style of an old English madrigal

Gaily and lightly
mf

Soprano
Now is the car-ol-ling sea - son, of hol - ly and the bell, Of

Alto
Now is the car-ol-ling sea - son, of hol - ly and the bell, Of

Tenor
Now is the car-ol-ling sea - son, of hol - ly and the bell, Of

Bass
Now is the car-ol-ling sea - son, of hol - ly and the bell, Of

5 *f* (A)

Sopr.
feast-ing and good rea - son, No - el, now sing No - el! Fa la la la la, Fa la

Alt.
feast-ing and good rea - son, No - el, now sing No - el! Fa la la,

Ten.
feast-ing and good rea - son, No - el, now sing No - el! Fa la la,

Bas.
feast-ing and good rea - son, No - el, now sing, No - el! Fa la la la la,

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Sopr. *la la la, Fa la la la la la la la, Fa la la la la, Fa la*

Alt. *Fa la la, Fa la la la la la, Fa la la la,*

Ten. *Fa la la, Fa la la la la la, Fa la la,*

Bas. *Fa la la la la, Fa la la la la la, Fa la la,*

p *pp*

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Sopr. *la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la la. Tar - ry,*

Alt. *Fa la la, Fa la la la la la la. Here at the fire - side tar -*

Ten. *Fa la la, Fa la la la la la. [Silence]*

Bas. *Fa la la, Fa la la la la la. [Silence]*

mf *pp* *mf* *p* *B* *3/4*

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Sopr. *Nor yet go on your way. Mer - ry! How the*

Alt. *ry, Nor yet go on your way. How the rev-'lers are mer -*

Ten. *Nor yet go on your way. O how mer - ry,*

Bas. *Nor yet go on your way. Mer - ry,*

Div.

28 *Div.* How the rev-'lers are *f* (D) *f*

Sopr. rev-'lers are mer - ry, mer - ry! Here's to the hol - i - day!

Alt. ry, Mer - ry, mer - ry! Here's to the hol - i - day!

Ten. *Div.* Mer - ry, mer - ry! Here's to the hol - i - day!

Bas. Mer - ry, mer - ry! Sing here's to the

36 *mp* (E)

Sopr. Now is the wel-come win - ter Of hol-ly and the

Alt. *mp* Now is the wel-come win - ter Of hol-ly and the

Ten. *mp* Now is the wel-come win - ter Of hol-ly and the

Bas. *mp* Now is the wel-come win - ter Of hol-ly and the

hol - i - day! Now is the wel-come win - ter Of hol-ly and the

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Sopr. bell; Of song and bust-ling ban - ter, No - el, now sing No - el. Fa la

Alt. bell; Of song and bust - ling ban - ter, No - el, now sing No - el.

Ten. bell; Of song and bust - ling ban - ter, No - el, now sing No - el.

Bas. bell; Of song and bust - ling ban - ter, No - el, now sing No - el.

(F)

Sopr. *p*
la la la, Fa la la la la, Fa la la la la la la la, Fa la

Alt. *f*
Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la la la la, *la,*

Ten. *f*
Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la la la la, *la,*

Bas. *f*
Fa la la la la, Fa la la la la, Fa la la la la la,

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Sopr. *rit.* *f a tempo*
la la la la, Fa la la la la la, Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la; Fa la la la la la la la!

Alt. *p* *rit.* *f a tempo*
Fa la la la, Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la; Fa la la la la la la la!

Ten. *p* *rit.* *f a tempo*
Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la; Fa la la la la la la la!

Bas. *p* *rit.* *f a tempo*
Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la; Fa la la la la la la la!