

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.

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 Heaven and Heaven 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 earth 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.

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 the 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 of 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 raise the sons of earth,
Born to give them second birth.
Hark the herald angels' sing,
Glory to the newborn King,

Away in a Manger

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,
The little Lord Jesus laid down His sweet head,
The stars in the bright sky looked down where He lay,
The little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.

The cattle are lowing, the baby awakes,
But little Lord Jesus no crying He makes,
I love Thee, Lord Jesus! Look down from the sky,
And stay by my side until morning is nigh.

Be near me, Lord Jesus; I ask Thee to stay
Close by me forever and love me, I pray,
Bless all the dear children in Thy tender care,
And fit us for Heaven, to live with Thee there.

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!
Son of God, loves pure light
Radiant beams from Thy holy face,
With the dawn of saving grace
Jesus Lord at Thy birth,
Jesus Lord at Thy birth.

Jingle Bells

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

Jingle bells, jingle bells,
Jingle all the way,
Oh what fun it is to ride
On a one-horse open sleigh,
Jingle bells, jingle bells,
Jingle all the way,
Oh what fun it is to ride
On a one-horse open sleigh,

The First Nowell

The first Nowell the angel did say,
Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay;
In fields where they lay keeping their sheep,
On a cold winters night that was so deep,
Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell,
Born is the King of Israel!

They looked up and saw a star,
Shining in the east, beyond them far;
And to the earth it gave great light,
And so it continued both day and night.
And by the light of that same star,
Three wise men came from country far;
To seek for a king was their intent,
And to follow the star where ever it went,
Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell,
Born is the King of Israel!

Then let us all with one accord
Sing praises to our heavenly Lord,
Who hath made heaven and earth of nought,
And with His blood mankind has bought.
Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell,
Born is the King of Israel!

Infant Holy

Infant holy, infant lowly,
For His bed a cattle stall;
Oxen lowing, little knowing,
Christ the babe is Lord of all;
Swift are winging, angels singing,
Nowells ringing, tidings bringing,
Christ the babe is Lord of all,
Christ the babe is Lord of all.

Flocks were sleeping, shepherds keeping,
Vigil till the morning new,
Saw the glory, heard the story,
Tidings of a gospel true;
Thus rejoicing, free from sorrow,
Praises voicing, greet the morrow,
Christ the babe was born for you!
Christ the babe was born for you!

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.

How silently, how silently,
The wondrous gift is given!
So God imparts to human hearts
The blessings of His heaven.
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 our 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.

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 in exultation,
Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above,
Glory to God, glory in the highest;
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.

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 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!"

Mary's Boy Child

Long time ago in Bethlehem, so the Holy Bible say,
Mary's Boy Child Jesus Christ was born on Christmas Day.

Chorus

Hark now hear the angels sing, a new king born today,
And man will live forevermore, because of Christmas Day.
Trumpets sound and angels sing, listen to what they say,
That Man will live forevermore, because of Christmas Day.

While shepherds watched their flocks by night,
Them see a bright new shining star,
Them hear a choir sing the music
Seemed to come from afar.

Now Joseph and his wife Mary
Came to Bethlehem that night,
Them find no place to born she Child
Not a single room was in sight.

Chorus

Hark now hear the angels sing, a new king born today,
And man will live forevermore, because of Christmas Day.
Trumpets sound and angels sing, listen to what they say,
That man will live forevermore, because of Christmas Day.

By and by they find a little nook
In a stable all forlorn;
And in a manger cold and dark,
Mary's little boy was born.

Long time ago in Bethlehem
So the Holy Bible say,
Mary's Boy Child, Jesus Christ
Was born on Christmas day.

Chorus

Hark now hear the angels sing, a new king born today,
And man will live forevermore, because of Christmas Day.
Trumpets sound and angels sing, listen to what they say,
That man will live forevermore, because of Christmas Day.

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.

Glad tidings we bring
To you and your kin
We wish you a Merry Christmas
And a Happy New Year.

The poster has a dark, starry night sky background. At the top, the text 'CAROLS' is in large white serif font, and 'BY CANDLELIGHT' is in a blue, stylized font with a red holly leaf and berry. Below this is a large white square containing a black QR code. Under the QR code, the text 'Please donate via: givealittle' is written in a white script font, with a red holly leaf and berry to the left. At the bottom is a photograph of several people singing. In the bottom right corner, there is a blue logo for 'Rotary Club of Taranaki North'.

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