

Deck the Halls

for SSAATTBB chorus a cappella

Arranged by Peter Bloesch

Duration: ca. 1:30

Words & Melody: Welsh traditional carol

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Performance note: This piece could also be performed in E or F-sharp major, if desired.

Playfully ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 90$)

TENOR 1
TENOR 2
BASS 1
BASS 2
PIANO
(for rehearsal only)

mf

Fa la la la la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la la la

mf

Fa la la la la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la la la

mf

Fa la la la la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la la la

mf

Fa la la la la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la la la

Playfully ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 90$)

mf

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S.1 *mp* Fa la la la la

S.2 *mp* Fa la la la la

A.1 *mf* Deck the halls with boughs of hol - ly, *mf* Fa la la la la, la la la la,

A.2 *mf* Deck the halls with boughs of hol - ly, *mp* Fa la la la la, la la la la,

T.1 *mp* la, *mp* Fa la la la la, la la la la,

T.2 *mp* la, *mp* Deck the halls with hol - ly, Fa la la la la, la la la la,

B.1 *mp* la, *mp* Deck the halls with hol - ly, *p* Fa la, fa la la la la

B.2 *mp* la, *p* Fa, fa la la la la

PNO. *mf* *mp*

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S.1 *p.* la. *mf* Fa la la,

S.2 *p.* la. *mf* Fa la la,

A.1 *mf* 'Tis the sea - son to be jol - ly, Fa la la la la, la la la la.

A.2 *mf* 'Tis the sea - son to be jol - ly, Fa la la la la, la la la la.

T.1 *mp* 'Tis the sea-son to be jol - ly, *p.* Fa la la la la la la la. *mp*

T.2 *mp* 'Tis the sea-son to be jol - ly, *p.* Fa la la la la la la la. *mp*

B.1 *mp* la. *p.* Fa la la, Fa la la la, *mp*

B.2 *mp* la. *p.* Fa la la la, Fa la la la la *mp*

PNO.

13 *f*

S.1 Don we now our gay ap - pa - rel, Fa la la, la la la, la la la,

S.2 Don we now our gay ap - pa - rel, Fa la la, la la la la, la la la,

A.1 *mf* Don we now our gay ap - pa - rel, Fa la la, la la la, *f* Fa la la la la, —

A.2 *mf* Don we now our gay ap - pa - rel, Fa la la, la la la, *f* Fa la la la la, —

T.1 *mf* Don we now our gay ap - pa - rel, Fa la la, la la la, la la la,

T.2 *mf* Don we now our gay ap - pa - rel, Fa la la, la la la la, la la la,

B.1 *f* Don we now our gay ap - pa - rel, Fa la la, la la la, la la la,

B.2 *mf* la, Fa la la la la, *f* Fa la la la la, la la la,

PNO. 13 *f*

17 *mp* *mf*
S.1 Fa la la, Fa la la la la, la la la la.

mp *mf*
S.2 Fa la, Fa la la la la, la la la la.

mp *mp delicato*
A.1 Fa la, Fa la, la la la.

f *mp delicato*
A.2 Troll the an - cient yule - tide ca - rol, Fa la, la la la.

mp *mf* *mp*
T.1 Fa la la, Fa la la la la, la la la la.

mp *mp delicato*
T.2 Fa la, Fa la, la la la.

mp *mp delicato*
B.1 Fa la, Fa la, la la la.

f *mp delicato*
B.2 Troll the an - cient yule - tide ca - rol, Fa la, la la la.

17
PNO.

21 *mf*

S.1
Fa la la la la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la la la

S.2
Fa la la la la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la la la

A.1
Fa la la la la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la la la

A.2
Fa la la la la la la la la, Fa la la la la la la la la

T.1

T.2

B.1

B.2

PNO. *mf*

25

S.1 *mp* *p* *mp*
la. Fa la la la la, la la la la,

S.2 *mp* *mp* *p* *mp*
la. See the yule be - fore us, Fa la la la la, la la la la,

A.1 *mp* *mp* *p*
la, See the yule be - fore us, Fa la, fa la la la la

A.2 *mp* *p*
la. Fa, fa la la la la

T.1 *pp* *p*
Fa la la la la la la la, fa la la la la

T.2 *pp* *p*
Fa la la la la la la la, fa la la la la

B.1 *mf* *mf*
See the blaz - ing yule be - fore us, Fa la la la la, la la la la,

B.2 *mf* *mp*
See the blaz - ing yule be - fore us, Fa la la la la, la la la la,

PNO. *mf*
25 *mp*

29

p *mp*

S.1 Strike the harp and join the cho - rus, Fa la la la la la la la la,

p *mp*

S.2 Strike the harp and join the cho - rus, Fa la la la la la la la la,

mp *p* *mp*

A.1 la. Strike the harp and join the cho - rus, Fa la la la la la la la la,

mp *p* *mp*

A.2 la. Strike the harp and join the cho - rus, Fa la la la, la la la la,

mp *mf*

T.1 la. Fa la la la la, la la la la la la la,

mp *mf*

T.2 la. Fa la la la la, la la la la la la la,

mf *mp*

B.1 Strike the harp and join the cho - rus, Fa la la la la la la la,

mf *mp*

B.2 Strike the harp and join the cho - rus, Fa la la la la la la la,

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mf *p* *mp*

PNO.

33 *f*

S.1
Fol - low me in mer - ry mea - sure, Fa la la, la la la, la la la,

S.2
Fol - low me in mer - ry mea - sure, Fa la la, la la la la, la la la,

A.1
mf
Fol - low me in mer - ry mea - sure, Fa la la, la la la, *f* Fa la la la la,

A.2
mf
Fol - low me in mer - ry mea - sure, Fa la la, la la la, *f* Fa la la la la,

T.1
mf
Fol - low me in mer - ry mea - sure, Fa la la, la la la, la la la,

T.2
mf
Fol - low me in mer - ry mea - sure, Fa la la, la la la la, la la la,

B.1
f
Fol - low me in mer - ry mea - sure, Fa la la, la la la, la la la,

B.2
f *mf*
Fa la la la, Fa la la la la, la la la,

PNO.
33 *f*

37 *mp* *mf*

S.1 Fa la la, Fa la la la la, la la la la.

S.2 *mp* *mf*
Fa la, Fa la la la la, la la la la.

A.1 *mp* *mp delicato*
Fa la, Fa la, la la la.

A.2 *f* *mp delicato*
While I tell of yule - tide trea - sure, Fa la, la la la.

T.1 *mp* *mf* *mp*
Fa la la, Fa la la la la, la la la la.

T.2 *mp* *mp delicato*
Fa la, Fa la, la la la.

B.1 *mp* *mp delicato*
Fa la, Fa la, la la la.

B.2 *f* *mp delicato*
While I tell of yule - tide trea - sure, Fa la, la la la.

PNO.