

Carols on the Doorstep

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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 a virgin’s womb.
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see!
Hail, the incarnate Deity!
Pleased as man with men to dwell,
Jesus, our Immanuel:

Hail, the heaven-born Prince of
Peace!

Hail! The Sun 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 raise the sons of earth,
born to give them second birth:

Charles Wesley (1707-1788)

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!*

True God of true God,
Light of Light eternal,
Lo, he abhors not the Virgin’s womb;
Son of the Father,
Begotten, not created:

See how the shepherds, summoned
to his cradle,
leaving their flocks, draw nigh to
gaze;
we too will thither
bend our joyful footsteps:

Sing, choirs of angels,
Sing in exultation,
Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above:
‘Glory to God in the highest:’

Joseph Francis Wade (c 1711-1786)

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**While shepherds watched their flocks
by night,**
all seated on the ground,
the angel of the Lord came down,
and glory shone around.

‘Fear not,’ said he (for mighty dread
had seized their troubled mind),
‘glad tidings of great joy I bring
to you and humankind.

Thus spake the seraph; and forthwith
appeared a shining throng
of angels praising God, and thus
addressed their joyful song:

‘All glory be to God on high,
and to the world be peace;
goodwill henceforth from heaven to
earth
begin and never cease.’

Nahum Tate (1652-1715)

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.

COVID-SAFE CAROLS

We ask you to remember that we are still in a pandemic and therefore we still need to observe social-distancing rules and Hands – Face – Space. Please make sure that your household are at least 2 metres from your neighbour, if your doors are very close it may be helpful for every other house to stand just inside their doorway to maintain the distance. Singing is a higher-risk activity so we need to try and keep as big a distance as possible to reduce the risk of transmission. Please do not gather outside of your household / bubble. Carol sheets should be delivered with sanitised hands too.

Oh, bring us some figgy pudding
Oh, bring us some figgy pudding
Oh, bring us some figgy pudding
And bring it right here
Good tidings we bring, to you and
your kin,
We wish you a merry Christmas
And a Happy New Year.