

Carol of the Bells

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)
pp

4 *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. *p* 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,

p
p sempre cresc.

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all car - ol - ling. *mf* 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,

mf

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

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

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

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

f

f

f

f

f

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

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

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

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

ff

ff

ff

ff

ff

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

29 *dim. senza rit.*

On, on they send, on with - out end, Their joy - ful tone to eve - ry home.

dim. senza rit.

Ding, dong, ding, ———

dim. senza rit.

Ding, dong, ding, ding, ———

dim. senza rit.

Ding, dong, ding, ———

dim. senza rit.

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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 **2.**
dim. senza rit.
 dong.
dim. senza rit.
 dong.
dim. senza rit.
 On, on they send, On with - out end, Their joy - ful tone
dim. senza rit.
 dong.
2.
dim. senza rit.

40 **ppp** **Slowly (dictated)**
mf *div.* unis.
 Ding, dong, ding, > dong.
ppp
 to eve - ry home. *mf*
 Bohm!

ppp **mf** **Slowly (dictated)**

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