



# CAROLS WITH KINDRED

## Featuring the Linton Singers & the Edinburgh Renaissance Band

Wednesday 16 December 2020, 7pm, on Zoom

We hope you enjoy our extravaganza of Christmas carols and songs  
Please feel free to join in and sing along merrily

6.50pm: Zoom link opens

7 pm: Welcome to all with **Quand li bergie** (*Edinburgh Renaissance Band*)

*Choir Director, Murray Campbell, & the Linton Singers*

**Silent night**

**Ding dong merrily on high**

**Boar's head carol** (with the *Edinburgh Renaissance Band*)

*Kirsty Watt* tells of coping with the pandemic, as a parent of a child with complex needs

**Hallelujah** (duet, *Caroline Gold and Robert Graham-Campbell*)

**Jingle bells**

**Good King Wenceslas**

**Rudolph the red nosed reindeer**

**O come, all ye faithful** (with the *Edinburgh Renaissance Band*)

7.40 end of concert, wishing you all a wonderful Christmas from the team at Kindred



### ❧ **Silent Night**

1. 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

2. 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

3. Silent night, holy night!  
Son of God love's pure light.  
Radiant beams from Thy holy face  
With dawn of redeeming grace,  
Jesus Lord, at Thy birth  
Jesus Lord, at Thy birth



### ❧ Ding-dong! Merrily on high

1. Ding-dong! Merrily on high  
in heaven the bells are ringing.  
Ding-dong! Verily the sky  
is riven with angels singing:  
*Gloria, hosanna in excelsis!*

2. E'en so, here below, below,  
let steeple bells be swungen;  
and *i-o, i-o, i-o,*  
by priest and people sungen!  
*Gloria, hosanna in excelsis!*

### ❧ The boar's head carol

1. The boar's head in hand bring I,  
Bedeck'd with bays and rosemary.  
I pray you, my masters, be merry  
*Quot estis in convivio*

*Caput apri defero  
Reddens laudes Domino*

2. The boar's head, as I understand,  
Is the rarest dish in all this land,  
Which thus bedeck'd with a gay garland  
Let us *servire cantico*.

### ❧ Jingle bells

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

### ❧ Good King Wenceslas

1. Good King Wenceslas look'd out,  
On the Feast of Stephen;  
When the snow lay round about,  
Deep, and crisp, and even:  
Brightly shone the moon that night,  
Though the frost was cruel,  
When a poor man came in sight,  
Gath'ring winter fuel.

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3. Pray you, dutifully prime  
your matin chime, you ringers;  
may you beautifully rhyme  
your evetime song, you singers:  
*Gloria, hosanna in excelsis!*



*Caput apri defero  
Reddens laudes Domino*

3. Our steward hath provided this  
In honor of the King of Bliss;  
Which, on this day to be served is  
*In Reginensi atrio.*

*Caput apri defero  
Reddens laudes Domino*



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



*...Good King Wenceslas continued..*

2. "Hither page and stand by me,  
If thou know'st it, telling,  
Yonder peasant, who is he?  
Where and what his dwelling?"  
"Sire, he lives a good league hence.  
Underneath the mountain;  
Right against the forest fence,  
By Saint Agnes' fountain."

3. "Bring me flesh, and bring me wine,  
Bring me pine-logs hither:  
Thou and I will see him dine,  
When we bear them thither."  
Page and monarch forth they went,  
Forth they went together;  
Through the rude wind's wild lament,  
And the bitter weather.

4. "Sire, the night is darker now,  
And the wind blows stronger;  
Fails my heart, I know now how,  
I can go no longer."  
"Mark my footsteps, good my page;  
Tread thou in them boldly;  
Thou shalt find the winter's rage  
Freeze thy blood less coldly."

5. In his master's steps he trod,  
Where the snow lay dinted;  
Heat was in the very sod  
Which the Saint had printed.  
Therefore, Christian men, be sure,  
Wealth or rank possessing,  
Ye who now will bless the poor,  
Shall yourselves find blessing.

 **Rudolph, the red-nosed reindeer**

Rudolph, the red-nosed reindeer  
had a very shiny nose.  
And if you ever saw him,  
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 all the reindeer loved him  
as they shouted out with glee,  
Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer,  
you'll go down in history!

 **O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant!**

1. 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!

2. God of God, Light of Light  
Lo, He abhors not the Virgin's womb  
Very God  
Begotten, not created

*O come, let us adore Him*  
*O come, let us adore Him*  
*O come, let us adore Him*  
Christ the Lord!

3. Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation  
Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above!  
Glory to God  
All 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!

*We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year*