

CANON OF THE BELLS

(A Medley featuring:
Canon in D, Ding! Dong! Merrily on High,
I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day,
and Ukrainian Bell Carol)

SATB, accompanied

Arranged by
CAROLE STEPHENS (ASCAP)

With a steady beat ♩ = 80 (♩ = ♪)

S
A

T
B

Piano

With a steady beat ♩ = 80 (♩ = ♪)

mp

Ped. * Ped. * simile

5 "PACHELBEL CANON"
(Lyrics by Carole Stephens)

unison *mp*

Ding dong, ding dong, hear the bells ring. }
Peace and good will, let your heart sing. }

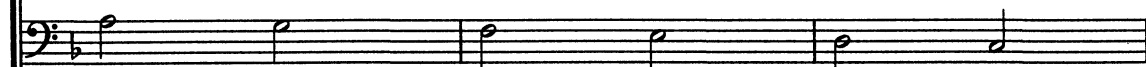
unison *mp*

5

9



Strike the bells on Christ-mas morn. Sing with joy and play the horn. Let the ring-ing res - o -



Ding dong, ding dong, hear the

9



13

mf

nate. Toll the bells and cel - e - brate. Peace on earth, good will to men. Let the bells ring out a -



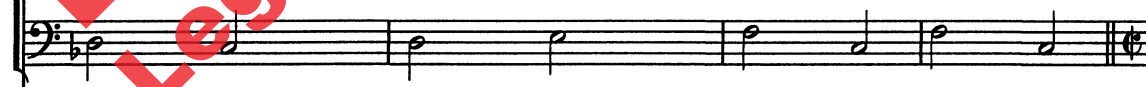
bells ring. Peace and good will,

13

mf



gain. Beat the drum and sound the chime. Tell the world it's Christ-mas time. Ding dong.



let your heart sing. Ding dong, ding dong.



19 "DING! DONG! MERRILY ON HIGH"
(Traditional French Carol)

$\text{♩} = \text{♩} \text{♩} = 80$
(unis.) *mf-f*

Ding dong, mer-ri-ly on high, the Christ-mas bells are ring - ing.
Praise Him! Peo-ple far and near, and join the an-gels sing - ing.

19

$\text{♩} = \text{♩} \text{♩} = 80$

mf-f

(light pedal)

23

(unis.) *mf-f*

Ding dong, joy-ous-ly re - ply, the an - gels all a - sing - ing. }
Ding dong, ev-'ry-where we hear the Christ-mas bells are ring - ing. }

23

27 *f* (both times)

Glo

f (both times)

Ding dong, ding dong,

27

f (both times)

Ped.

* *sim.*

31

ri - a, Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 ding dong. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

31

Ped. *

35

$\text{♩} = \text{♩} = 80$
unis.

Ding dong, ding dong, hear the bells ring.
unis.

35

$\text{♩} = \text{♩} = 80$

Ped. * *Ped.* * *sim.*

39

Peace and good will, let your heart sing. I
rit. *mf unis.* *mf unis.*

39

rit. *mf*

"I HEARD THE BELLS ON CHRISTMAS DAY"

43 Music by J. Baptiste Galkin; Words by Henry W. Longfellow

Slightly slower ♩ = 76

heard the bells on Christ - mas day. Their old fa - mil - iar

43 Slightly slower ♩ = 76

(light pedal)

car - ols play and mild and sweet the words re - peat, of

peace on earth, good will to men. Till, ring - ing, sing - ing

on its way, the world re - volved from night to day. A

voice, a chime, a chant sub-lime, of peace on earth, good

55

will to men!

55

will to men!

will to men!

will to men!

61

mf

Lis - ten bells will ring with joy. }
 Tell - ing all the Christ - mas sto - ry.)

mf

61

mf

Ped. * Ped. * sim.

65 Lively ♩ = 178

♩ = ♩ *unis.*

Hmm.*

65 Lively ♩ = 178

69 "UKRAINIAN BELL CAROL"
(Traditional)

mf unis.

Peal out the news o'er hill and dale,
unis. mf
 and 'round the town tell - ing the tale.

69

mf

* Close to "m."
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73 *f*
 Hark! To the bells, hark! To the bells, tell - ing us all Je - sus is King!
 (he is the)

Ding dong, ding dong,

73 *f*

77
 Come one and all — hap - pi - ly sing — songs of good will. — let them sing!

hear the bells ring.

77

81 *mf*
 Ring, — sil - v'ry bells, sing, — joy - ous bells!

cresc.
mf

Ring!* Sing!*

81 *mf*

* Immediately close to "g."

85 *f*

Ding dong, ding dong,

Strike the bells on Christ - mas morn. Sing with joy and play the

85 *f*

89

hear the bells ring.

horn. Let the joy — res - o - nate. Toll the bell, cel - e - brate!

89 *pp.*

93

Strong - ly they chime, sound with a rhyme, Christ - mas is here, wel - come the King!

Ding dong, ding dong,

93

97

Hark! To the bells, hark! To the bells, tell - ing us all Je - sus is King!
(he is the)

hear the bells ring.

97

101

Ring!*

Ring!*

Ring! Ring - bells, Ring! Ring - bells, Ring!*

Ring! Ring - bells, Ring! Ring - bells,

101

105

fp

ff

Ring!*

Ring!*

105

p subito

* Immediately close to "g."

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