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A Christmas Festival

By Leroy Anderson

Joy to the world the Lord is come;

Let earth receive her King.

Let every heart prepare Him room,

And heaven and nature sing, and heaven and nature sing,

And heaven, and heaven and nature sing.

Deck the hall with boughs of holly,
Fa la la la la la la la la.
'Tis the season to be jolly,
Fa la la la la la la la la.
Don we now our gay apparel.
Fa la la la la la la la.
Toll the ancient yuletide carol.
Fa la la la la la la la.

God rest ye merry, gentlemen; let nothing you dismay.

Remember Christ our Savior was born on Christmas day

To save us all from Satan's power when we were gone astray.

Oh, tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy.

Oh, tidings of comfort and joy.

Hark! The herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King;
Peace on earth, and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled!"
Joyful, all ye nations rise,
Join the triumph of the skies;
With angelic hosts proclaim,
"Christ is born in Bethlehem!"
Hark! The herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King."

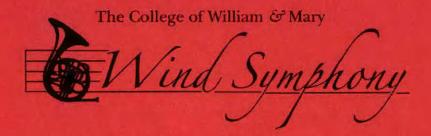
Silent night, holy night
All is calm, all is bright
'Round yon Virgin mother and child.
Holy infant so tender and mild,
Sleep in heavenly peace,
Sleep in heavenly peace.

Dashing through the snow in a one horse open sleigh,
O'er the fields we go laughing all the way ("Ha, ha, ha!")
Bells on bobtail ring, making spirits bright;
What fun it is to ride and sing a sleighing song tonight.
Oh, jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way;
Oh, what fun it is to ride in a one-horse, open sleigh, hey!
Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way;
Oh, what fun it is to ride in a one-horse, open sleigh.

Glory to God; Glory in the highest!
Oh, come let us adore Him.
Oh, come let us adore Him.
Oh, come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.



We wish you a joyous
Hotiday Season
and a
Happy New Year!



HOLIDAY TRAVELS AROUND THE WORLD

Angela Holt, conductor

Featuring....

THE WILLIAM AND MARY MIDDLE EASTERN MUSIC ENSEMBLE

Anne K. Rasmussen, director Duncan Neilson, composer Liz Neilson, artist

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2008 Phi Beta Kappa Hall

PROGRAM

A Christmas Festival

Leroy Anderson

Please join us in singing the familiar holiday tunes printed on the insert in your program.

The Bells of Christmas

Robert Longfield

Mitchell Dudley, narrator

Rhapsody for Hanukkah

Stephen Bulla

Russian Christmas Music

Alfred Reed

- Intermission -

Feirefiz

music by Duncan Neilson images by by Liz Gill Neilson with assistance from Kate Buss

Featuring The William and Mary Middle Eastern Music Ensemble Anne Rasmussen, director

A Home Alone Christmas

John Williams arr. Paul Lavender

Sleigh Ride

Leroy Anderson

WIND SYMPHONY PERSONNEL

Angela Holt, conductor

Flute/Piccolo Rachel Jones Hayley SooHoo Christina Millson Amanda Mounce Sally Craig

Oboe Clay Hudson

Bassoon Levent Kiran Lauren Campbell

Clarinet
Megan Grady (Bb/Eb)
Erica Wickman
Laura Grieneisen
Rebecca Koenig
Angela Rueda
Katie Danner
Katherine James

Bass Clarinet
Alex Bellah
Brian Terrill

ContraBass Clarinet Samantha Sedivy

Alto Saxophone Anna Jean Wirth Tim Rivenburg

Tenor Saxophone Vincent Yannello Colin Manning

Bari Saxophone Will Taylor

French Horn Maggie Person Dave Thomas Michael Essman Caitie Adkins

Trumpet
Miriam Foltz
Lisette Armstrong
Elizabeth Sterling
Trevor Harrison
Jeffrey Brown
Chris Bennett

Trombone Brandon Powell Justin Holden Sam Klock Mike Williamson

Euphonium Trevor Harrison Dan Brown

Tuba Andy DeSoto Evan Callaway

Percussion
Ryan Cole
James Baker
Morrison Mast
Todd D. Norris
Margaret Turner
Mike Landis

Double Bass Nick Ingraham

MIDDLE EASTERN MUSIC ENSEMBLE PERSONNEL

Anne Rasmussen, director

Violin Jonathan Glasser

> Viola Kiley Griffin

Ud (fretless lute) Mark Streer and Jesse DelGizzi Qanun (75 string zither) Anne Rasmussen

Bass Omar Tanamly

Nay (reed flute) Debbie Klosko Percussion Tablah/Darabukkah (vase shaped drum), Daff (frame drum), Riqq (tambourine) Lee Bristow

Kayvan Farchadi Najla Kurrani Zama Mirza