

Merry Christmas Bells

Lanta Wilson Smith, 1883

Asa Hull

♩=85 *Duet or Quartet*

1. Ring with joy and glad - ness The mer - ry Christ - mas bell;
2. Ring the bells with glad - ness, But ring them soft - ly now;
3. Ring the bells with glad - ness, For Je - sus came to save;

Let its tune - ful ec - ho The sac - red sto - ry tell!
See the won - dering Ma - gi Be - fore the man - ger bow;
He for guilt - y sin - ners The ran - som free - ly gave;

Semi-chorus

How the lone - ly shep - herds, Up - on the hills at night,
Where the King of Glo - ry, The Day - spring from the skies,
On this mer - ry Christ - mas, While joy - ful - ly we sing;

Heard the an - gel mess - age, And saw the ho - ly light.
Christ, the bless - ed Sav - ior, A help - less in - fant lies.
As a hum - ble trib - ute, Our hearts to Him we bring.

Full Chorus

Ring, O ring with glad-ness, Ye mer-ry Christ-mas bells! For we love the sto-ry Thy

Refrain

joy-ous mu-sic tells! Ring, O ring with glad-ness, Ring, O ring with glad-ness, with

1.
glad Ring, O ring with glad-ness, Ye mer-ry Christ-mas bells!
Ring, O ring with glad-ness, Ring, O ring with glad-ness,

2.
mer-ry Christ-mas bells! Ye mer-ry Christ-mas bells! Ye mer-ry Christ-mas bells!
Ye mer-ry Christ-mas bells!

Christ-mas bells!
Christ-mas bells!