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The holly and the ivy

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carol for three-part upper voices and organ

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SOPRANO
SOLO I

SOPRANO
SOLO II

Each member of the choir should sing this phrase in his/her own time, freely repeating until coming to a close on a hummed G major triad around bar 12. The words change to a vowel sound in bar 2.

SOPRANOS

pp
Sweet sing - ing, sweet sing - ing...
Oo

molto accel.

mp Slowly and expressively

Solo I

1. The hol - ly and the i - vy,

Solo II

S.

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Solo I

Solo II

mp Slowly and expressively
When they are both full grown,

S.

oo Mm.

S. I

FULL *p*
Of all the trees that are in the wood, the hol - ly bears

S. II

FULL *p*
Of all the trees that are in the wood, the hol - ly bears

Allegretto
mf

18

S. I
the crown. O the

S. II
the crown. O the

Org.
mf

Ped. $\bar{\cdot}$ $\bar{\cdot}$

Allegretto

22

S. I
ri - sing of the sun And the run - ning of the deer, The

S. II
ri - sing of the sun And the run - ning of the deer, The

Org.

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Solo I
Sweet sing - ing in the

Solo II
Sweet sing - ing in the

S. I
play - ing of the mer - ry or - gan, div. a 3

S. II
play - ing of the mer - ry or - gan, div. a 3

Org.
Fl. 4'

29 *mf*

Solo I
choir. 2. The *mf*

Solo II
choir. 2. The

S. I *pp*
Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing,

S. II *pp*
Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing -

S. III *pp*
Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet

Org.

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Solo I
hol-ly bears a blos - som As white as a - ny flower,

Solo II
hol-ly bears a blos - som As white as a - ny flower,

S. I *FULL I mf*
Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, And

S. II
ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing,

S. III
sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing, Sweet sing - ing,

Org. *mf*

Man.

37

S. I
Ma-ry bore sweet Je-sus Christ to be our sweet Sa - viour.

FULL II
S. II
mf
And Ma-ry bore sweet Je-sus Christ our sweet Sa - viour.

Org.
f

41

S. I
f
O the ri - sing of the sun And the

S. II
f
O the ri - sing of the sun And the

Org.
f
Ped.

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Solo I
Sweet

Solo II
Sweet

S. I
run-ning of the deer, The play-ing of the mer-ry or - gan,

S. II
run-ning of the deer, The play-ing of the mer-ry or - gan,

Org.
Fl. 4'

49

Solo I
sing - ing in the choir.

Solo II
sing - ing in the choir.

Org.
dim. and reduce
Man.

54

S. I
rit. poco meno mosso
p
3. The hol-ly bears a ber - ry As red as a - ny

Org.
rit. poco meno mosso
p Strings
Ped.

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S. I
mp
blood, And Ma-ry bore sweet Je-sus Christ To_ do poor sin-ners good.

S. II
mp
And Ma-ry bore sweet Je-sus Christ To_ do poor sin-ners good.

Org.

64

S. I *mp* And.

S. II *p* 4. The hol-ly bears a prick-le As sharp as a - ny thorn, *mp* And.

Org. Oboe 8' Man.

69

S. I *mf* Ma-ry bore sweet Je-sus Christ, And Ma-ry bore sweet Je-sus Christ On

S. II Ma-ry bore sweet Je-sus Christ, And Ma-ry bore sweet Je-sus Christ

Org. Ped.

73

S. I *f* Christ-mas Day, On Christ-mas Day in the morn.

S. II *mf* On Christ-mas Day *f* in the morn.

Org. *f*

77 *f* *mf*

S. I
O the ri-sing of the sun— And the run-ning of the deer, The

S. II *f* *mf*
O the ri-sing of the sun— And the run-ning of the deer,

Org.

82 *mf* *mp* *mp* *mp*

S. I
play-ing of the mer-ry or - gan, Sweet sing-ing in the choir. 5. The

S. II *mf* *mp*
the__ play-ing of the mer-ry or-gan, Sweet sing-ing in the choir. 5. The

S. III *mf* *mp*
the__ play-ing of the mer-ry or - gan, Sing-ing in the choir. 5. The

Org. *mp*

Fl. 4'

86

S.
hol - ly and the i - vy, When they are both full grown, Of__

Org.

molto rit. div. a 3

S. I
all the trees that are in the wood, The hol - ly bears the div. a 3

S. II
all the trees that are in the wood, The hol - ly bears the

Org.
molto rit.

più mosso

S. I
crown. Ah Of

S. II
crown. The hol-ly and the i - vy, When they are both full grown, Of

S. III
crown. The hol-ly and the i - vy, When they are both full grown, Of

Org.
più mosso

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S. I
all the trees that are in the wood, The hol - ly bears the crown. O the **ff**

S. II
all the trees that are in the wood, The hol - ly bears the crown. O the **ff**

Org.
ff Trumpet 8'

102 *f*

S. ri - sing of the sun. And the run - ning of the deer, The

Org.

106 *mf* *mp* *p*

S. I play - ing, Sweet sing - ing, The play - ing, Sweet sing - ing,

S. II *f* *mf* *mp* *p*
The play - ing, Sweet sing - ing, The play - ing, Sweet sing - ing,

S. III *f* *mf* *mp* *p*
The play - ing, Sweet sing - ing, The play - ing, Sweet sing -

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110 *rit. al fine* *mp*

Solo I Sweet sing - ing in the choir.

Solo II *mp*
Sweet sing - ing in the choir.

S. I *p*
Oo.

S. II *p*
Oo.

S. III *p*
Oo.

- ing, Oo.

rit. al fine

Org. Fl. 4' *p* Strings *pp*

Anthems and carols *for unison, two-part or upper voices*

ALEXANDER BERRY Away in a manger
ANDREW BRYDEN Rejoice in the Lord
CHRISTOPHER CHIVERS Ubi Caritas
MERVYN COUSINS Ave Maria (II)
MERVYN COUSINS Be Joyful
BARRY FERGUSON On Another's Sorrow
BARRY FERGUSON The Holly and the Ivy
BARRY FERGUSON Tomorrow Shall Be My Dancing Day
PHILIP GODFREY Day by Day (II)
PHILIP GODFREY Father, Hear the Payer We Offer
DAVID GOODE Like As the Hart
HARRY GRINDLE A Baby is Born
ROGER HEMINGWAY Rejoice and Be Merry
arr. **EDWARD HIGGINBOTTOM** Crux Fidelis
GUSTAV HOLST Four Old English Carols
BRYAN KELLY Caribbean Psalm
BRYAN KELLY For Adoration
PHILIP LEDGER Advent Carol
PHILIP LEDGER Bethlehem (I)
PHILIP LEDGER Sing for Joy (Christmas version)
PHILIP LEDGER Sing for Joy (Easter version)
PHILIP LEDGER & DAVID MILLER Gift of Love (II)
SIMON LOLE For the Beauty of the Earth
SIMON LOLE Love Came Down at Christmas
SIMON LOLE Ubi Caritas et Amor
SARAH MACDONALD The cherry tree carol
ANDREW MILLINGTON A Carol of Hope (II)
MARTIN NEARY A Christmas Sequence
MARTIN NEARY Christmas
arr. **TIMOTHY NOON** Walking in the Garden
arr. **JAMES O'DONNELL** I Saw Three Ships
ANDREW PARNELL Dear Lord and Father of Mankind
NEIL PORTER-THAW Alchemy
NEIL PORTER-THAW Snow
DAVID PRICE Echo Carol on 'O Lux Beata'
ALAN RIDOUT Cantique de Jean Racine
ALAN RIDOUT Prevent Us, O Lord
JOHN SANDERS King of Glory
JOHN SCOTT Jesus, Good Above All Other
JOHN SCOTT Like a Mighty River Flowing
RICHARD SHEPHARD Eternal Light!
RICHARD SHEPHARD The Holy Son of God
HILARY TADMAN-ROBINS Loving Shepherd
ROBERT TEAR Welcome! You King