

Old Stainton Carol

arr. Carolyn Robson

Sing we all merrily, Christmas is here,
The day that we love best of days in the year.

Chorus:

Bring forth the holly, the box and the bay.
Deck out your cottage for glad Christmas day.

Sing we all merrily, sing of Christ's birth
Sing what the angels sang, "Peace upon earth!"

Parents and children in bright garments dress'd
Hasten to join and sing praise with the rest.

Sing we all merrily, draw round the fire,
Father and mother and grandson and sire.

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