

# DOWN'S JUNIOR SCHOOL

## CHRISTMAS CONCERT 2019

### MEGA CHOIR & SUPER CHOIR

#### INCLUDING SOLOS & DUETS

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# I WANT A HIPPOPOTAMUS FOR CHRISTMAS

I want a hippopotamus for Christmas,  
only a hippopotamus will do  
Don't want a doll, no dinky Tinker Toy,  
I want a hippopotamus to play with and enjoy

I want a hippopotamus for Christmas,  
I don't think Santa Claus will mind, do you?  
He won't have to use our dirty chimney flue,  
Just bring him through the front door, that's the easy thing to do

*I can see me now on Christmas morning, creeping down the stairs  
Oh what joy and what surprise when I open up my eyes,  
to see a hippo hero standing there!*

I want a hippopotamus for Christmas,  
only a hippopotamus will do  
No crocodiles, no rhinoceroses,  
I only like hippopotamuses,  
And hippopotamuses like me too!

## INSTRUMENTAL

Mom says the hippo would eat me up, but then,  
Teacher says a hippo is a vegetarian

## INSTRUMENTAL

There's lots of room for him in our two-car garage,  
I'd feed him there and wash him there and give him his massage

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**Y E A H !**

## WALKING IN THE AIR

Emma      We're walking in the air,  
              We're floating in the moonlit sky  
              The people far below are sleeping as we fly

Violet A    I'm holding very tight,  
              I'm riding in the midnight blue  
              I'm finding I can fly so high above with you

### ***INSTRUMENTAL (oooooh)***

Molly      Far across the world,  
              The villages go by like trees  
              The rivers and the hills, the forest and the streams

***ALL      Children gaze, open mouth, taken by surprise  
             Nobody down below believes their eyes    (2 beats)***

              We're surfing in the air,  
              We're swimming in the frozen sky  
              We're drifting over icy mountains floating by

### ***INSTRUMENTAL (oooooh)***

***All      Suddenly, swooping low, on an ocean deep  
             Rousing up, a mighty monster, from its sleep (6 beats)***

              We're walking in the air,  
              We're floating in the midnight sky  
              And everyone who sees us greets us as we fly

Oooooooooh Oooooooooh

## TOGETHER AT CHRISTMAS TIME

*Rosie*                      *Standing together as Christmas is near,  
The waiting is finally over.  
Now that the time for the snowflakes is here,  
We can all sing to each other.*

*Deni*                      *Standing together as Christmas is near,  
The waiting is finally over.  
Now that the time for the snowflakes is here,  
We can all sing to each other.*

*Olive*                      *Now that Christmas is finally here, time to reflect on the year.  
Finding hope at this Christmas time, stand together at Christmas time.*

**Year 6**                      **So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time  
So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time  
Christmas time, Christmas time.**

**ALL**                      *Presents are wrapped, Christmas cards on the wall,  
Music and dancing around us.  
Twinkling lights as the snow starts to fall,  
Tinsel and trees and the Santas!*

*Now that Christmas is finally here, time to reflect on the year.  
Finding hope at this Christmas time, stand together at Christmas time.*

**So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time  
So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time  
Christmas time, Christmas time.**

*Olive (bells)*                      *Hear the sounds of Christmas chimes.  
Now we know it's Christmas time.*

**All - quietly**                      *Sing together at Christmas time - Sing together at Christmas time  
Sing together at Christmas time*

**All - LOUDLY**                      **So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time  
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*Rosie*                      *Standing together as Christmas is near,  
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## WHITE CHRISTMAS

*Maisie            The sun is shining, the grass is green;  
The orange and palm trees sway.  
There's never been such a day,  
In Beverley Hills, L.A*

*Billy/Charlie    But it's December the twenty-fourth...  
And I am longing to be up north.*

*Maia             I'm dreaming of a White Christmas  
Just like the ones I used to know*

*Toby             Where the tree-tops glisten,  
And children listen,  
To hear sleigh bells in the snow.*

**All    I'm dreaming of a White Christmas  
With every Christmas card I write  
May your days be merry and bright,  
And may all your Christmases be white.**

*Jasmine           I'm dreaming of a White Christmas  
Just like the ones I used to know*

*Delilah           Where the tree-tops glisten,  
And children listen,  
To hear sleigh bells in the snow.*

**All    I'm dreaming of a White Christmas  
With every Christmas card I write  
May your days be merry and bright,  
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## SLEIGH RIDE - YEAR 6 SUPER CHOIR SONG

*(Long Intro)*

Just hear those sleigh bells jingling ring ting tingling too.  
Come on it's lovely weather for a sleigh ride together with you.

Outside the snow is falling and friends are calling 'Youhoo!'  
Come on it's lovely weather for a sleigh ride together with you.

*Giddy up giddy up giddy up let's go, let's look at the snow.  
We're riding in a wonderland of snow.*

*Giddy up giddy up giddy up it's grand, just holding you hand.  
We're gliding along with the song of a wintery fairyland.*

Our cheeks are nice and rosy and comfy cosy are we,  
We're snuggled up together like two birds of a feather would be!

Let's take the road before us and sing a chorus or two.  
Come on, it's lovely weather for a sleigh ride together with you.

**( INSTRUMENTAL )**

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## LOVE SHONE DOWN

Eva      I had a dream that I was standing on a hillside,  
All the lights of town were shining far below,  
When up in the air, beautiful voices,  
Sing a new song, let everyone know.

**Oh and love shone down, over the hills and over the valleys,  
Oh and love shone down, over the world.**

Sylvia    Somebody spoke to me, I knew it was an angel.  
He said "There's something that I think you ought to know"  
Then he just smiled, said, "Don't be afraid now,  
Sing a new song. Let everyone know."

**Oh and love shone down, over the hills and over the valleys,  
Oh and love shone down, over the world.**

Lily      And then he told me all about the baby Jesus,  
How to find him, where exactly I should go.  
Then he was joined by millions of others.  
Sing a new song. Let everyone know.

**Oh and love shone down, over the hills and over the valleys,  
Oh and love shone down, over the world.**

*(Instrumental)*

Asia      Well did I dream or was I really on that hillside,  
On that Christmas night so very long ago,  
When he was born, Jesus our saviour?  
Sing a new song. Let everyone know.

**Oh and love shone down, over the hills and over the valleys,  
Oh and love shone down, over the world.**

**Oh and love shone down, over the hills and over the valleys,  
Oh and love shone down, over the world.  
Over the world.**



## STEP INTO CHRISTMAS

Darcey Welcome to my Christmas song - I'd like to thank you for the year  
So I'm sending you this Christmas card, to say it's nice to have you here

Naomi I'd like to sing about all the things, your eyes and mind can see  
So hop aboard the turntable - Ohhh, step into Christmas with me, yeah

**Step into Christmas, let's join together  
We can watch the snow fall forever and ever  
Eat, drink and be merry, come along with me  
Step into Christmas, the admission's free**

Louie Take care in all you do next year, and keep smiling through the days  
If we can help to entertain you - Oh, we will find the ways

Darcie So merry Christmas one and all - There's no place I'd rather be  
Than asking you if you'd oblige, stepping into Christmas with me

**Step into Christmas, let's join together  
We can watch the snow fall forever and ever  
Eat, drink and be merry, come along with me  
Step into Christmas, the admission's free**

Elodie/Bea Welcome to my Christmas song - I'd like to thank you for the year  
So I'm sending you this Christmas card, to say it's nice to have you here

Sammy/Will I'd like to sing about all the things, your eyes and mind can see  
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## THE FIRST NOEL

India        The First Noel the angel did say,  
Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay;  
Verity       In fields where they, lay keeping their sheep,  
On a cold winter's night that was so deep:

**All    Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel - Born is the King of Israel!**

Tom         They looked up and saw a star,  
Shining in the east, beyond them far;  
Martha      And to the Earth it gave great light,  
And so it continued both day and night:

**All    Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel - Born is the King of Israel!**

Violet T     And by the light of that same star,  
Three wise men came from country far  
Mae         To seek for a king was their intent,  
And to follow the star wherever it went:

**All    Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel - Born is the King of Israel!**

## THE TWELVE DAYS OF CHRISTMAS

On the twelfth day of Christmas my true love sent to me

<b>12<sup>th</sup> (Dec)</b>	<b>Twelve</b> drummers drumming,
<b>11<sup>th</sup> (Nov)</b>	<b>'Lev'n</b> pipers piping,
<b>10<sup>th</sup> (Oct)</b>	<b>Ten</b> lords a-leaping,
<b>9<sup>th</sup> (Sep)</b>	<b>Nine</b> ladies dancing,
<b>8<sup>th</sup> (Aug)</b>	<b>Eight</b> maids a-milking,
<b>7<sup>th</sup> (Jul)</b>	<b>Sev'n</b> swans a-swimming,
<b>6<sup>th</sup> (Jun)</b>	<b>Six</b> geese a-laying,
<b>5<sup>th</sup> (May)</b>	<b>Five</b> golden rings!
<b>4<sup>th</sup> (Apr)</b>	<b>Four</b> calling birds,
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> (Mar)</b>	<b>Three</b> French hens,
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> (Feb)</b>	<b>Two</b> turtle doves
<b>1<sup>st</sup> (Jan)</b>	And <b>a</b> partridge in a pear tree.

## IN DECEMBER – YEAR 6 SUPER CHOIR SONG

In December, in December,  
When the nights are growing cold  
In December, we remember,  
Our traditions new and old.

*Light a candle, in the window, light a candle, watch it glow.  
In the dark of the night, a flame burning bright, reminds us of long  
ago.*

(wait) In December, in December,  
Hear the music choirs sing.  
In December, we remember,  
All the joy that love can bring.

(wait) *Light a candle in the window,  
Light a candle, watch it glow.  
In the dark of the night a flame burning bright,  
Reminds us of long ago.*

(key change) In December, in December,  
When the nights are growing cold  
In December, we remember  
Our traditions new and old.

(slower)  
(wait) In December, this December,  
Celebrate with peace and love.

## ALL I WANT FOR CHRISTMAS

*Zoe I don't want a lot for Christmas, there is just one thing I need  
I don't care about the presents, underneath the Christmas tree*

*Coco I just want you for my own, more than you could ever know  
Make my wish come true, oh all I want for Christmas... is... youuuuuu...*

**Choir** I don't want a lot for Christmas, there is just one thing I need, and I  
Don't care about the presents, underneath the Christmas tree  
I don't need to hang my stocking, there upon the fireplace  
Santa Claus won't make me happy, with a toy on Christmas day  
**I just want you for my own, more than you could ever know**  
**Make my wish come true: all I want for Christmas is you**

I won't ask for much this Christmas, I won't even wish for snow, and I  
I just wanna keep on waiting, underneath the mistletoe  
I won't make a list and send it, to the North Pole for Saint Nick  
I won't even stay awake, to hear those magic reindeer click  
**I just want you for my own, more than you could ever know**  
**Make my wish come true: all I want for Christmas is you**

*Betty All the lights are shining, so brightly everywhere,  
and the sound of children's laughter fills the air.*

*Kerenza And everyone is singing, I hear those sleigh bells ringing.  
Santa won't you bring me the one I really need,  
Won't you please bring my baby to me?*

**Zoe & Choir** I don't want a lot for Christmas, there is just one thing I need, and I  
Don't care about the presents, underneath the Christmas tree

**Coco & Choir** **I just want you for my own, more than you could ever know**  
**Make my wish come true: all I want for Christmas is... YOOUUUU!**

**All I want for Christmas is you, baby  
All I want for Christmas is you, baby  
All I want for Christmas is you, baby  
All I want for Christmas is you, baby**

## WHITE WINTER HYMNAL

I was following the - I was following the  
I was following the - I was following the  
I was following the - I was following the  
I was following the - I was following the

I was following the **pack**,  
All swallowed in their **coats**  
with scarves of **red** tied 'round their **throats**

To keep their little **heads**  
From falling in the **snow**,  
And I turned '**round** and there you **go**

And, Michael, you would **fall** and turn the  
**White** snow red as **strawberries** in the **summertime**

Oooo, Ooooooooo, Ooooooo, Ooooooooooooooooooooo !

*(3 times)*

## IT FEELS LIKE CHRISTMAS

Greta        It's in the singing of a street corner choir  
              It's going home and getting warm by the fire  
              It's true, wherever you find love, it feels like Christmas

Stella        A cup of kindness that we share with another  
              A sweet reunion with a friend or a brother  
              In all the places you find love, it feels like Christmas

*It is the season of the heart  
A special time of caring  
The ways of love made clear  
It is the season of the spirit  
The message, if we hear it  
Is make it last all year*

Lennie        It's in the giving of a gift to another  
              A pair of mittens that were made by your mother  
              It's all the ways that we show love, that feel like Christmas

*(key change)*

Darcy        A part of childhood we'll always remember  
              It is the summer of the soul in December  
              Yes, when you do your best for love, it feels like Christmas

*It is the season of the heart  
A special time of caring  
The ways of love made clear  
(key change)  
It is the season of the spirit  
The message, if we hear it  
Is make it last all year*

ALL        It's in the singing of a street corner choir  
              It's going home and getting warm by the fire  
              It's true, wherever you find love, it feels like Christmas

Vedis *(slowly)*        It's true, wher-e-ver you find love, it feels like Christmas

ALL        It feels like Christmas  
              It feels like Christmas  
              It feels like Chriiiiiist...mas

# SILENT NIGHT

## VERSE 1 - Choir

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

## VERSE 2 – AUDIENCE

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

## VERSE 3 - Solos

1. Lotta (Swedish)
2. Olivia (Polish)
3. Megan (Slovakian)



## MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYBODY

Are you hanging up a stocking on your wall?  
It's the time that every Santa has a ball  
Does he ride a red-nosed reindeer? Does he turn up on his sleigh?  
Do the fairies keep him happy for a day?

**So here it is, Merry Christmas - Everybody's having fun  
Look to the future now - It's only just begun**

Are you waiting for the family to arrive?  
Are you sure you've got the room to spare inside?  
Does your granny always tell you, that the old songs are the best?  
Then she's up and rock-'n'-rolling with the rest

**So here it is, Merry Christmas - Everybody's having fun  
Look to the future now - It's only just begun**

*What will your daddy do  
when he sees your momma kissing Santa Claus? Ah-ha...*

Are you hanging up a stocking on your wall?  
Are you hoping that the snow will start to fall?  
Do you ride on down the hillside, in a buggy you have made?  
When you land upon your head then you've been slayed

**So here it is, Merry Christmas - Everybody's having fun  
Look to the future now - It's only just begun**

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