

SILVER BELLS

for male voices (T.T.B.B.) and piano

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Moderato

PIANO *f*

Ped.

(For bell effect, hold pedal through first eight measures)

TENOR I, II (*unis.*)
mf Cheerfully, with a warm tone

Christ - mas makes you feel e - mo - tion - al. It may bring par - ties or

BARITONE & BASS (*unis.*)
mf Cheerfully, with a warm tone

Christ - mas makes you feel e - mo - tion - al. It may bring par - ties or

(*Ped.*)

Performance time: approx. 3:00

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(no rit.) *mp* *ten.* 3

thoughts de - vo - tion - al. What - ev - er hap - pens or what may be, *ten.*

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(no rit.) *mp* *ten.*

(for rehearsal only) *ten.*

rit. *mf (unis.)*

Here is what Christ - mas - time means to me: Cit - y

Here is what Christ - mas - time means to me:

rit. *p*

A *Moderato (not too fast)* (stagger breathing) (div.)

side - walks, Dressed in hol - i - day style, oo

(unis.) *mf*

Bus - y side - walks, oo In the

Moderato (not too fast) *mp*

*No breath here.
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4

(unis.)

Children

air there's a feel - ing of Christ - mas.

B

laugh - ing, Meet - ing smile af - ter smile, And on

(div.)

Peo - ple pass - ing, meet - ing smile af - ter smile, And on

(div.)

ev - 'ry street cor - ner you hear:

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(Bells)

C *mf (unis.)*

Sil - ver bells, sil - ver bells,

pp sil - ver bells, sil - ver bells, *8va*

p

mp

It's Christ - mas - time in the cit - y; The sil - ver bells go

mp

It's Christ - mas - time in the cit - y,

D *mf (unis.)*

ring - a - ling! Hear them ring!

pp Ring - a - ling! Hear them ring! *8va*

p

mp Soon it will be Christ-mas Day. _____ *(unis.) mp* Cit-y

mp Soon it will be Christ-mas Day. _____

mp

E street - lights, *(unis.) mp* blink a bright red and green, *(stagger breathing)* *(div.)* oo -
 e - ven stop - lights, oo _____ As the

mp

(unis.) Hear the

shop - pers rush home with their treas - ures. _____

F

snow crunch, see the kids bunch, This is San - ta's big scene, And a -

(div.)

See the kids bunch, This is San - ta's big scene, And a -

(div.)

bove all this bus - tle you hear:

bove all this bus - tle you hear:

(Bells)

G

mf (unis.) (div.) *pp* *Red.* *mp*

Sil - ver bells! Sil-ver bells! Sil - ver bells!

mp *mf* *pp*

Sil - ver bells! Sil - ver bells! Sil-ver bells!

8va *8va*

(*mp*)

8

mf

It's Christ - mas - time in the cit - y; The sil - ver bells go

mf

It's Christ - mas - time in the cit - y, _____

mf

H

f (unis.) ring - a - ling! _____ *(div.) p* Ring - a - ling! *mp* Hear them ring!

mp Ring - a - ling! *f* Hear them ring! *p* Hear them ring!

8va Hear them ring!

f Soon it will be Christ - mas Day. *In 4 ff* *rit.* Crowd noises: "Merry Christmas, Merry Christmas," etc.

f Soon it will be Christ - mas Day. *ff*

f *In 4 ff* *(r.b.)* *rit.*

rit.

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