

08. Ding Dong Merrily on high

Sixteenth-century French dance tune

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Quick and gay

Sopraan
Alt

Tenor
Bas

Ding-dong merri-ly on high, in heav'n the bells are ring - ing,

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Ding-dong ve-ri-ly the sky is rent with an - gels sing - ing.

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Glo - - - - -

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A

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B

ri a, Ho - san - na in ex - cel - sis.

2. Now on earth below, below, the steeple bells are swinging,
And i-o, i-o, i-o, are priest and people singing.

3. May you dutifully prime your matin chime, you ringers.
May you beautifully rhyme your evensong, you singers.