

# Jingle Bells

J. Pierpont (19th c.)

**Allegretto**

The first three systems of the musical score for 'Jingle Bells'. Each system consists of a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is common time (C). The tempo is marked 'Allegretto'. The first system starts with a G chord and ends with a C chord. The lyrics are: 'Dash - ing through the snow In a one - horse o - pen sleigh, O'er the fields we go, Laugh - ing all the way; Bellson Bob - tail ring, Mak - ing spir - its bright, What fun it is to ride and sing A sleigh - ing song to - night!' The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

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*Refrain:*

The musical score for the Refrain of 'Jingle Bells'. It consists of a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is common time (C). The tempo is 'Allegretto'. The lyrics are: 'Jin - gle bells, jin - gle bells! Jin - gle all the way! Oh what fun it is to ride and sing A sleigh - ing song to - night!' The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

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The image shows a musical score for the song 'One Horse Open Sleigh'. It consists of three staves: a vocal line at the top, a piano accompaniment in the middle, and a bass line at the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The score is divided into two systems. The first system has a G chord above the first measure, and the second system has 1.A7 and D7 chords above the first two measures, followed by 2.D7 and G chords above the last two measures. The lyrics are: 'is to ride In a one-horse o-pen sleigh! one-horse o-pen sleigh!'.

2. A day or two ago,  
 I thought I'd take a ride,  
 And soon Miss Fanny Bright  
 Was seated by my side;  
 The horse was lean and lank;  
 Misfortune seemed his lot;  
 He got into a drifted bank,  
 And we, we got upstot. *Refrain:*

3. A day or two ago,  
 The story I must tell  
 I went out on the snow  
 And on my back I fell;  
 A gent was riding by  
 In a one-horse open sleigh,  
 He laughed as there I sprawling lie,  
 But quickly drove away. *Refrain:*

4. Now the ground is white  
 Go it while you're young,  
 Take the girls tonight  
 And sing this sleighing song;  
 Just get a bobtailed bay  
 Two-forty as his speed  
 Hitch him to an open sleigh  
 And crack! you'll take the lead. *Refrain:*