

# Merry Christmas Bells

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1. Hear the crys-tal in - ton-a - tions of the bells, Christ-mas bells, As their tones float on the air. It is  
2. Hear the sil - ver-y re - ech-oes of the bells, Christ-mas bells, Not a strain of beau-ty lose; Hear the  
3. Hear the gay re - ver - ber-a - tions of the bells, Christ-mas bells, And the beau-ty of their strain; But re-

of the mer - ry Christ-mas that they tell, That they tell, And the mes - sage un-to all they bear, They are  
tid - ings of re - demp-tion and of love, And of love, And be grate-ful for the bless-ed news, Tid - ings  
- mem-ber in your mirth - ful - ness of heart, O - f heart, Our Re - deem-er's si - lent grief and pain; He was

*Refrain*

call - ing un - to us, Let us list - en un - to them, They are tell - ing of the Child That was  
of the rich - est gift, Ev - er made since time be - gan, Tell - ing how the Son of God, Came to  
born the lost to save, Born to wash their sins a - way, That is why we cher-ish so, Each re-

born in Beth - le - hem!  
die for sin - ful man! Hear the mer - ry, mer - ry voic-es of the Christ - mas bells, Christ - mas bells,  
- turn - ing Christ - mas day!

Christ-mas bells; Hear the mer-ry, mer-ry voic-es of the Christ-mas bells, Oh, what joy their mu-sic tells.