

A. Tennyson

Ring Out Wild Bells

Crawford Gates
arr. Steve Danielson

Soprano Alto Tenor Bass

Ring out wild bells, to the wild sky, wild sky, The

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The musical score consists of four staves, one for each voice: Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass. The key signature is one flat, and the time signature is mostly 6/8. The vocal parts are harmonized, creating a four-part choral effect. The lyrics are repeated three times, with the bass providing a rhythmic foundation in the third iteration.

S A T B

fly - ing cloud, the frost - y light. The year is dy - ing

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The musical score consists of four staves, one for each voice: Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor (T), and Bass (B). The key signature is one flat, and the time signature is mostly 3/4. The vocal parts are harmonized, creating a four-part choral effect. The lyrics are repeated three times, with the bass providing a rhythmic foundation in the third iteration.

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S in the night; Ring out wild bells, and let him die.

A in the night; Ring out wild bells and let him die.

T dy - ing in the night; Ring out wild bells and let him die. The

B dy - ing in the night; Ring out wild bells and let him die. The

17

S The year is dy-ing in the night; Ring out, wild bells and let him

A The year is dy-ing in the night; Ring out, wild bells and let him

T year, The year is dy-ing in the night; Ring out, wild bells, and let him

B year, is dy-ing in the night; Ring out wild bells, and let him

23

S die. Ring out the old; Ring in the new. Ring,

A die. Ring out the old; Ring out the old; Ring in the new. Ring,

T die. Ring out the old; Ring out the old; Ring in the new. Ring,

B Ring out the old, Ring out the old; Ring in the new, Ring in the new. Ring,

26

S hap - py bells, a - cross the snow. The year is go-ing, go-ing;

A hap - py bells, bells, a - cross the snow. The year is go-ing, go - ing;

T Ring, hap - py bells, bells, a-cross the snow. The year is go-ing, go - ing;

B Ring, hap - py bells, bells, a-cross the snow. The year is go-mg, go - ing;

32

S let him go. Ring out the false; Ring in the true. The year is go-ing;

A let him go. Ring out the false; Ring in the true. The year is go-ing; N.B.

T let him go. Ring out the false; Ring in the true. The year, the year is go - ing;

B let him go. Ring out the false; Ring in the true. The year is go - ing;

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S Let him go. Ring out the false; ring in the Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le -

A Let him go. Ring out the false; ring in the Al - le - lu - ia,

T Let him go. Ring out the false; ring in the Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le -

B Let him go. Ring out the false; ring in the Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

4

S lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Ring in the val -

A Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Ring in the

T 8 lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Ring in the val - iant

B Al - le - lu - ia, Ring in the val - iant

S 50 iant man and, man and free, The lar - ger heart, the kind - lier

A val - iant man and, man and free, The lar - ger heart, the kind - lier

T 8 man and free, man and free, The lar - ger heart, the kind - lier

B man and free, man and free, The lar - ger heart, the kind - lier

S 55 hand; Ring out the dark-ness of the land, Ring in the

A hand; Ring out the dark - ness, ring out dark-ness of the land, Ring in the

T 8 hand; Ring out the dark - ness, dark - ness of the land, Ring in the Christ,

B hand; Ring out the dark - ness, dark - ness of the land, Ring in the

61

S Christ that is to be. Ring out the dark-ness of the land, Ring

A Christ that is to be. Ring out the dark - ness of the land, Ring

T Ring in the Christ, is to be. Ring out, Ring our the dark - ness of the land, Ring

B Christ that is to be. Ring out the dark - ness of the land, Ring

68

S in the Christ that is to be, Ring in the Christ that is *rit.* to be.

A in the Christ that is to be, Ring in the Christ that is *rit.* to be.

T in the Christ that is to be, Ring in the Christ that is *rit.* to be.

B in the Christ that is to be, Ring in the Christ that is *rit.* to be.