

Jolly Old St. Nicholas

Color Coded Handbells:

Melody Notes: G, A, High C, High D, High E

Chords: C, G7, Am, Em, F

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Traditional Carol
 CD Practice Track 11
 CD Performance Track 12
 Song Played 3 Times

Moderately Fast

2 C G7 Am

e e e e d d d c c c c
 Jol - ly Old Saint Ni - cho - las, Lean your ear this
 When the clock is strik - ing twelve, When I'm fast a -
 John - ny wants a pair of skates; Su - sy wants a

6 Em F C G7

e A A A A G c c d c d e d
 way! Don't you tell a sin - gle soul what I'm going to say;
 sleep, Down the chim - ney broad and black, With your pack you'll creep;
 dolly; Nel - lie wants a sto - ry book; She thinks dolls are folly;

11 C G7 Am Em F

e e e e d d d c c c c e A A A A
 Christ-mas Eve is com - ing soon; Now you dear old man, Whis - per what you'll
 All the stock-ings you will find Hang - ing in a row; Mine will be the
 As for me, my lit - tle brain Is - n't ver - y bright; Choose for me, old

16 C G7 C

G c c d c d e c
 bring to me; Tell me if you can.
 short - est one, You'll be sure to know.
 San - ta Claus, What you think is right.

Suggested Arrangement (as on CD practice track):

- 1st Time: Bells play melody
- 2nd Time: Bells play "tremolo" chords
- 3rd Time: Bells play melody and "tremolo" chords
- Add singing as desired