

A Christmas Tree-O!

**6 Late Elementary Christmas Favorites
Arranged for 3 Players at 1 Piano**

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Since Christmas is truly a time for sharing, I thought it would be fun to write some new Christmas arrangements which could be performed by three players at one piano. Even though all three parts are easily accessible for late elementary pianists, the combined effect is sure to be both sophisticated and rewarding! Separate parts can also be easily performed on electronic keyboards for added interest and color. And just in case you find it difficult to locate a third player, parts 1 and 2 will also work well together as a duet. An optional MIDI disk with background accompaniment also makes it possible to play these pieces as a solo. Best wishes for a merry Christmas and a special holiday season!

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A General MIDI disk is available (14516), which includes a full piano recording and background accompaniment.

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Part 1

Jolly Old Saint Nicholas

Traditional
Arr. by Dennis Alexander

MIDDLE

Allegro

f

Part 2



LOW

Allegro
Play 1 octave lower than written throughout

mf

7

2

1

13

1

3

rit. (2nd time)

7

1

Detailed description: This block contains musical notation for measures 7 through 12. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It features a melodic line with a long slur over measures 7-12 and a fingering '1' above measure 7. The bottom staff is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat, containing a simple accompaniment of quarter notes with a fingering '1' below measure 7.

13

1

Detailed description: This block contains musical notation for measures 13 through 18. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat, featuring a melodic line with a long slur over measures 13-18 and a fingering '1' below measure 13. The bottom staff is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat, containing a simple accompaniment of quarter notes with a fingering '1' below measure 13.

Part 3



Allegro
Play 1 octave higher than written throughout

HIGH

mf

Detailed description: This block contains musical notation for measures 1 through 6 of Part 3. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat and a 4/4 time signature. It features a melodic line with a fingering '3' above measure 1 and a dynamic marking '*mf*'. The bottom staff is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat, containing a simple accompaniment of quarter notes.

7

3

Detailed description: This block contains musical notation for measures 7 through 12 of Part 3. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat and a 4/4 time signature. It features a melodic line with a fingering '3' above measure 7. The bottom staff is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat, containing a simple accompaniment of quarter notes.

13

Detailed description: This block contains musical notation for measures 13 through 18 of Part 3. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat and a 4/4 time signature. It features a melodic line with a slur over measures 13-18. The bottom staff is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat, containing a simple accompaniment of quarter notes.

Part 1

Silent Night

Franz Grüber
Arr. by Dennis Alexander

Moderato

MIDDLE

mf

Part 2



Moderato

Play 1 octave lower than written throughout

LOW

mp

simile

7

13

7

13

Part 3



Moderato

Play 1 octave higher than written throughout

HIGH

mp

7

13

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