Dave Brubeck (1920–2012)

A jazz pianist who is noted for his improvisational skills, Dave Brubeck is also the composer of many fully-realized works, including choral, hymns, orchestral, chamber music, ballet suites, a string quartet, solo pieces for piano, violin & voice, and large-scale works for chorus and orchestra. He has been designated a “Living Legend” by the Library of Congress and a “Jazz Master” by the National Endowment for the Arts.

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Ev’ry Christmas I Hear Bells
SATB and piano

Ev’ry Christmas I hear bells tolling cross the earth
Bells that tell of
Bethlehem and His glorious birth,
Son of God and new-born King!
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Ev'ry Christmas I hear bells sounding world around,

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Ev'ry Christmas I hear bells sounding world around.
Prince of Peace and Savior King!

Tongues in every language sing praising Him Who's born this day, Promised Light to

Tell-ling once again the tale—miracles un-bound!

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*See performance note

show the way.

Toll the bells loud and clear!  Hear them ring, far and near!

Ring!  Ring!  Ring!  Ring!  Ring the bells on Christmas day!

Ring!  Ring!  Ring!  Ring!  Ring the bells on Christmas day!

*Performance note. Optional text: “Spread the news Christ is here!”
Christmas titles by Dave Brubeck

A Christmas Hymn (28888)
Ev’ry Christmas I Hear Bells (28887)
Good Will to Women (28886)
Hear the Bells Ring (HPC7082)
To Us Is Given (from Pange Lingua Variations) (28885)
We Three Kings (LG53057)
Why We Sing at Christmas (28889)