

# A JAZZY CHRISTMAS

(We Wish You a Merry Christmas • The Holly and the Ivy • Good King Wenceslas)

B $\flat$  BASS CLARINET

Arranged by JOHNNIE VINSON

Bright Jazz Waltz (♩ =  $\overset{\sim}{\underset{\sim}{\text{J}}}$   $\overset{\sim}{\underset{\sim}{\text{J}}}$ )

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13 "We Wish You a Merry Christmas"  
Traditional English Folksong

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51

Much Slower (Straight 8ths)

60 Moderately Slow "The Holly and the Ivy"  
18th Century English Carol

67

*f*, *mf*, *mp*, *p*, *rit.*, *rit.*, *p*

Detailed description: This is a musical score for Bb Bass Clarinet. It consists of seven staves of music. The first staff is titled 'Bright Jazz Waltz' and is in 3/4 time. The second staff begins with measure 9 and is titled '"We Wish You a Merry Christmas" Traditional English Folksong'. The third staff starts at measure 17 and ends at measure 24. The fourth staff starts at measure 25. The fifth staff starts at measure 33 and ends at measure 35. The sixth staff starts at measure 43 and ends at measure 46. The seventh staff starts at measure 51 and is titled '"The Holly and the Ivy" 18th Century English Carol'. It is marked 'Moderately Slow' and 'Much Slower (Straight 8ths)'. The score includes various dynamics such as *f*, *mf*, *mp*, and *p*, as well as performance instructions like *rit.* and *rit.*. The key signature is one flat (Bb) for most of the piece, but changes to one sharp (F#) for the 'The Holly and the Ivy' section.

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71

69

3

Slower

*mf* *rit.* *mp*

80 Fast Swing (♩ =  $\overset{\sim}{\underset{\sim}{\text{J}}}$ )

84 "Good King Wenceslas"  
Music from Piae Cantiones

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*f* *mf*

92

89

100

95

104

101

*f* *mf*

112

107

119

114

*f cresc.*

120

*ff*