

Bell-ringing at Speyer

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music by Ludwig Senfl
arr. Sheena Phillips

Not too fast $\text{♩} = c. 72$

mp

Soprano 1
Gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang,

f

Soprano 2
Come now, one and all, and help me to haul. Let's ring a peal.

f

Alto
Come here, one and all,

Tenor
-

Bass 1
-

Bass 2
-

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S1
gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang,

S2
Come you as well, and take a bell, and strike it well.

A
and help me to haul. Come join the band, and lend a hand.

mf

T
Mur, maun, mur, maun,

mf

B1
Mir, mur, maun, mar,

B2
-

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A

mp sempre

S1
gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang,

S2
mp
Gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, glang, gling, glang,

A
f
Our big day is to - day! Please step in and be - gin.

T
mur, maun, mur, maun, mur, maun, mir, mur, maun. Now come here

B1
f
mir, mur, maun. Pull

B2
mf
Mur, maun, mur, maun,

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S1
gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling. We're

S2
f
glang, gling, glang, glang, gling, glang. Now don't fire out, or

A
Take a turn, you will learn. Keep work - ing. No shirk - ing.

T
one and all, get to work on this peal, ring a bell.

B1
now, join our com - pa - ny, all who would bell - ring - ers

B2
mur, maun, bom, mur, maun, bom, mur, maun, bom, mur, maun, bom,

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S1 *mp*
 far from done, so please come spell me, some - one! Gling,

S2 *mp*
 I shall shout. And don't drop out! Gling, glang, gling, glang,

A *mp*
 Do not quit, do your bit, stretch up tall, give your all. Gling, glang,

T *mp*
 Mar, mir, mur, maun, mar, mer, mir, mur, maun, mar, mer, mir,

B1 *mp* *mf*
 be. Mir, mur, maun. Now on this big day,

B2
 mur, maun, bom, mur, maun, bom,

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S1
 glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling,

S2 *f*
 gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang. I don't like

A
 gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang,

T
 mur, maun, mar, mer, mir, mur, maun, mar, mer, mir, mur, maun, mir,

B1
 we're all here to play, so take up the slack, and tug sharp

B2
 mur, maun, bom, mur, maun, bom, mur, maun,

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S1 glang, gling, glang, *mp* gling, glang, gling, glang, gling,

S2 all this clang! *mp sempre* Gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang.

A gling, glang, *f* gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang,

T 8 mur, maun. Stretch up, stand tall, with all you've *mp*

B1 and quick. *mp* Mur, maun, mur, maun, mur, maun, mur,

B2 bom, mar, mir, mur maun, bom, mar, mir, mur,

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S1 glang. *mf* And to our dong - ing a crowd is

S2 *mf* Now what's the deal with this great peal?

A gling, glang. *f* Now, Paul and Finn, you

T 8 got pull one and all. *f* Mar, mer, mir, maun, *mf*

B1 maun. *mf* Come all of you, ring out, pull

B2 maun, bom, mir, mur, maun, bom, mir, mur, maun, bom,

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S1 *p*
 throng - ing. Keep up the bong - ing! Gling, glang,

S2
 The whole ding - dong takes us so long!

A
 must pull in, why are you wand - er - ing? *p*

T
 8 mar, mer, mir, maun, mar, mer, mir, maun, gling, *mp*

B1
 through, change 3 to 2. Gling, glang,

B2
 mir, mur, maun, bom, mar, mir, mur, maun,

D

S1
 gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling.

S2 *p*
 Gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang.

A *p*
 Gling, glang, gling, glang, bom. *mf*

T
 8 glang, *f* gling, glang, gling. Let each

B1
 gling, glang. John, ring be - hind. That's fine, go - ing well and *mf*

B2 *mp*
 bom, mur, maun, bom, mir, mur, maun,

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S1 And while we play for love, God reigns a - bove, and

S2 *mf* This ring-ing hurts my head, I'd rath-er be in bed. But we're here now;

A *mf* To do your best, don't go so fast! *mp* That's right!

T bell be rung well. *mp* Mur, maun, mur,

B1 good, nice job, my lad. *mp* Mur, maun, mur,

B2 bom, mir, mur, maun, bom, mur, maun, mur,

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S1 earns our praise on Sab-bath days. *p* Gling, glang, gling, glang,

S2 we'll cope some - how. *p* Gling, glang, gling,

A Run out! *p* Gling, glang, gling,

T maun, mur, maun, *f* gling, glang, gling, glang, gling,

B1 maun, hey. Now work as one, *mp* in God's

B2 maun, bom, mur, bom, mur, mer,

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S1
gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, gling,

S2
glang, gling, glang, gling, glang,

A
glang, gling, glang, *mp* mar, mir, maun, mar,

T
glang, gling, glang, gling, glang. *f* Now sound it loud to do

B1
own name. They'll come, or not, John, give all you have

B2
maun, bom, mar, mer, mir, mur, maun, bom,

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S1
glang, gling, gling, glang, gling, gling, glang, gling.

S2
gling, glang, gling, glang, gling, glang.

A
mir, maun, mar, mir, maun, mar, mir, maun,

T
us proud, and keep it strong, ring out the song,

B1
got, just boom it out. Finn, take good care: don't let

B2
mir, mur, maun, bom, mir, mur, maun, bom, mir, mur, maun,

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f

S1 The kids are com - ing now, bells toll - ing low, we'll sing our

S2 *f* So ring then in God's own name. What I say is: folk don't need this!

A *f* bom. Sound all as one in God's own name, and we'll all claim our

T Mass is now start - ing. Mar, mer, mir, mur, mar, mer, maun, mur, mar, mer,

B1 that sal - ly tear! Mur, maun, mur, maun, mur,

B2 *f* bom, bom, bom, bom,

71 *molto rit.* *p*

S1 best, now ring your last, the pas - tor comes in, and we be - gin! (nn)

S2 There's no call for all this clang - ing on the Sab - bath day! (nn)

A share of fame. To ce - le - brate, we've pulled our weight. Mur maun. (nn)

T mir, maun, mar, mer, mir, maun, mar, mer, mir, maun, mir, mur, maun. (nn)

B1 maun, mur, maun, mur, maun, mur, maun. (nn)

B2 bom, bom, bom, bom. (mm)