



Deck the Halls

With anticipation

Arr: Gilbert DeBenedetti

The sheet music consists of three staves of music for two voices. The top staff is in treble clef, the middle in bass clef, and the bottom in bass clef. The key signature is G major (two sharps). The time signature is common time (indicated by 'C'). The vocal parts are arranged in a call-and-response style, with one part singing a line and the other providing harmonic support. The lyrics are integrated into the musical lines. Chords indicated above the staff include A7, D, A7, D, A, D, A, G, E7, and A. Fingerings and dynamic markings like 'f' are also present.

1. Deck the halls with
'Tis the sea - son
boughs of hol-ly,
to be jol - ly,
Fa la la la la la
Fa la la la la la
la la la la!
Don we now our
gay ap - par - rel,
Fa la la la la la
la la la!
Troll the an - cient
Yule - tide car - ol!
Fa la la la la la
la la la!

2. See the blazing Yule before us,
Fa la la la la la, la la la la.
Strike the harp and join the chorus.
Fa la la la la la, la la la la.
Follow me in merry measure,
Fa la la, la la la, la la la.
While I tell of Yuletide treasure,
Fa la la la la la, la la la la.

3. Fast away the old year passes,
Fa la la la la la, la la la la.
Hail the new, ye lads and lasses,
Fa la la, la la la, la la la.
Sing we joyous, all together,
Fa la la la la la, la la la la.
Heedless of the wind and weather,
Fa la la la la la, la la la la.

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