

Joy To The World

Arranged by Bing Futch

1. D A D G A D

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2. 1 3 3. 4. 3. 4. 5. 5 6+ 6+

4. T 0 5 7 5 7 6+ 5 4 4. 3 2 7 7 6+ 5 4 4. 3 2 2

A D G D

7. T 8 1 1 1 1 1 1. 9 0 0 0 0 0 0. 2 1 0 7 5 4. 3 2 3

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A D D 2. Bm F#m/A

10 T 1 11 5 12 4
A 0 5 5
B 2 1 0 7 6+ 5 6+ 4

G D/A Em

13 T 3 14 2 15 1
A 3 3 1
B 5 6+ 7 4 2 3 4 5 4 3

D D/F# Bm D A D

16 T 0 17 0. 1. 18 0
A 0 0. 0. 0.
B 2 4 7 4. 2 0 1. 2 1 0

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D

Measures 19-21 of the piece. The treble clef staff shows a melody in D major. The guitar staff shows the fretting for the T, A, and B strings. Measure 19 starts with a double bar line and a repeat sign. Measure 21 ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign.

19 T 0 20 21 0
A 0 0 0 0
B 0 7 6+ 5 4 3 2 1 0 7 6+ 5 4 3 2 1 0

Measures 22-24 of the piece. The treble clef staff shows a melody in D major. The guitar staff shows the fretting for the T, A, and B strings. Measure 22 starts with a double bar line and a repeat sign. Measure 24 ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign.

22 T 0 23 24 0 0 0 0 0 0 3
A 0 3 5 7 7 6+. 5 4 0 0 0 0 0 3
B 0 2 4 7 7 6+. 5 4 0 0 0 0 0 3

Measures 25-27 of the piece. The treble clef staff shows a melody in D major. The guitar staff shows the fretting for the T, A, and B strings. Measure 25 starts with a double bar line and a repeat sign. Measure 27 ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign.

25 T 26 27 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 6+. 5 4
A 2 1 0 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 6+. 5 4
B 2 1 0 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 6+. 5 4

Track #: 1
Key: D
Tuning: dd-A-D
Speed/Difficulty: Slow/Moderate
Repetitions: 4 (kind-of)
Length of track: 2:45
Style: symphonic

There's not a lot of improvisation in this book as I just wanted to present the music of Christmas as an enjoyable and engaging exercise in ensemble playing. However, do experiment with things like counter-melody and different chord voicings, as these could come in handy when playing with one or more other dulcimer musicians.