



The Christmas Song (Chestnuts Roasting On An Open Fire)

Nat King Cole


♪ Niveau 46/100 (Ambitieux)

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Christmas song (Merry Christmas to you)

 piano accompaniment

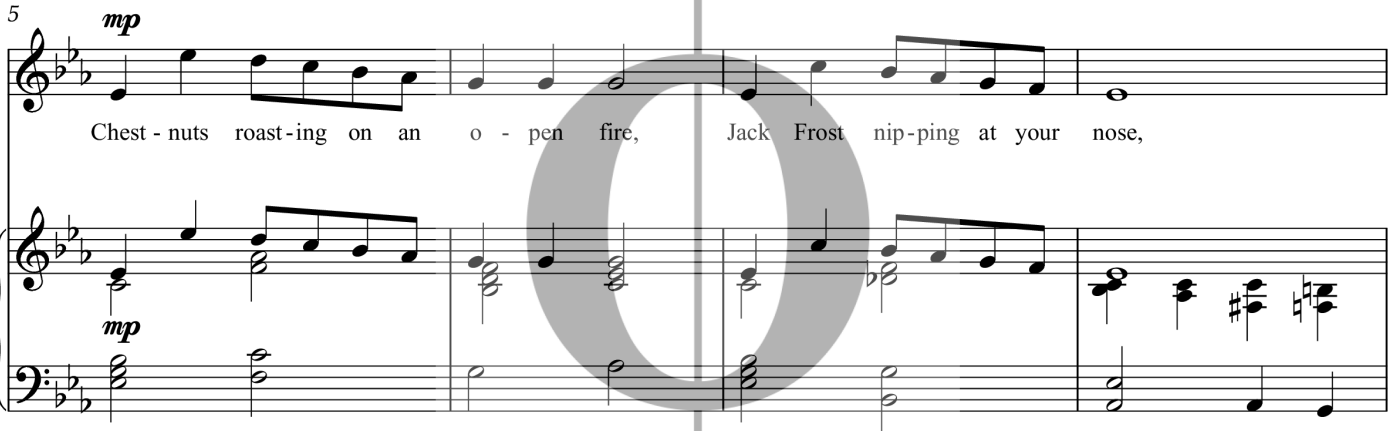
Words and Music by Mel Tormé and Robert Wells

Relaxed, lazy feel



The first system of the piano accompaniment is in 4/4 time, B-flat major, and begins with a relaxed feel. It features a melody in the right hand with a 'p' dynamic and a bass line in the left hand with a 'mp' dynamic. The music consists of four measures.

5 *mp*



Chest - nuts roast - ing on an o - pen fire, Jack Frost nip - ping at your nose,

The second system contains the first two lines of music. The vocal line starts at measure 5 with a 'mp' dynamic. The piano accompaniment continues with a 'mp' dynamic. The lyrics are: "Chest - nuts roast - ing on an o - pen fire, Jack Frost nip - ping at your nose,". A large watermark is visible over the piano accompaniment.

9



Yule - tide car - ols be - ing sung by a choir And folks dressed up like Es - ki -

The third system contains the third line of music. The vocal line starts at measure 9 with a triplet of eighth notes. The piano accompaniment also features a triplet. The lyrics are: "Yule - tide car - ols be - ing sung by a choir And folks dressed up like Es - ki -".