

The Morris Dance

words: Traditional

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Allegro ♩ = 120

S Ho! who comes

A Come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly, come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly,

T Come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly, come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly,

B Come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly, come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly,

4 here with bag-pi-ping and drum-ming? O! the Mor-ris 'tis I

come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly, come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly,

come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly, come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly,

come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly, come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly,

7 see, the Mor-ris dance a-com-ing. Come quick-ly,

cresc. come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly, come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly,

cresc. come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly, come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly,

cresc. come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly, come, las-ses, come, come quick-ly,

10 *ff*

Come, las - ses, come, come quick - ly! See, how trim they dance and trick - ly.

ff

come, las - ses, come, come quick - ly! See, how trim they dance and trick - ly.

ff

8 come, las - ses, come, come quick - ly! See, how trim they dance and trick - ly.

ff

come, las - ses, come, come quick - ly! See, how trim they dance and trick - ly.

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Hey, there a - gain! Ho, there a - gain! How the bells they shake it, shake it,

Hey, there a - gain! Ho, there a - gain! How the bells they shake it, shake it,

8 Hey, there a - gain! Ho, there a - gain! How the bells they shake it, shake it,

Hey, there a - gain! Ho, there a - gain! How the bells they shake it, shake it,

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shake it. Now for our town; there, and take it, take it,

shake it. Now, now for our town; there take it, take it, take it,

8 shake it. Now, now for our town; there take it, take it, take it,

shake it. Now, now for our town; there and take it, take it, there,

24 *p*

there and take it. Soft a - while, not a - way so fast,

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there and take it. Soft a - while, not a - way so fast,

p

8 there and take it. Soft a - while, not a - way so fast,

p

there and take it, take it, take it, take it, take it, take it, take it, take it,

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soft, soft, not a - way so fast, they melt them. Pi-per, pi-per, pi-per, pi-per,
 soft, soft, not a - way so fast, they melt them. Pi-per, pi-per, pi-per, pi-per,
 soft, soft, not a - way so fast, they melt them. Pi-per, pi-per, pi-per, pi-per,
 take it, take it, take it, they melt them. Pi-per, pi-per, pi-per, pi-per,

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Pi - per! be hang'd a - while. *sf* Knave, the dan-cers swelt them.
 pi-per, pi-per, pi-per! be hang'd a-while. *sf* Knave, the dan-cers swelt
 pi-per, pi-per, pi-per! be hang'd a-while. *sf* Knave, the dan-cers swelt
 pi-per, pi-per, pi-per! be hang'd a-while. *sf* Knave, the dan-cers swelt them.

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— Out there, out a-while! You come too far, I say, in.
 — them. Out there, out a-while! You come too far, I say, in.
 — them. Out there, out a-while! You come too far, I say, in.
 — Out there, out a-while! You come too far, I say, in.

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Out there, out a-while! You come too far, too far, I say, in.
 Out there, out a-while! You come too far, too far, I say, in.
 Out there, out a-while! You come too far, too far, I say, in.
 Out there, out a-while! You come too far, too far, I say, in.

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Give the hob-by-horse more room to play in,
 Give the hob-by-horse more room to play in, give the hob-by-horse more room to play in,

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Give the hob-by-horse more room to play in, give the hob-by-horse, the hob-by-horse
 Give the hob-by-horse more room to play in, give the hob-by-horse, the hob-by-horse
 Give the hob-by-horse more room to play in, give the hob-by-horse, the hob-by-horse

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more room to play in.
 more room to play in.
 horse more room to play in.
 horse more room to play in.