

No. 4

Take A Ride With Santa

from *A CHRISTMAS WISH*

Music by Lucas Richman

The musical score consists of 21 staves, each representing a different instrument or voice part. The instruments listed on the left side of the score are: Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1, Oboe 2, B_b Clarinet 1, B_b Clarinet 2, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Horn in F 1, Horn in F 2, B_b Trumpet 1, B_b Trumpet 2, Trombone 1, Trombone 2, Tuba, Timpani, Percussion 1, Percussion 2, Harp, Tina, Piano, Violin 1, Violin 2, Viola, Cello, and Bass. The score is set in common time (indicated by a '4') and uses a treble clef for most parts, except for Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Trombone 1, Trombone 2, Tuba, and Bass which use a bass clef. The piano part includes lyrics for the vocal line:

Dear Mis - ter San - ta Claus, I know child - ren ev' - ry - where send you let - ters filled with Christ - mas wish - es so I should - n't dare... But in

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Fl.1 Fl.2 Ob.1 Ob.2 Cl.1 Cl.2 Bsn.1 Bsn.2 Hn.1 Hn.2 Tpt.1 Tpt.2 Tbn.1 Tbn.2 Tba. Timp. Perc.1 Perc.2 Hp. T. Pno. Vln.1 Vln.2 Vla. Vcl. Cb.

case you have the time and there's no-thing else to do, I was hop - ing that you'd read this Christ-mas wish ad-dressed to
Celeste

p

9

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Tim.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

you.
Oh,
San - ta...

Solo
all others

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

12

Fl.1 *p*

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp. *p*

T. I don't need new toys or dolls; the ones I have are fine. I don't need new clothes to wear; all hand-me-downs will be mine.

Pno.

Vln.1 *p*

Vln.2 *p*

Vla. *p*

Vcl. *p*

Cb. *p*

16

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1 *p*

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp. *g* *o*

T. I won't ask for two front teeth; mine grew in long ago. And even if I want-ed pets my

Pno. *g* *o*

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla. *g* *o*

Vcl. *g* *o*

Cb. *g* *o*

19

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

al - ler - gies tell me, "no." No, what I want... what I wish... is to...

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

23

d=80

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

Take a ride with San - ta on Christ-mas eve this year. Share the sleigh with San - ta and

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

29

Fl.1
Fl.2
Ob.1
Ob.2
Cl.1
Cl.2
Bsn.1
Bsn.2
Hn.1
Hn.2
Tpt.1
Tpt.2
Tbn.1
Tbn.2
Tba.
Timp.
Perc.1
Perc.2
Hp.
T.
Pno.
Vln.1
Vln.2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

help spread Christ-mas cheer. A - round the world with San - ta we'll ride through - out the night; the

35

Fl.1
Fl.2
Ob.1
Ob.2
Cl.1
Cl.2
Bsn.1
Bsn.2
Hn.1
Hn.2
Tpt.1
Tpt.2
Tbn.1
Tbn.2
Tba.
Timp.
Perc.1
Perc.2
Hp.
T.
Pno.
Vln.1
Vln.2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

rein - deer, me and San - ta, un - til the morn - ing light. I have ne - ver want - ed a - ny - thing

41

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

quite this much, I know. Oh, how I wish that this could be... I wish you'd make it so.

Sus. Cymb.

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

47

Fl.1 Fl.2 Ob.1 Ob.2 Cl.1 Cl.2 Bsn.1 Bsn.2 Hn.1 Hn.2 Tpt.1 Tpt.2 Tbn.1 Tbn.2 Tba. Timp. Perc.1 Perc.2 Hp. T. Pno. Vln.1 Vln.2 Vla. Vcl. Cb.

Neck-lac-es and rings and stuff I cer-tain-ly don't need; And make-up I can't e-ven touch, as Dad-dy once loud-ly de-creed.

51

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1 *p*

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

All my friends want tick - ets to the lat - est boy band show, but that just does - n't in - terest me. By

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

54

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Tim.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

now you sure ly know... that what I want... what I wish... is to...

58 $\text{♩} = 80$

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

Take a ride with San - ta on Christ-mas eve this year. Share the sleigh with San - ta. Hey,

64

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Tim.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

may - be I could steer! Oh, I could help you, San - ta if you'd just let me, please. Not

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

70

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

down one chim - ney, San - ta, you'd e - ver have to squeeze. I'd place the pre - sent, San - ta, be -

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

neath each Christ-mas tree, I'd fill each stock - ing, San - ta, with gifts from you and me. To

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

82

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

be your help - er, San - ta, and see the smiles you bring is what I want, dear San - ta, much

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

more than a - ny - thing. Oh, how I wish that this could be... I want - ed you to know. A

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

94

Freely

A Tempo

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Tim.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

Christ - mas ride with San - ta: I wish you'd make it so. (pno. opt.)

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

100

Ritard.

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.1

Ob.2

Cl.1

Cl.2

Bsn.1

Bsn.2

Hn.1

Hn.2

Tpt.1

Tpt.2

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

Tba.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Hp.

T.

Pno.

Vln.1

Vln.2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.