

# I Saw Three Ships

Arr. Judith Thompson

Tenor

Bass

Piano

The musical score consists of three staves: Tenor (soprano), Bass (bass), and Piano (right hand). The key signature is one sharp (F# major). The time signature is common time (indicated by '8'). The piano part provides harmonic support with chords. The lyrics begin with 'I saw three ships come sail - ing in, On The Vir - gin Ma - ry and Christ were there,' followed by a repeat sign and a continuation of the melody.

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The section starts with 'Christ-mas day, on Christ-mas day.' The lyrics continue with 'Christ-mas day, on Christ-mas day: I saw three ships come sail - ing in, On The Vir - gin Ma - ry and Christ were there,' followed by a repeat sign and a continuation of the melody.

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The section starts with 'Christ-mas day in the morn - ing,' followed by 'And what ws in those Pray, whith-er sailed those.' The lyrics continue with 'Christ-mas day in the morn - ing,' followed by a repeat sign and a continuation of the melody.

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ships all three? On Christ-mas day, on Christ-mas day, And what was in those ships all three? On  
ships all three? Pray whith-er sailed those ships all three?

On Christ-mas day, on Christ-mas day, On

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Christ-mas day in the morn-ing,

Christ-mas day in the morn-ing, The O they sailed in to

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On Christ-mas day, on Christ-mas day, On

Beth - le hem, On Christ-mas day, on Christ-mas day: O they sailed in to Beth - le-hem, On

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Christ-masday in the morn - ing, Ding dong,  
Christ-masday in the morn - ing, And all the bells on

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ding dong on Christ-masday, on Christ-masday, Ding dong, ding dong on  
earth shall ring, on Christ-masday, on Christ-masday, And all the bells on earth shall ring, on

41

Christ-masday in the morn-ing, Then let us all re - joice a-main, On  
Christ-masday in the morn-ing. Then let us all re - joice a-main, On

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Christ-mas day, on Christ-mas day, then let us all re - joice a-main on Christ-mas day in the

Christ-mas day, on Christ-mas day, then let us all re - joice a-main on Christ-mas day in the

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morn - ing, on Christ - mas day in the morn - ing.

morn - ing. on Christ - mas day in the morn - ing.