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# Three Spanish Carols

Ríu Ríu Chíu

A la Puerta del Cielo

Ya Viene la Vieja

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# THREE SPANISH CAROLS

## Riu, Riu, Chiu

For SATB\* with Optional Accompaniment

16th Century Spanish Carol

English Text by  
AUDREY SNYDER

**Performance Note:** Ideally, this piece should be performed in a spirited and buoyant manner at the fastest tempo possible, while still maintaining clear diction and rhythmic precision.

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Performance Time: Approx. 2:00

Quickly and with spirit (♩ = 126-138)

Piano (Optional)

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Soprano *mf*

Alto Wel - come, Christ - mas Day, the mer - ry bells are ring - ing,  
Ri - u, ri - u, chi - u, la - guar - da ri - be - ra,

Unis. *mf*

Tenor

Bass

Ab Eb Ab Fm Db C

10

Peace to all we pray, all we pray, the choirs are  
Dios guar - do el lo - bo el lo - bo de nues -

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Cm Gm Cm Fm Gm Fm C Fm

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*mp* sweet - ly sing - ing, tra cor - de - ra, *mp* Peace to all we pray, we Dios guar - do el lo - bo el

*mp* Peace to all we pray, all we Dios guar - do el lo - bo, el

Cm Fm no3rd Cm Gm Cm Fm Gm

13

20 Solo 1 or small group\* *mf*

*mf* pray, the choirs are sweet - ly sing - ing. lo - bo de nues - tra cor - de - ra. 1. In the fros - ty Much - as pro - fe -

*mf* Solo 3 or small group\* 2. Shine with - in our Mi - rá bien que os

Fm Cm Fm C Fm no3rd

17

air the car - ols are re - sound - ing, On this spe - cial ci - as lo har pro - fe - ti - za - do, ya un en nues - tros

souls the won - der of cre - a - tion, May the light of cua - dre que an - si - na lo o - ye - ra, que Dios no pu -

Cm no3rd Fm no3rd

21

\* in either register  
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28 Solo 2 or small group\*  
mf *4/8*

day we find joy and love a - bound - ing.  
di - as lo he - mos al - can - ça - do.

wis - dom bring hope to ev - ery na - tion.  
die - ra ha - zer - la más ma - dre.

3 Bells are bright - ly  
A Dios hu - ma -

4 All to - geth - er  
El que - ra su

Cm no3rd Fm no3rd

25

toll - ing glad tid - ings of good cheer,  
na do - ve - mos en el sue - lo, Let us all re -

sing we this hap - py roun - de - lay, May we all de -

pa - dre hoy del - la nas - ci - ó, y el que la

y al hom - bre nel

29

1. *go to bars*  
joi - ce at this fes - tive time of year.  
cie - lo - por - qu'el le qui - sie - ra.

2.  
light in this bless - ed hol - i - day.  
cri - ó su hi - jo se di - xe - ra.

Cm no3rd Fm no3rd Fm no3rd

33 \* Or Solo 1 (3) may continue  
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37 *mf*

Wel - come, Christ - mas Day, the mer - ry bells are ring - ing,  
 Ri - u, ri - u, chi - u, la - guar - da ri - be - ra,

*mf*

Ab Eb Ab Fm Db C

37

42

Peace to all we pray,  
 Dios guar - do el lo - bo

Peace to all we pray, we pray, the choirs are  
 Dios guar - do el lo - bo el lo - bo de nues -

Peace to all we pray, all we pray,  
 Dios guar - do el lo - bo, el lo - bo

Cm Gm Cm Fm Gm Fm C Fm

41

47

sweet - ly sing - ing,  
 tra cor - de - ra,

*mp* Peace to all we pray,  
 Dios guar - do el lo - bo el

Peace to all we pray, all we  
 Dios guar - do el pray, lo - bo, we  
 Cm Gm Cm Fm Gm

C Fm no3rd

45

2nd time to Coda  $\oplus$   
\*(2nd time rit.)

3. Dec - or - ate the  
Es - te qu'es nas -

52 *f*

prayer, the choirs are sweet - ly sing - ing.  
lo - bo de - nues - tra cor - de - ra. Fa la

Fm Cm Fm C Fm no3rd

49

tree with bright il - lu - mi - na - tion, Cel - e - brate this day with a  
ci - do es el gran mo - nar - ca, Chris - to pa - tri - ar ca

la, Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa

Cm no3rd Fm no3rd Cm no3rd

53

song of ju - bi - la - tion.  
de car - ne ves - ti - do; 60 *mp*

la la, Unis. *f* Fa la la la la

Fill our hearts with joy as we raise our voice in  
ha - nos re - di - mi - do con se ha - zer chi -

Fm no3rd

58

\*A cappella performances only: Use this as the ending.  
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Fa la la la la la la la la la la.

song, Wish - ing Christ - mas Spir - it will last the whole year long.  
 qui - to, aun - qu'e - ra in - fi - ni - to, fi - ni - to se hi - zie - ra.

Cm Fm

63

**⊕ CODA** 69 *rit.* *f* *molto rit.*

sing - ing. Wel - come, Christ - mas Day, Wel - come, Christ - mas  
 de - ra. Ri - u, ri - u, chi - u, Ri - u, ri - u,

*rit.* *f* *molto rit.*

Wel - come, Christ - mas Day, Christ - mas  
 Ri - u, ri - u, chi - u, ri - u,

Fm no3rd Cm Fm Cm no3rd

*f rit.* *molto rit.*

68

*ff* *a tempo* *div.*

Day!  
 chi - u!

*ff* *a tempo*

Day!  
 chi - u!

Fm Cm Fm no3rd

*a tempo* *ff*

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