Hand in Hand

The melody of this song is shared with the anonymously composed "Coventry Carol" and traditionally sung to lyrics written in 1534, sometimes attributed to Robert Croo. This setting is inspired by Francis Melville’s traditional arrangement.

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1. Now we are come to darkest night, and to the shortest day; in darkness how shines each small light! Hand in hand find our way! way!

2. Lest we be lost, bewildered here, for creatures we are of day, in love and kindness we find cheer! Hand in hand find our way! way!

3. Moving below, roots reach and grow, while barren branches sway. 'Neath rain and glitt'ring stars and snow, hand in hand find our way!

4. Hardship may come to every home, sorrow, want, and dismay. Let not our cares be borne alone; hand in hand find our way!

Repeat first verse

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