

# **Burton Concert Band**

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2023**

**Burton Concert Band:**

Conductor – Ed Temple

Band Leader – Kate Fox



## **A Festive Christmas**

Kenny Bierschenk

## **Concert Suite from the Polar Express**

Alan Silvestri & Glen Ballard, arr. Jerry Brubaker

## **Away in a Manger**

Traditional – please sing along!

## **Patapan**

Bernard de la Monnoye, Arr. Elliot Del Borgo

## **O Little Town of Bethlehem**

Traditional – please sing along!

## **In the Bleak Midwinter**

Gustav Holst, arr. Robert W. Smith

## **A Christmas Mambo**

David Edmonds, arr. Barrie Hingley

**- Interval -**

## **C'est Noel**

Andre Jutras

## **Once in Royal David's City**

Traditional – please sing along!

## **Cantique De Noel**

arr. Willy Haurvast

## **Fairytale of New York**

MacGowan & Finer, arr. Jock McKenzie

## **Silent Night**

Traditional – please sing along!

## **White Christmas**

Irving Berlin, arr. John Edmondson – Please sing along!

## **A Christmas Festival**

Leroy Anderson

## **Sleigh Ride**

Leroy Anderson

## **Hark the Herald Angel's Sing**

Traditional – please sing along!

**Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,  
The little lord Jesus laid down his sweet head.  
The stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay,  
The little lord Jesus asleep on the hay.**

**The cattle are lowing, the baby awakes,  
But little lord Jesus no crying he makes.**

**I love thee, lord Jesus! Look down from the sky,  
And stay by my bedside till morning is nigh.**

**Be near me, lord Jesus; I ask thee to stay  
Close by me for ever and love me, I pray.  
Bless all the dear children in thy tender care,  
And fit us for heaven to live with thee there.**

**1. O little town of Bethlehem,**

**how still we see thee lie!  
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep  
the silent stars go by.  
Yet in thy dark streets shineth  
the everlasting light;  
the hopes and fears of all the years  
are met in thee tonight.**

**2. O morning stars, together  
proclaim the holy birth,  
and praises sing to God the King,  
and peace to men on earth.  
For Christ is born of Mary;  
and, gathered all above,  
while mortals sleep, the angels keep  
their watch of wond'ring love.**

**3. How silently, how silently,  
the wondrous gift is giv'n!  
So God imparts to human hearts  
the blessings of His heav'n.  
No ear may hear His coming,  
but in this world of sin,  
where meek souls will receive Him still,  
the dear Christ enters in.**

**4. O holy Child of Bethlehem,  
descend to us, we pray;  
cast out our sin and enter in;  
be born in us today.  
We hear the Christmas angels,  
the great glad tidings tell;  
O come to us, abide with us,  
our Lord Emmanuel!**

**1. Once in royal David's city**  
stood a lowly cattle shed,  
where a mother laid her baby  
in a manger for his bed:  
Mary was that mother mild,  
Jesus Christ, her little child.

**2. He came down to earth from heaven**  
who is God and Lord of all;  
and his shelter was a stable  
and his cradle was a stall:  
with the poor and mean and lowly  
lived on earth our Saviour holy.

**1. Silent night, holy night!**  
All is calm, all is bright.  
Round yon Virgin, Mother and Child.  
Holy infant so tender and mild,  
Sleep in heavenly peace,  
Sleep in heavenly peace

**2. Silent night, holy night!**  
Shepherds quake at the sight.  
Glories stream from heaven afar  
Heavenly hosts sing Alleluia,  
Christ the Savior is born!  
Christ the Savior is born

**3. For he is our childhood's pattern:**  
day by day like us he grew,  
he was little, weak and helpless,  
tears and smiles like us he knew;  
and he feels for all our sadness,  
and he shares in all our gladness.

**4. And our eyes at last shall see him,**  
through his own redeeming love,  
for that child so dear and gentle  
is our Lord in heaven above;  
and he leads his children on  
to the place where he is gone.

**3. Silent night, holy night!**  
Son of God love's pure light.  
Radiant beams from Thy holy face  
With dawn of redeeming grace,  
Jesus Lord, at Thy birth  
Jesus Lord, at Thy birth

## **White Christmas**

**I'm dreaming of a white Christmas  
Just like the ones I used to know  
Where the treetops glisten and children listen  
To hear sleigh bells in the snow  
I'm dreaming of a white Christmas  
With every Christmas card I write  
"May your days be merry and bright  
And may all your Christmases be white"**

### **1. Hark! The herald angels sing**

**"Glory to the new-born king  
Peace on earth and mercy mild  
God and sinners reconciled"  
Joyful all ye nations rise  
Join the triumph of the skies  
With angelic host proclaim  
"Christ is born in Bethlehem"  
Hark! The herald angels sing  
"Glory to the new-born king"**

### **2. Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace!**

**Hail the Sun of Righteousness!  
Light and life to all He brings  
Risen with healing in His wings  
Mild He lays His glory by  
Born that man no more may die  
Born to raise the sons of earth  
Born to give them second birth  
Hark! The herald angels sing  
"Glory to the new-born king"**

Burton Concert Band are performing an expanded festive programme, titled "Crescendo to Christmas" on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December, 7:30pm at Repton Village Hall. Tickets are £8 - available now on Ticket Source or on the door.

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# Crescendo to Christmas!

Burton Concert Band play festive favourites!



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**Repton Village Hall,**

**Askew Grove, DE65 6GR**

**Tickets £8**



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