

Hanover Winter Song

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Briskly

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1. Ho, a song by the fire;— Pass the pipes, pass the bowl. Ho, a
(2. Pile the) logs on the fire;— Fill the pipes, pass the bowl. Pile the
(3. Oh, a) god is the fire;— Pull the pipes, drain the bowl. Oh, a

(1) song by the fire— With a skoal, with a skoal. Ho, a
(2) logs on the fire— With a skoal, with a skoal. Pile the
(3) god is the fire— With a skoal, with a skoal. Oh, a

G/F Gdim Cm6/Eb D7

(1) song by the fire; Pass the pipes with a skoal,
(2) logs on the fire; Fill the pipes with a skoal,
(3) god is the fire; Pull the pipes with a skoal,

D7

(1) For the wolf - wind is wail - ing at the door - ways, And the
(2) For the fire gob - lins flick - er on the cell - ing, And the
(3) For the room has a spir - it in the em - bers, 'Tis a

(1) snow drifts deep a - long the road, And the
 (2) wine witch glit - ters in the glass, And the
 (3) god and our fa - thers knew his name, And they

(1) ice gnomes are march - ing from their Nor - ways, And the
 (2) smoke wraiths are drift - ing, curl - ing, reel - ing, And the
 (3) wor - ship'd him in long - for - got De - cem - bers, And their

(1) great white cold walks a - broad.
 (2) sleigh bells jingle as they pass.
 (3) hearts leap'd high with the flame.

Chorus

f *p* (1) But,
 (2) For here by the fire, we de - fy frost and storm; Ha,
 (3) And

ha, we are warm, and we have our heart's de - sire. For here we're good fel - lows, and the

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Chords: D/A, A7, D7, N.C., G, D7, G, G/F, C/E, Cm/Eb, G/D, D, N.C., D/F#, G/F, C/E, G/D, C, D7, 1. 2. G, 3. G, 8va-7

Lyrics:

 beech-wood and the bel-lows, And the cup is at the lip in the pledge of fel-low-ship. Oh,

 here_by the fire,_ we de-fy frost and storm; Ha, ha, we are warm, and we

 have our heart's de-sire. For here we're good fel-lows, and the

 beech-wood and the bel-lows, And the cup is at the lip

 In the pledge of fel-low-ship, of fel-low-ship. 2. Pile the ship.

 3. Oh, a

Tempo/Style: Slowly, N.C.