

# Sing We This Roundelay

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A musical score for a roundelay. The score consists of 12 staves, each labeled "Voice". The music is in common time and G major. The lyrics are as follows:

Sing we this roun - de-lay mer-ri-ly, my mate, - Ill may he thrive that doth us hate; Sing we this round-de-lay

Sing we this roun - de-lay mer-ri-ly, my mate, - Ill may he thrive that

Sing we this roun - de-lay mer-ri-ly, my

Sing we this

The lyrics repeat every two measures, creating a continuous loop for the roundelay.

Vo. mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de -

Vo. doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this

Vo. mate, - III may he thrive that doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay

Vo. roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my mate, - III may he thrive that

Vo. Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my

Vo. - - - Sing we this - - -

Vo. - - - - -

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Vo.

Vo.

Vo.

Vo.

one.

one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, Mer - ril - ly, each one.

Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one,

Sing - this - roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this

Sing

Sing - this - roun - de - lay.

Sing this roun - de - lay, Sing

Take care who will for I'll take none. Sing this

Take care who will, for I'll take none. Take care who

Sing, each one, Take care who will, for

Sing - we this roun - de - lay Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing,

Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay

one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay,

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Vo.

Sing we this roun-de - lay, Mer - ril-ly, each one.

roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun-de - lay, Mer - ril-ly, each one.

mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this roun-de - lay mer - ri - ly each one,

Sing - this - roun-de - lay, mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this

roun - de - lay, Sing - this - roun-de - lay,

will for I'll take none. Sing this roun - de - lay, Sing

I'll take none. Take care who will for I'll take none. Sing this

each one, Take care who will for I'll take none. Take care who

Sing - we this roun-de - lay, Sing, each one, Take care who will, for

Vo.

mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun-de - lay Sing - we this roun-de - lay, Sing,

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Vn. Vn. Vn. Vn. Vn. Vn.

Sing we this roun-de - lay, Mer - ril-ly, each one.

roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one. Sing we this roun-de - lay, Mer - ril-ly, each one.

mer - ri - ly my mate, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one,

Sing - this - roun-de - lay, mer - ri - ly my mate, Sing we this

roun - de - lay, Sing - Sing - this - roun-de - lay,

will for I'll take none. Sing this roun - de - lay, Sing -

I'll take none. Take care who will for I'll take none. Sing this

each one. Take care who will, for I'll take none. Take care who

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Vo.

Sing we this roun-de - lay, Mer-ril-ly, each one.

roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun-de - lay, Mer-ril-ly, each one.

mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this roun-de - lay mer - ri - ly each one,

Sing - this - roun-de - lay, mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this

roun - de - lay, Sing - this - roun-de - lay,

will for I'll take none. Sing this roun - de - lay, Sing -

This musical score page features 12 staves, each labeled 'Vo.' (Vocal). The music is in common time, with a key signature of A major. The vocal part begins with a rest, followed by a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics 'Sing we this roun-de - lay' are introduced at measure 52, with 'Mer-ril-ly' on the next staff. The vocal part continues with various rhythmic patterns and lyrics, including 'mer - ri - ly, my mate,' and 'roun - de - lay.' The score concludes with the lyrics 'will for I'll take none.' The vocal part ends with a long sustained note.

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Vcl.

Sing we this roun - de - lay, Mer - ril - ly, each one.

roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, Mer - ril - ly, each one.

mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one,

Sing - this - roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this

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Vcl.

Sing we this roun - de - lay,      Mer - ril - ly, each one.

Vcl.

roun - de - lay      mer - ri - ly      each      one,

Sing we this roun - de - lay,      Mer - ril - ly, each one.

The musical score consists of ten staves, each representing a violin (Vcl.). The first ten measures are blank, indicating a sustained note or rest. Starting at measure 60, the vocal part begins with the lyrics "Sing we this roun - de - lay, Mer - ril - ly, each one." This is followed by a repeat sign and the same lyrics again. The vocal line is supported by the sustained notes from the previous ten measures.

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Vo. lay mer - ri ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay

Vi. roun - de - lay, mer - ri ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay,

Vi. mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de -

Vi. doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this

Vi. mate, - Ill may be thrive that doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay

Vi. roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my mate, - Ill may he thrive that

Vi. Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my

Vi. - - Sing we this

Vi. - -

Vo. - -

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Vo. Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing, each one, Take care who will, for  
 mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing,  
 lay mer - ri ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay  
 roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay,  
 mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de -  
 doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this  
 mate, - III may he thrive that doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay  
 roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my mate, - III may he thrive that  
 Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my  
 Sing we this  
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 -  
 -  
 -  
 Vo.

Vo. I'll take none. Take care who will for I'll take none. Sing this  
 Vcl. each one, Take care who will, for I'll take none. Take care who  
 Vcl. Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing, each one, Take care who will, for  
 Vcl. mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing,  
 Vcl. lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay  
 Vcl. roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay,  
 Vcl. mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de -  
 Vcl. doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this  
 Vcl. mate, - Ill may be thrive that doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay  
 Vcl. roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my mate, - Ill may he thrive that  
 Vcl. Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my  
 Vcl. Sing we this  
 Vcl.  
 Vcl.  
 Vcl.

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Vo. roun - de - lay, Sing Sing - this - roun - de - lay.

Vo. will for I'll take none. Sing this roun - de - lay, Sing -

Vo. I'll take none. Take care who will for I'll take none. Sing this

Vo. each one, Take care who will, for I'll take none. Take care who

Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing, each one, Take care who will, for

Vo. mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing,

Vo. lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay

Vo. roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay,

Vo. mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay

Vo. doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this

Vo. mate, - III may he thrive that doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay

Vo. roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my mate, - III may be thrive that

Vo. Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my

Vo. Sing we this

Vo. -

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mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one,

Sing - this - roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this

roun - de - lay, Sing - Sing - this - roun - de - lay,

will for I'll take none. Sing this roun - de - lay, Sing

I'll take none. Take care who will for I'll take none. Sing this

each one, Take care who will, for I'll take none. Take care who

Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing, each one, Take care who will, for

mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing,

lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay

roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay.

mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de -

doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this

mate, - Ill may he thrive that doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay

roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my mate, - Ill may he thrive that

Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my

Vo. - - - - Sing we this

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Vo. Sing we this roun - de - lay, Mer - ri - ly, each one.

Vo. roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, Mer - ri - ly, each

Vo. mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly, my mate,

Vo. Sing - this - roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly, my mate,

Vo. roun - de - lay, Sing -

Vo. will for I'll take none. Sing this roun - de - lay,

Vo. I'll take none. Take care who will for I'll take none.

Vo. each one, Take care who will, for I'll take none.

Vo. Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing, each one,

Vo. mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay Sing - we this roun - de - lay,

Vo. lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one,

Vo. roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one,

Vo. mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each

Vo. doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one,

Vo. mate, - Ill may he thrive that doth us hate;

Vo. roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly, my mate, -

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Vo. —

Vo. — one.

Vo. — one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, Mer - ri - ly, each one.

Vo. — Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this

Vo. — Sing — Sing — this — roun - de - lay,

Vo. — Sing this roun - de - lay, Sing —

Vo. — Take care who will for I'll take none. Sing this

Vo. — Take care who will, for I'll take none. Take care who

Vo. — Sing, each one, Take care who will, for

Vo. — Sing — we this roun - de - lay Sing — we this roun - de - lay, Sing.

Vo. — Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing — we this roun - de - lay

Vo. — one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay,

Vo. — Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay,

Vo. — Sing we this round - de - lay mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this

Vo. — Ill may he thrive that doth us hate; Sing we this round - de - lay

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Vo.

Vo.

Vo.

Vo.

Sing we this roun - de - lay, Mer - ril - ly, each one.

Vo. 3  
roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, Mer - ril - ly, each

Vo.  
mer - ri - ly, my mate, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each

Vo.  
Sing this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly, my mate,

Vo.  
roun - de - lay, Sing

Vo.  
will for I'll take none. Sing this roun - de - lay,

Vo.  
I'll take none. Take care who will for I'll take none.

Vo.  
each one, Take care who will for I'll take none.

Vo.  
Sing - we this roun - de - lay, Sing each one,

Vo.  
mer - ri - ly each one, Sing - we this roun - de - lay Sing - we this roun - de - lay,

Vo.  
lay mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one,

Vo.  
roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay mer - ri - ly each one,

Vo.  
mer - ri - ly, each one, Sing we this roun - de - lay, mer - ri - ly each