

The Seven Joys of Mary

The first good joy that Mary had, it was the joy of one,
To see the blessed Jesus Christ when he was first her son.
*When he was first her son, good man, and blessed may he be,
Both Father, Son and Holy Ghost to all eternity.*

The next good joy that Mary had, it was the joy of two,
To see her own son Jesus Christ to make the lame to go.
To make the lame to go, good man.....

The next good joy that Mary had, it was the joy of three,
To see her own son Jesus Christ to make the blind to see.

The next good joy that Mary had, it was the joy of four,
To see her own son Jesus Christ to read the Bible o'er.

The next good joy that Mary had, it was the joy of five,
To see her own son Jesus Christ to bring the dead alive.

The next good joy that Mary had, it was the joy of six,
To see her own son Jesus Christ upon the crucifix.

The next good joy that Mary had, it was the joy of seven,
To see her own son Jesus Christ to wear the crown of heaven.

The Sussex Carol

On Christmas night all Christians sing,
To hear the news the angels bring. (x2)
News of great joy, news of great mirth,
News of our merciful King's birth.

Then why should men on earth be so sad,
Since our Redeemer made us glad?
When from our sins he set us free,
All for to gain our liberty.

When sin departs before his grace,
Then life and health come in its place.
Angels and men with joy may sing,
All for to see the new born King.

All out of darkness we have light,
Which makes the angels sing this
night,