



## Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas text reordering

*Apart from the first line in each one, the lines of each verse are mixed up. Try to guess their order, then listen or check your answers with your teacher.*

1. Have yourself a merry little Christmas
  - a) Our troubles will be out of sight
  - b) Let your heart be light
  - c) From now on
  
2. Have yourself a merry little Christmas
  - a) From now on
  - b) Make the Yuletide gay
  - c) Our troubles will be miles away
  
3. Here we are as in olden days
  - a) Happy golden days of yore
  - b) Gather near to us once more
  - c) Faithful friends who are dear to us
  
4. Through the years
  - a) If the Fates allow
  - b) We all will be together
  - c) And have yourself a merry little Christmas now
  - d) Hang a shining star upon the highest bough

## Vocabulary

*Find old-fashioned or poetic words in the song that mean the same as these common modern English words:*

- branch
- again
- a long time ago
- Christmas time
- happy

## Discussion

- Does this song make you feel happy or sad?
- Why do you think some people get especially sad around Christmas time?
- What can be done to help such people?