

# Here We Come A-Wassailing

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1. Here we come a-wassailing  
Among the leaves so green;  
Here we come a-wand'ring  
So fair to be seen.

*Chorus:*

*Love and joy come to you,  
And to you your wassail too;  
And God bless you and send you a Happy  
New Year  
And God send you a Happy New Year.*

2. Our wassail cup is made  
Of the rosemary tree,  
And so is your beer  
Of the best barley.

*Chorus*

3. We are not daily beggars  
That beg from door to door;  
But we are neighbours' children,  
Whom you have seen before.

*Chorus*

4. Call up the butler of this house,  
Put on his golden ring.  
Let him bring us up a glass of beer,  
And better we shall sing.

*Chorus*

5. We have got a little purse  
Of stretching leather skin;  
We want a little of your money  
To line it well within.

*Chorus*

6. Bring us out a table  
And spread it with a cloth;  
Bring us out a mouldy cheese,  
And some of your Christmas loaf.

*Chorus*

7. God bless the master of this house  
Likewise the mistress too,  
And all the little children  
That round the table go.

*Chorus*

8. Good master and good mistress,  
While you're sitting by the fire,  
Pray think of us poor children  
Who are wandering in the mire.

*Chorus*

