

# Hymns

## The Rocking Song

**Little Jesus, sweetly sleep, do not stir;  
We will lend a coat of fur,  
We will rock you, rock you, rock you,  
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Fur is no longer appropriate wear for small infants, both due to risk of allergy to animal fur, and for ethical reasons. Therefore faux fur, a nice cellular blanket or perhaps micro-fleece should be considered a suitable alternative.

**Please note, only persons who have been subject to a Criminal Records check and have enhanced clearance will be permitted to rock baby Jesus. Persons just always carry their CRB disclosure with them at all times.**

## Jingle Bells

**Dashing through the snow  
In a one horse open sleigh  
O'er the fields we go  
Laughing all the way**

A risk assessment must be carried out before an open sleigh is considered safe for member of the public to travel on. The risk assessment must also consider whether it is appropriate to use only one horse for such venture, particularly if passengers are of larger proportions. Please note, permission just be gained from landowners before entering their fields. To avoid offending those not participating in celebrations, we would request that laughter is moderate only and not loud enough to be considered a noise nuisance.

## While Shepherds Watched

**While shepherds watched  
Their flocks by night  
All seated on the ground  
The angel of the Lord came down  
And glory shone around**

The union of Shepherd's has complained that it breaches Health and Safety regulations to insist that shepherds watch their flocks without appropriate seating arrangements being provided, therefore benches, stools and

orthopaedic chairs are now available. Shepherds have also requested that due to the inclement weather conditions at this time of year that they should watch their flocks via CCTV cameras from centrally heated shepherd observation huts.

Please note, the angel of the lord is reminded that before shining his/her glory all around she/he must ascertain that all shepherds have been issued with glasses capable of filtering out the harmful effects of UVA, UVB and Glory.

**Also please note the Angel of the Lord is not gender specific.**

**Arn't you glad you are retired!**