

Soprano

III- The Holly and the Ivy

Traditional
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III- Slowly (♩ = circa 60)

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1 - The ho-ly and the i - vy, When they are both full
3 - The hol-ly bears a prick-le, As sharp as a - ny

grown, Of all the trees that are in the wood, The hol - ly bears the
And Ma - ry bore sweet Je - sus Christ On Christ-mas Day in the

crown; The ris-ing of the sun And the run-ning of the deer, The play-ing of the
morn;

mer-ry or - gan, Sweet sing-ing in the choir. 2-The hol - ly bears a ber - ry, As
6-The hol - ly bears a bark, As

red as a - ny blood, And Ma-ry bore sweet Je-sus Christ, To do poor sin - ners
bit - ter as a - ny gall, And Ma-ry bore sweet Je-sus Christ For to re - deem us

good; The ris-ing of the sun And the run-ning of the deer, The play-ing of the
all;

mer - ry or - gan, Sweet sing - ing in the choir.