

The well-loved Christmas song of the poor boy who wants to see the baby Jesus but has nothing to give that would be worthy of royalty. So he thinks. But the true spirit of Christmas is that a gift from the heart can be the best present of all.

Come they told me, pa rum pum pum pum
A new born King to see, pa rum pum pum pum
Our finest gifts we bring, pa rum pum pum pum
To lay before the King, pa rum pum pum pum,
rum pum pum pum, rum pum pum pum,

So to honour Him, pa rum pum pum pum,
When we come.

Little Baby, pa rum pum pum pum
I am a poor boy too, pa rum pum pum pum
I have no gift to bring, pa rum pum pum pum
That's fit to give the King, pa rum pum pum pum,
rum pum pum pum, rum pum pum pum,

Shall I play for you, pa rum pum pum pum,
On my drum?

Mary nodded, pa rum pum pum pum
The ox and lamb kept time, pa rum pum pum pum
I played my drum for Him, pa rum pum pum pum
I played my best for Him, pa rum pum pum pum,
rum pum pum pum, rum pum pum pum,

Then He smiled at me, pa rum pum pum pum
Me and my drum.



they told me: I've heard it
new born: newly on Earth
to honour: to respect
gift: present
to lay: to put
to fit: to suit
shall I... : am I to...
to nod: give permission
keep time: correct speed

What does not fit to Christmas? Delete 5 more expressions:

a little baby – ~~a gun~~ – a star – an ox – a dinosaur - lambs – a computer – happiness – night – snow – songs – snowflakes – music – gifts – a submarine – fur tree – candles – football match - angels – family – sheep – swimming pool – shepherds

Choose the better alternative:

Another **famous / forgotten** Christmas carol is "Silent Night, **Noisy Day / Holy Night**". It's the most **difficult / popular** song in the world and has been translated into over 100 languages. The original "Stille Nacht, heilige Nacht" was composed in **Timbuktu / Austria** in **2018 / 1818**. The song has been traveling around **Greenland / the world** ever since. Silent Night was even declared an **immaterial / immoral** cultural heritage by UNESCO in 2011.