HEY! HO!
NOBODY HOME!

Traditional English Folk Song

SAB accompanied

Arranged by Russell Robinson

Range:

Soprano | Alto | Bass

Language: English
Use: General
Time: Approx. 2:08
*Difficulty: Moderate
Performance Notes

*Hey! Ho! Nobody Home!* dates back to sixteenth-century England. Its’ origins are unknown, but it was sung by carolers who went to door, hoping to receive food for their singing. It could be sung during the holiday season; however, it has no reference to any holiday, so it can be sung any time of the year.

From the moment I began to arrange this wonderful canon, or round, I heard it as a “swing” tune. Since all of the voices get to sing the melody at some point, it is easy to learn, and success can quickly be achieved. Feel free to reinforce the swing style by adding a drum set or a snare drum with brushes. Pay close attention to the changing dynamics, which will make the performance exciting.

I hope you enjoy singing this “jazzy” traditional English folk song.

Russell Robinson, Arranger
Hey! Ho! Nobody Home!
for SAB Voices with Piano

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Swing! \( \text{q} = 132 \) \( \text{d} = \text{3/4} \)

Hey! Ho! Nobody home! Meat, nor drink, nor money have I none!

Still I will be mer - ry, ver - y mer - ry, Hey! Ho! Nobody home!

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Hey! Ho! No bod-y home!

Meat, nor drink, nor mon-ey have I none!

Still I will be mer-ry, ver-y mer-ry,

Hey! Ho! No bod-y home!

Meat, nor drink, nor mon-ey have I none!

Still I will be mer-ry, ver-y mer-ry,

Hey! Ho! No bod-y home!

Meat, nor drink, nor mon-ey have I none!

Still I will be mer-ry, ver-y mer-ry,
Hey! Ho! No body home! Meat, nor drink, nor money have I none!

Still I will be very merry, Hey! Ho! No body home!

Hey! Ho! No body home! Meat, nor drink, nor money have I none!

Soprano

Alto

Baritone
Hey! Ho! Nobody home!

Hey! Ho! Nobody home!

Hey! Ho! Nobody home!

Hey! Ho! Nobody home!

Meat, nor drink, nor money have I none!

Meat, nor drink, nor money have I none!

Meat, nor drink, nor money have I none!

Meat, nor drink, nor money have I none!

Still I will be
be ver-ry mer-ry, Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

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Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!

Hey! Ho! No-bod-y home!
Meat, nor drink, nor money - have I none! Still I'll be very merry, -

Hey! Ho! Nobody home! Meat, nor drink, nor money - have I none!

Meat, nor drink, nor money - have I none! Still I will be merry, very merry, -

Hey! Ho! Nobody home! Hey! Ho! Nobody home!

Hey! Ho! Nobody home! Hey! Ho! Nobody home!

Still I will be merry, very merry, Hey! Ho! Nobody home!

Hey! Ho! Nobody home! Hey! Ho! Nobody home!
Still I will be mer - ry, ver - y mer - ry, Hey! Ho! No - bod - y home!

Still I will be mer - ry, ver - y mer - ry,
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