

A Joyful Song

This song can be sung in a variety of ways.
Enjoy exploring the different options:
Sing in canon, unison, SA, SSA or with body percussion.

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$\text{♩} = 100-110$

Body Percussion

4/4

*
tap, tap, clap, click, clap, click. sim.
1.

1. I like to sing a joy - ful song.

(Optional)
2. Loo - lee, lay - la.

(Optional)
3. I like to sing a joy - ful song.

$\text{♩} = 100-110$

Piano

The score for the first system includes a body percussion line with a 4/4 time signature and a tempo of 100-110. The percussion pattern is marked with an asterisk and the instruction 'tap, tap, clap, click, clap, click. sim.'. Below this are three vocal staves labeled 1, 2, and 3. Staff 1 has the lyrics 'I like to sing a joy - ful song.' Staff 2 has '(Optional) Loo - lee, lay - la.' Staff 3 has '(Optional) I like to sing a joy - ful song.' Below the vocal staves is a piano accompaniment section with a grand staff (treble and bass clefs) and the same tempo of 100-110.

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2. I like to sing a joy - ful song. Loo lee-loo lay - la, loo lee-loo lay...

3. Loo - lee, lay - la. Loo - lee, lay - la.

I like to sing a joy - ful song. I like to sing a joy - ful song.

The second system of the score continues the vocal parts and piano accompaniment. It starts with a measure number '5' and a body percussion line. Below are three vocal staves. The first staff has two parts: '2. I like to sing a joy - ful song. Loo lee-loo lay - la, loo lee-loo lay...' and '3. Loo - lee, lay - la. Loo - lee, lay - la.' The second staff has 'Loo - lee, lay - la. Loo - lee, lay - la.' The third staff has 'I like to sing a joy - ful song. I like to sing a joy - ful song.' Below the vocal staves is a piano accompaniment section with a grand staff.

*Optional Body Percussion:
R hand taps R leg, L hand taps L leg,
Clap to L side, RH click R side,
Clap to L side, RH click R side

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Part One canon begins after two bars.
Piano accompaniment is optional.

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1. 2.

4.

Loo - lee - loo - lay - la, loo - lee - loo lay. Loo - lee - loo - lay - la,

Loo - lee, lay - la. Loo - lee,

I like to sing_ a joy - ful song._ I like to sing_ a

1. 2.

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rall.

both hands click

loo - lee loo lay. Loo - lee - loo - lay - la, loo - lee - loo lay.

lay - la. Loo - lee, lay - la.

joy - ful song._ I like to sing_ a joy - ful song._

rall.