

# Tommy's Children's Carols and Actions

Here are some fun Christmas carols with **easy to follow actions** that even the biggest kids in your audience will enjoy!  
Why not nominate some to lead the way at the front of the venue.



## Away in a manger

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,

The little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head.

The stars in the sky looked down where he lay,

The little Lord Jesus asleep in the hay.

The cattle are lowing, the baby awakes,

But little Lord Jesus no crying he makes.

I love Thee, Lord Jesus, look down from the sky

And stay by my side until morning is nigh.

Be near me, Lord Jesus, I ask Thee to stay

Close by me forever, and love me, I pray.

Bless all the dear children in thy tender care,

And take us to heaven, to live with Thee there.



### Actions

Cradle imaginary baby

Point up to the stars

Place hands together to create pillow and rest head on them

Rub eyes as if waking up

Place hand above eyes as if looking into distance

Make heart shape with hands and then place hands together in praying symbol



## Twinkle Twinkle Christmas Star

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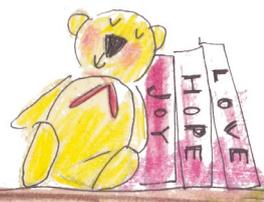
Way up high is where you are.

Shining bright for all to see,

On the top of our tree.

Twinkle Twinkle Christmas star,

Way up high is where you are.



### Actions

Stretch arms out and open and close hands to resemble a twinkle

Stretch and point to the sky

Stretch arms above head and down to sides

Pretend to put the star on the Christmas tree

Stretch arms out and open and close hands to resemble a twinkle

Stretch and point to the sky

# When Santa Got Stuck Up The Chimney

## Actions

When Santa got stuck up the chimney,

Pretend you are pushing down to try and get out of the chimney

He began to shout,

Use your hands to make it look like you're shouting

You girls and boys,

Point to the different girls and boys

Won't get any toys,

Move your finger from side to side

If you don't pull me out.

There's soot on my back,

Dust yourself down from the soot

And my beard is all black,

Touch your beard that's dusted with soot

My nose is tickling too!

Rub and crinkle your nose

When Santa got stuck up the chimney,

Achoo, Achoo, Achoo.

Make three big sneezing motions

# Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer

## Actions

Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer

Create antler ears with fingers and place on head

Had a very shiny nose,

Point to nose

And if you ever saw it

Use hands to create the shape of glasses

You would even say it glows.

All of the other reindeer

Point to all other reindeer

Used to laugh and call him names.

Hold belly and make laughing motion

They never let poor Rudolph

Join in any reindeer games.

Then one foggy Christmas Eve,

Santa came to say

Act as Santa Claus talking to Rudolph

Rudolph with your nose so bright,

Point to nose again

Won't you guide my sleigh tonight?

Pretend you're sitting in Santa's sleigh ready to go

Then all the reindeer loved him,

And they shouted out with glee

Bring hands up to your mouth and pretend to shout

Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer

You'll go down in history!

Make one big excited jump to end the song