

The Wren-Boys' Song

for SATB Voices *a cappella*

TRAD.

Arranged by Stef Conner

♩ = 120

Soprano

The wren, the wren, the king of all birds, Saint Ste - phen's
Al - though he is little, his fa - mi - ly's great! I pray you good

Alto

The wren, the wren, the king of all birds, Saint Ste - phen's
Al - though he is little, his fa - mi - ly's great! I pray you good

Bass

The wren, the wren, the king of all birds, Saint Ste - phen's
Al - though he is little, his fa - mi - ly's great! I pray you good

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Tr.

Second time only

Sing_ hey,___ sing ho!___ Sing_____

S.

Day___ was caught in a furze.
land - la - dy give us a drink! Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol - ly, sing

A.

Day was caught in a furze.
land - la - dy give us a drink! Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol - ly, sing

B.

Day___ was caught in a furze.
land - la - dy give us a drink! Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol - ly, sing

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Tr. *hol - ly, ——— Just a drop to drink, would cure_ mel - an - cho - ly!*

S. *hol - ly! A drop just to drink it would cure mel - an - cho - ly*

A. *hol - ly! A drop just to drink it would cure mel - an - cho - ly*

B. *hol - ly! A drop just to drink it would cure mel - an - cho - ly*

ROUND

Tr. *1 or 2 voices*

S. 1 *Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol - ly, sing hol - ly, A drop just to*

22 *tutti*

S. 1 *drink, it would cure mel - an - cho - ly! Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol - ly, sing*

S. 2 *Sing hey, sing*

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S. 1 *hol - ly, A drop just to drink, it would cure mel - an - cho - ly! Sing hey, sing*

S. 2 *ho! Sing hol - ly, sing hol - ly, A drop just to drink, it would cure mel - an -*

A. 1 *Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol - ly, sing hol - ly, A drop just to*

A. 2 *Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol - ly, sing*

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S. 1
ho! Sing hol-ly, sing hol-ly, A drop just to drink it would cure mel-an -

S. 2
cho-ly! Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol-ly, sing hol-ly, A drop just to

A. 1
drink it would cure mel-an - cho-ly Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol-ly, sing

A. 2
hol-ly, A drop just to drink it would cure mel-an - cho-ly Sing hey, sing

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S. 1
cho-ly Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol-ly, sing hol-ly, A drop just to

S. 2
drink it would cure mel-an - cho-ly Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol-ly, sing

A. 1
hol-ly, A drop just to drink it would cure mel-an - cho-ly Sing hey, sing

A. 2
ho! Sing hol-ly, sing hol-ly, A drop just to drink it would cure mel-an -

T. B.
tenors tenors + basses sim.
Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hey, sing

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S. 1
drink it would cure mel-an - cho-ly Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol-ly, sing

S. 2
hol-ly, A drop just to drink it would cure mel-an - cho-ly Sing hey, sing

A. 1
ho! Sing hol-ly, sing hol-ly, A drop just to drink it would cure mel-an -

A. 2
cho-ly Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol-ly, sing hol-ly, A drop just to

T. B.
ho! Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hey, sing

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S. 1
hol-ly, A drop just to drink it would cure mel-an - cho-ly

S. 2
ho! Sing hol-ly, sing hol-ly, A drop just to drink it would cure mel-an -

A. 1
cho-ly Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol-ly, sing hol-ly, A drop just to

A. 2
drink it would cure mel-an - cho-ly Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hol-ly, sing

T. B.
ho! Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hey, sing ho! Sing hey... *basses only* *p*

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S. 2
cho-ly

A. 1
drink it would cure mel - an - cho-ly

A. 2
hol-ly, A drop just to drink it would cure mel - an - cho-ly