The Twelve Dogs of Christmas

Verse 1

Santa bought a farm last spring

Ho ho ho ho ho

It had twelve dogs he taught to sing

Ho ho ho ho ho

Everyone from field and forest would come each night to hear His yuletide canine chorus singing songs of Christmas cheer His yuletide canine chorus singing songs of Christmas cheer

Verse 2

Each day the dogs rehearsed their song

Bow wow wow wow

They asked Bernice to moo along

She's a singing cow

So, three poodles, eight dalmations, a bulldog on a leash

Became a great sensation with their mooing cow, Bernice

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(Spoken)

As they gathered 'round the Christmas tree to sing of yuletide bliss, The twelve dogs and the heifer sounded quite a bit like this! (Canine Cadenza)

(To the tune of Jingle Bells)

Ruff ruff ruff, ruff ruff ruff,

Ruff ruff ruff ruff!

Moo!

Moo!

Ruff ruff ruff, ruff ruff ruff,

Ruff ruff ruff ruff!

Moo!

Moo!

Verse 3

We hope you like the puppies' song

Ho ho ho ho ho

Perhaps you'd like to sing along

Ho ho ho ho ho

If you're sitting on our right side, just "moo" like you're a cow

Those on our left, sing like a dog. Relax, we'll show you how! Those on our left, sing like a dog. Relax, we'll show you how!

(Spoken)

Now, since you're the dogs, sing "Jingle Bells," but bark it, "Ruff ruff!" And you're the cows, so "moo" with us O.K. Let's hear your stuff!

(To the tune of Jingle Bells)
Ruff ruff ruff, ruff ruff ruff,
Ruff ruff ruff ruff!

Moo!

Moo!

Ruff ruff ruff, ruff ruff ruff,

Ruff ruff ruff ruff!

Moo!

Moo!

On behalf of Santa's puppies, we wish you yuletide cheer Have a doggone merry Christmas and a happy New, Ruff ruff ruff, ruff ruff, Ruff ruff ruff!

Moo!