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the Vancouver Youth Choir Series
new adventures for youth choirs

*Patapan - arr. Jon Washburn
from "A Dylan Thomas Christmas"*



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Words by Jon Washburn
Duration: c. 1' 45"

French traditional
arr. Jon Washburn

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Allegretto ♩ = 108

S. *whisper! mf*
Pan, pa-ta - pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

A. *pp*
Pan, pa-ta - pan, pa-ta - pa-ta - pa-ta - pan! Pan, pa-ta-

T. *pp*
pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

B. *pp*
Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan!

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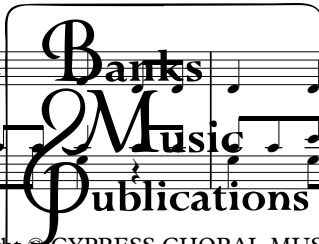
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pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta - pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-

pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan!



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pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan! *f* Wil-lie,

pan, pa-ta-pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan! *mf* Pan,

pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan! *mf* Pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan!

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fetch your lit-tle drum. With a whis-tle, Rob - in come! Let us hear the fife and

pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan,

pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

mf Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan,

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drum, too-dle-oo-dle-ee, a - a - pa - a - pan! Let us hear the fife and

pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan,

pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta -

pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan,

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drum, to the ho - ly child we come.

pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, Pan, pa-ta-

pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan!

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mf pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan! Like the man of old-en time, to the child we raise our

mf pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan! Pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan,

mf pan, pa-ta-pan! Pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

mf Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

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rhyme, Let us hear the fife and drum, too-dle-oo-dle-oo, pa-ta-pa-ta-

pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan,

pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

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pan! Let us hear the first and drum, to the baby child we come!

pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan,

pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta -

pan, pa - ta - pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan!

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whisper! *mf*

Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

mp

Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-

mp

pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-

mp

Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan!

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one, when they hear the fife and drum. Let us sing of peace to come, too-dle-oo-dle-

pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan,

one, when they hear the fife and drum. Let us sing of peace to come, too-tle-oo-tle-

pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta -

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oo, pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Let us hear the fife and drum, to the ho-ly child we

pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan, pan,

oo, pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Let us hear the fife and drum, to the ho-ly child we

pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta -

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whisper! *mf*

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come! *mp* Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta-pan!

pan, pan! *p* Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan!

come! *mp* Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! *p* Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan!

mp pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! *p* Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta - pa-ta-pa-ta-pan! *pp* Pan, pa-ta-pan, pa-ta

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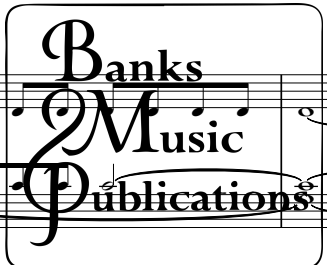
pan, pa - ta-pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta-pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta-pan, pa - ta - pan!

pp pan! *dim.* Pan, pa - ta - pan, pa - ta - pa - ta - pa - ta - pan!

pp Pan, pa - ta-pan, *dim.* pa - ta - pa - ta - pa - ta - pan!

dim. pa - ta - pa - ta - pan!

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Jon Washburn is the longtime Conductor and Artistic Director of the Vancouver Chamber Choir. Well known internationally for his mastery of choral technique and interpretation, he travels widely as guest conductor, lecturer, clinician and master teacher. He is also an active composer, arranger and editor and has had many compositions published, performed and recorded around the world.

In 2001 Mr. Washburn was named a Member of the Order of Canada (the nation's highest civilian honour) and in 2002 received Queen Elizabeth's Golden Jubilee Medal for his lifetime contribution to Canadian choral art.

Still, still, still is the first movement of Washburn's "A Dylan Thomas Christmas".

Choirs looking for the perfect half to their Christmas program will find this option very attractive. The music is lovely and eminently singable for any choir. It has arranged eleven familiar Christmas carols to accompany the reading of the Dylan Thomas classic - "A Child's Christmas in Wales". The mood created is delicious. Listen below to learn how the narration works with the singing. The Vancouver Chamber Choir had the reader (of Welsh descent) read from an arm-chair under a lamp, stage left, on a slightly elevated platform - very effective! The choral score is marked with narration cues - and the narrator's script is marked with choir cues. Everything flows as smoothly as a sled over snow.

Please visit cypresschoral.com to listen to the entire work while studying the score.

Still, still, still is part of the Vancouver Youth Choirs Series.

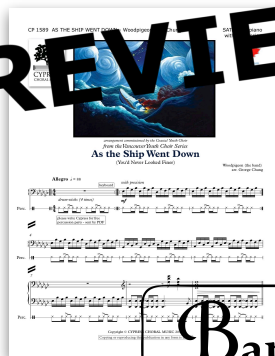


Carrie Tennant is the Artistic Director of the Vancouver Youth Choir. Founded by Carrie in 2011, VYC is now recognized as among Canada's finest youth choirs, having recently won first prize in its category in the 2017 National Competition for Canadian Amateur Choirs. VYC has been featured on CBC radio, at the Push International Performing Arts Festival, numerous Cantando Festivals, and the International Choral Festival in Missoula, Montana.

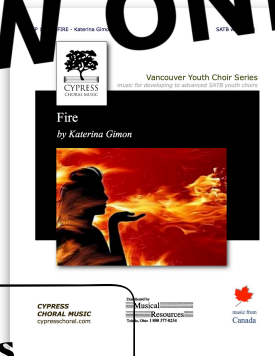
Other winning selections in the Vancouver Youth Choir Series:



Walk Out on the Water
arr. Geung Lee-Kroeker



As the Ship Went Down
arr. George Chung



Fire (from Elements)
by Katerina Gimón



V'la L'bon Vent
arr. Allison Girvan

