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01. Hark The Herald Angels Swing 02. Little Drummer Boy 03. Rudolph The Red Nosed Reindeer 04. Silent Night 05. Joy To The World 06. Jingle Bells 07. White Christmas 08. I'll Be Home For Christmas 09. The Christmas Song 10. Winter Wonderland 11. Deck The Halls  
Personnel: Yank Lawson - Trumpet Bob Haggart - Bass Billy Butterfield - Trumpet Bud Freeman - Tenor Sax Vic Dickenson - Trombone Rulh Sutton - Piano Bob Wilber - Clarinet & Soprano Sax Eddie Hubble - Trombone Gus Johnson – Drums

This is one of the happier Christmas jazz LPs ever released. Although barely 32 minutes, this outing by the World's Greatest Jazz Band is filled with delightful performances of Yuletide favorites including "Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer," "Joy to the World," "Jingle Bells," and "Winter Wonderland," showing that many Christmas songs lend themselves well to Dixieland. The hot music is performed by trumpeters Yank Lawson and Billy Butterfield, trombonists Vic Dickenson and Eddie Hubble, Bob Wilber on clarinet and soprano, tenor saxophonist Bud Freeman, pianist Ralph Sutton, bassist Bob Haggart, and drummer Gus Johnson. Recommended. ---Scott Yanow, Rovi

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