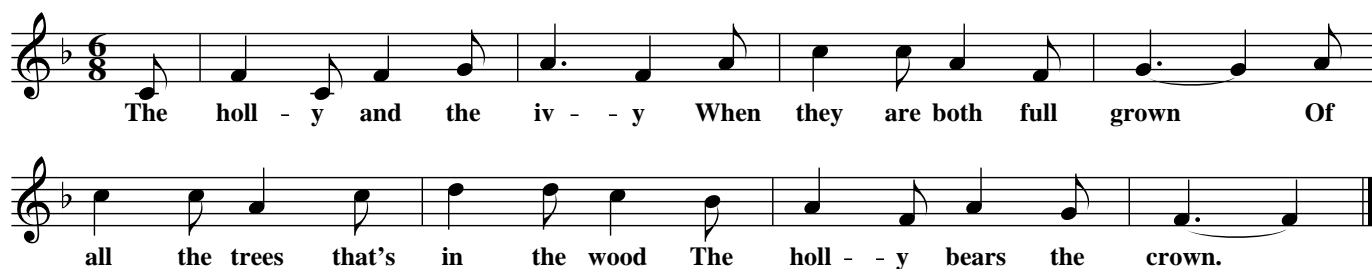


The Holly And The Ivy



1. The holly and the ivy
When they are both full grown
Of all the trees that's in the wood
The holly bears the crown.

2. The holly bears a berry
As red as any blood
And Mary bore sweet Jesus Christ
On Christmas Day in the morn.

3. The rising of the sun
The running of the deer
The playing of the merry organ
Sweet music in the choir.

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