



Leroy Anderson (1908–1975) was one of the finest composers of light music in the 20th century. His best-known works are The Syncopated Clock, Blue Tango, and, of course, **Sleigh Ride**. It was said that Anderson got the idea for the piece during a heat wave in 1946. As proof of its popularity, Sleigh Ride has been performed and recorded by more musical artists than any other song in Western music.

Sleigh Ride

Music by Leroy Anderson
Words by Mitchell Parish

Moderately fast and bright

5 4 1 2 1 2 1 5 3 2 1 5 3 2 1

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f Just hear those sleigh bells jin - gl - ing, ring, ting, tin - gl - ing

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too. Come on, it's love - ly weath - er for a