

## Gloucestershire Wassail

Traditional

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arr. Paul Brandvik

(With vigor)

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1. Was - sail, was - sail all o - ver the town! Our  
 2. So here is to Cher - ry and to his right cheek, Pray  
 3. And here is to Dob - bin and to his right eye, Pray

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toast it is white and our ale it is brown, our  
 God send our mas - ter a good piece of beef, And a  
 God send our mas - ter a good Christ - mas pie; And a

bowl it is made of the white ma - ple tree; with the  
 good piece of beef that may we all see; with the  
 good Christ - mas pie that may we all see; with our

was - sail - ing bowl we'll drink to Thee.  
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4. And here is to Broad May and to her broad horn  
 May God send our master a good crop of corn,  
 And a good crop of corn that may we all see;  
 With our wassailing bowl we'll drink unto Thee.

6. And here is to Colly and to her long tail,  
 Pray God send our master he never may fail  
 A bowl of strong beer; I pray you draw near,  
 And our jolly wassail its then you shall hear.

7. Come butler, come fill us a bowl of The best,  
 Then we hope That your soul in heaven may rest;  
 But if you do draw us a bowl of The small,  
 Then down shall go butler, bowl and all.

8. Then here's to The maid in The lily white smock  
 Who tripped to The door and slipped back The lock!  
 Who tripped to The door and pulled back The pin,  
 For to let These jolly wassailers in.