



# UP ON THE HOUSETOP

*By Benjamin Hanby*

Up on the housetop reindeer pause  
Out jumps good old Santa Claus  
Down thru the chimney with lots of toys  
All for the little ones Christmas joys

Ho, ho, ho! Who wouldn't go!  
Ho, ho, ho! Who wouldn't go!  
Up on the housetop, click, click, click  
Down thru the chimney with Good Saint Nick

First comes the stocking of little Nell  
Oh, dear Santa fill it well  
Give her a dolly that laughs and cries  
One that will open and shut her eyes

Ho, ho, ho! Who wouldn't go!  
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Up on the housetop, click, click, click  
Down thru the chimney with Good Saint Nick

Next comes the stocking of little Will  
Oh, just see what a glorious fill  
Here is a hammer and lots of tacks  
Also a ball and a whip that cracks

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