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Frosty the Snowman

By Steve "Jack" Rollins and Steve Nelson



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Grammar Practice Book- Day 1

About the Author

Frosty the Snowman is a popular Christmas song written by Steve "Jack" Rollins and Steve Nelson and recorded by Gene Autry and the Cass County Boys in 1950. Like Jingle Bells and several other songs about winter, Frosty the Snowman is considered to be a Christmas song despite not mentioning Christmas at all. It was written after Gene Autry recorded "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer" and the single sold 2 million copies.

Frosty the Snowman was a response to Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer. When song writers Jack Nelson and Steve Rollins saw what success Gene Autry was having in 1949, singing Rudolph's song, they decided to write their own silly but catchy song doing variations on an icon of Christmas. It took them months to decide on a living snowman as their subject, but they still had it ready in time for a 1950 release. Autry, delighted with the opportunity to ride his own recording's coat-tails back to the top of the charts, recorded it, and the rest, as they say, is history.

To Do Today:

Underline all the pronouns

Put a box around all proper nouns

Circle all the common nouns.

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Frosty the snowman was a jolly happy soul,
With a corncob pipe and a button nose
And two eyes made out of coal.
Frosty the snowman is a fairy tale, they say,
He was made of snow but the children
Know how he came to life one day.

To Do Today:

Circle all the nouns

Underline all the past tense verbs

What is synonym for "visions"? _____

List 2 words in this passage that rhyme.

Illustrate the passage in the space below

Frosty the Snowman

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There must have been some magic in that
Old silk hat they found.
For when they placed it on his head
He began to dance around.
O, Frosty the snowman
Was alive as he could be,
And the children say he could laugh
And play just the same as you and me.

To Do Today:

Circle all the adjectives.

What is a synonym for "laugh"? _____

List 2 words in this passage that rhyme.

Illustrate the passage in the space below.

Frosty the Snowman

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Thumpetty thump thump,

Thumpety thump thump,

Look at Frosty go.

Thumpetty thump thump,

Thumpety thump thump,

Over the hills of snow.

To Do Today:

Underline all the verbs.

Put a box around all the nouns.

Onomatopoeia are words that sound like the objects they name or the sounds those objects make. What onomatopoeia is in this passage?

List 2 other onomatopoeia you know. _____

Illustrate the passage in the space below.

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Frosty the snowman knew
The sun was hot that day,
So he said, "Let's run and
We'll have some fun
Now before I melt away."
Down to the village,
With a broomstick in his hand,
Running here and there all
Around the square saying,
Catch me if you can.

To Do Today:

Circle all the past tense verbs.

Put a box around all the present tense verbs.

Underline all the pronouns.

List 2 words in this passage that rhyme.

Illustrate the passage in the space below.

Frosty the Snowman

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He led them down the streets of town
Right to the traffic cop.
And he only paused a moment when
He heard him holler "Stop!"
For Frosty the snow man
Had to hurry on his way,
But he waved goodbye saying,
"Don't you cry,
I'll be back again some day."

To Do Today:

Circle all the verbs.

Underline all the prepositions.

Choose 2 adjectives and replace them with synonyms.

Illustrate the passage in the space below.