

# NURSERY NEWS

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*stage audience sing  
stars round of applause  
robins dance attention  
looking listening*

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And if you ever saw it, You would even say it glows  
All of the other reindeer, Used to laugh and call him names  
They never let poor Rudolph, Join in any reindeer games.*



*Then one foggy Christmas Eve, Santa came to say,  
Rudolph with your nose so bright, Won't you guide my sleigh to-night.*

*Then how all the reindeer loved him, As they shouted out with glee,  
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