

# Christmas is coming ...

Christmas is coming, we'll all be getting fat,  
and getting dunk at lunch time, to wear a paper hat.  
the tree will drop its needles,  
and they'll spread across the floor,  
the children will be shouting,  
till we cant take any more!  
we'll spend at least an hour a day,  
repairing all the lights,  
then drink more than we're used to,  
and put the world to rights....

The telly will be full of ads, for all the new year sales,  
and so will all the papers, in case the tv fails....  
Delabole will glow, from more than twenty miles away,  
as everyone competes,  
to have the most lights on the day!

This may sound rather synical, but most of it is true,  
for if you think about it, this is what we always do!  
These things all go together,  
and make every Christmas nice,  
whilst sat beside the fire,  
and looking out at snow and ice....

So have a merry Christmas, enjoy it as before,  
and when you've had a drink or two,  
pour out a couple more!!

Richard Cook