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# **Atlanta Radio Theatre Company**

## *An Atlanta Christmas*

Written by Thomas E. Fuller  
Adapted for audio by Daniel Taylor  
Additional material by Ron N Butler, Phil Carter,  
Daniel W. Kiernan, "Sketch" Quinn, Brad Strickland,  
Kelley Swilley, Daniel Taylor, and Tracy Wilson.

Saturday and Sunday, December 10 and 11, 2005  
Memorial Hall inside Stone Mountain Park  
2:00 pm

The other day I found myself thinking about Christmas carols. It's difficult not to at this time of year. And I began to consider the fact that this is probably the one time of the year when you can be guaranteed to hear pretty much the exact same songs as last year. Tradition.

I look around my neighborhood, and in between the new inflatable ornaments and the lights strung from the bushes I see fir trees hung with hand-made ornaments passed down through generations and fragile glass balls that are hard to find now but were purchased in quantity by some grandparent or other. Tradition.

Christmas memories. Like many other holidays, Christmas has its fads that come one year and go the next, but we always return to tradition, to our memories.

The Atlanta Radio Theatre Company is now in its 21st year of existence and our 4th here at Stone Mountain Park's Fruitcake Festival, presenting our New Old-Time Radio wherever we think someone might find us worth listening to.

We hope you enjoy today's show. We look forward to performing it every year. Old friends whose busy schedules prevent them from being in many of our other productions throughout the year come back to be a part of Christmas, to present Thomas E. Fuller's own heartwarming memories. And like the season itself, it can be a stressful time to produce a show.

But it's all worth it. We hope you think so, too, and will add this to your own list of Christmas memories. Thank you for coming. Sit back, relax, close your eyes, and experience the magic of Christmas through the Magic of Radio.

David Benedict, Producer

### **Bumpers Crossroads**

**Rose's Fruitcake** by Daniel W. Kiernan

Announcer	Hal Wiedeman
Santa	Lou Brock
Tildy	Stephanie Orr
Woody	Terry Sanders
Grandpa	Daniel W. Kiernan
Rose	Clair W. Kiernan
Luke	Alton Leonard
Mary	Trudy Leonard

### **Technical Credits**

Producer	David Benedict
Director	Geoffrey M. Brown
Production assistant	Elayna Little
Musical director	Alton Leonard
Performers	Alton Leonard Geoffrey M. Brown Terry Sanders Brad Weage
Live Foley	Lili Bilbao Colin Butler
Audio Engineering	Cyd Hoskinson Bob Zimmerman

Recorded effects provided by Henry Howard and Audio Craft Studio, performed by David Benedict

Atlanta Radio Theatre Company Chorus  
Alton Leonard, Geoffrey M. Brown, Terry Sanders,  
Clair W. Kiernan, Stephanie Orr, Kelley Swilley

**A USO Christmas** by Thomas E. Fuller

Roger  
Jerry  
William Brown  
Lou Brock

**The Ultimate Christmas Pageant** by Thomas E. Fuller

Miss Agnes Nutter  
Coach Packard  
Joseph/Wise Man 1  
Mary  
Innkeeper/Wise Man 2  
Wife/Angel  
Shepherd 1  
Shepherd 2  
Shepherd 3/Wise Man 3  
Kelley Swilley  
Daniel W. Kiernan  
Zach Gibson  
Stephanie Orr  
Wyatt Gibson  
Christina Fuller  
Clair W. Kiernan  
Colin Butler  
Xander Gould

*Old Atlanta Christmas* by Alton Leonard

**Davy Crockett and Me** by Thomas E. Fuller

John  
Roy  
Young John  
Young Roy  
"Sketch" Quinn  
Hal Wiedeman  
Colin Butler  
Neil Butler

**Some Assembly Required (The Bicycle)** by Daniel Taylor

Dad  
Mom  
Penny  
Daniel Taylor  
Stephanie Orr  
Christina Fuller

**INTERMISSION**

**Are You Lonely Tonight?** by Thomas E. Fuller

Jack Zabriski  
Martha Combs  
Daniel W. Kiernan  
Clair W. Kiernan

**The Santa Claus Blues** by Thomas E. Fuller

Santa  
Tiffany  
Sarah  
Eric  
Billy  
Rachel  
Child  
Peter  
Terry Sanders  
Tamara Morton  
Kelley Swilley  
Zach Gibson  
Wyatt Gibson  
Stephanie Orr  
Clair Kiernan  
Colin Butler

*Good King Wenceslas* performed by the ARTC chorus

**An ARTC Christmas**

**The Legend of the Poinsettia** by Brad Strickland

Announcer  
Staffer  
Narrator  
Balthasar  
Melchior  
Caspar/Frankencense  
Irving  
Mary  
Angel  
Phil Carter  
Daniel W. Kiernan  
"Sketch" Quinn  
Lou Brock  
Terry Sanders  
Hal Wiedeman  
Ron Butler  
Clair W. Kiernan  
Tamara Morton

**A Blue HannukChristmas Carol** by "Sketch" Quinn

Patrick  
Reggie Goldstein  
Tiffany  
Ma  
Ghost of Jacob Morowitz  
Ghost of Hanukkah What Happened  
Ghost of Hanukkah As It Is  
Ghost of Hanukkah What Could Be  
Video Game Voice  
"Sketch" Quinn  
Neil Butler  
Stephanie Orr  
Trudy Leonard  
Hal Wiedeman  
Kelley Swilley  
Ron Butler  
Alton Leonard  
Tamara Morton

**Christmas Magic** by Phil Carter

Narrator	William Brown
Ben	Phil Carter
Meg	Kelley Swilley
Faith	Tamara Morton
Voice of Santa Claus	Terry Sanders

*It Came Upon a Midnight Clear* performed by the ARTC Chorus

*O Come All Ye Faithful* performed by the ARTC Chorus

*Joy to the World* performed by the ARTC Chorus

**The Experts** by Ron N. Butler

Narrator 1	Ron Butler
Narrator 2	William Brown
Jack C. Zabrinski	Daniel W. Kiernan
Martha C. Zabrinski	Clair W. Kiernan
Woman	Kelley Swilley
Al	Lou Brock
Tow Truck Driver	Hal Wiedeman

**The Zen Santa Claus** by Tracy Wilson

Isaac Goldberg Roshi	Joshua Harrison (Sat.)
	Geoffrey M. Brown (Sun.)
Joey	Tamara Morton
Davy	Wyatt Gibson
Elizabeth	Stephanie Orr
Jesse	Colin Butler
Santa	Terry Sanders
HR Manager	“Sketch” Quinn

**Christmas Rose** by Kelley Swilley

Rose Coleman	Trudy Leonard
Laura	Stephanie Orr
Claudia	Kelley Swilley

*Wexford Carol* performed by Alton Leonard and Geoffrey M. Brown

**An Atlanta Christmas Act 1**

*Old Atlanta Christmas* by Alton Leonard

**An Atlanta Christmas** (recurring roles) by Thomas E. Fuller

Host	Daniel Taylor
Hostess	Trudy Leonard
Boy	Zach Gibson
Girl	Stephanie Orr
Boy 2	Colin Butler
Girl 2	Christina Fuller

**The Tree Comes to Atlanta** by Thomas E. Fuller

Jacob	David Benedict
Harriet	Clair W. Kiernan
James	Phil Carter
Robert	Neil Butler
Mary Beth	Stephanie Orr
Jenny	Christina Fuller

**Mr. Currier, Mr. Ives, and All That Snow** by Thomas E. Fuller

Oliver	Alton Leonard
Robert	Colin Butler
Edward	Neil Butler
Margaret	Kelley Swilley
Janet	Tamara Morton

**O Tannenbaum** by Thomas E. Fuller

Richard	Ron Butler
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*God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen* performed by the ARTC Chorus

**Cut-Out Christmas** by Thomas E. Fuller

Brenda	Trudy Leonard
George	Alton Leonard