



We've Been Awhile A-Wandering

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traditional English



We've been a-while a - wan - der - ing A - mongst the leaves so green, But
We are not dai - ly beg - gars That beg from door to door; We
Good mas - ter and good mis - tress, While you're sit - ting by the fire, Pray
- Bring us out a ta - ble And spread it with a cloth, -
Call up the but - ler of this house, Like - wise the mis - tress too, And



now we come a - was - sail - ing so plain - ly to be seen; For it's
are your neigh - bors chil - dren, For we've - been here be - fore;
think of us poor chil - dren That's wan - dered in the mire;
Bring us out a moul - dy cheese And some of your Christ - mas loaf;
all the lit - tle chil - dren That round - the ta - ble go;



Christ - mas time, when we tra - vel far and near; May God bless you and send you a



hap - py New Year.