

The Song Parlor
With Host John Patterson
Playlist, December 7, 2019

Into December with Food, Wassails and More

Dick Weissman, “Smorgaschord,” *No Ceiling* (<http://www.dickweissman.com>)

I. In December: Navigating Snow, Darkness, & Troubled Times

1. Laurie Lewis with Barbara Higbie, “Ain’t Nobody Got the Blues Like Me,” *and Laurie Lewis* (see <https://www.laurielewis.com/index.html> but this Bootleg version of an upcoming album is not yet listed on her web site)
2. (a) Michael Jerling, “Long Shadows” and (b) Katie Dahl, “In the Dark,” *The Longest Night of the Year, Volume Two* (Hudson Harding -- <https://www.facebook.com/hudsonharding/>)
3. Jubilant Bridge, “Dancing Foxes Drifting Snow,” *A Bell A Bird A Star* ((<http://www.jubilantbridge.net>))
4. Laurie Lewis, “Troubled Times,” *and Laurie Lewis* (see <https://www.laurielewis.com/index.html> but this Bootleg version of an upcoming album is not yet listed on her web site)
5. Rani Arbo & Daisy Mayhem, “Julian of Norwich,” *Wintersong* (Signature Sounds 0111 -- <http://www.signaturesounds.com>)

II. Foods & Kitchen Tools – From Tasteless Tonic to Bread & Gravy

1. Queen Bee and the Honeylovers, “Dr. Grove’s Tasteless Chill Tonic,” *Asheville* (<https://www.queenbeeswing.com>)
2. Durham County Poets, “If the Lid Don’t Fit,” *Hand Me Down Blues* (<https://durhamcountypoets.com/home>)
3. Barbara Lamb, “Frying Pan,” *Twisty Girl* (Lots of Coffee Records 51006 – <https://barbaralamb.net>)
4. David Holt & Josh Goforth, “Greasy Greens,” *Tunes From the State of Music* (High Windy 1295 -- <https://www.davidholt.com>)
5. Evie Ladin & Rob Mangum, “Checkin’ on the Taters,” *Riding the Rooster* (Evil Diane 006 -- <http://www.evieladin.com>)

6. Ora Dell Graham, "Shortenin' Bread," *Afro-American Blues and Game Songs* (Rounder 1513 – see AFS L4 -- <https://www.loc.gov/folklife/folkcat.html>)
7. Jayme Stone, Dom Flemons & Ron Miles, "Buttermilk," *Jayme Stone's Folklife* (Borealis 247 -- <https://borealisrecords.com/>)
8. Jane Voss & Hoyle Osborne, "Bread and Gravy," *Beyond the Boundaries* (Ripple 006 -- <http://www.janevoss.com>)

III. Into the Kitchen: Soups, Spices & Veggies

1. Christine Lavin, "Peanut Butter Soup," *Spaghettification* (<https://christinelavin.com>)
2. Dean Magraw, "Kitchen Man," *Seventh One* (Red House 116 -- <https://redhouserecords.com>)
3. Lou & Peter Berryman, "Soup Month," *OK, So Far. . .* (Cornbelt 20 -- <https://louandpeter.com>)
4. Greg Klyma, "Kale Store," (<https://klyma.com>)
5. Dakota Dave Hull, "No Such Thing (As Too Much Garlic)," *Reunion Rag* (Flying Fish 70576 -- <https://dakotadavehull.com>)
6. Sally Rogers & Claudia Schmidt, "The Garlic Waltz," *While We Live* (Red House 45 -- see <https://sallyrogers.com> and <https://claudiaschmidt.com>)
7. Pete's Posse, "Vegan Meal," *Parting 'Friends',* (Epact 125 -- <https://www.petesposse.com>)

IV. Leftovers

1. Eric Schwartz, "Telltale Kitchen," *Self-Bootleg* (<http://www.eric schwartz.com>)
2. Lou & Peter Berryman, "When Did We Have Sauerkraut," *What, Again?!* (Cornbelt 900 -- <https://louandpeter.com>)
3. Pete's Posse, "Fruitfly Blues," *Fruit Fly Blues* (Epact -- <https://www.petesposse.com>)

V. Coming Event

Nowell Sing We Clear and Windborne at the Latchis Theatre in Brattleboro VT on Monday, December 16th – Info: <https://latchisarts.org>

1. Windborne, "Fox Went Out On A Chilly Night," *Recollections/Revolutions* (<http://www.windbornesingers.com>)

2. Nowell Sing We Clear, “Stevens Family Waysail,” *Just Say Nowell* (Golden Hind 105 -- <https://nowellsingweclear.com>)
3. Nowell Sing We Clear, “Sword Dance Tunes From the Village of Sleights,” *Nowell Sing We Clear* (Front Hall 013 – Unfortunately, this 1977 vinyl album now seems to be out of print)
4. Nowell Sing We Clear, “Somerset Wassail,” *Nowell, Nowell, Nowell!* (Golden Hind 109 -- <https://nowellsingweclear.com>)

VI. Coming Events

*The annual performances by the Cambridge MA Revels Troupe are scheduled between December 13 & 29 – Info: <https://www.revels.org>
For info about 2019 performances by other active Revels Troupes in Washington, DC, New Hampshire, Colorado, Texas, California, Oregon and Washington see <https://www.revels.org/revels-nationwide/>*

1. (a) Revels North Children, “Robin Goch” and (b) Revels North Chorus, “Hebridean Medley,” *A Celtic Feast of Song* (Appletree 1452 -- Unfortunately, this engaging 1997 Revels North recording now seems to be out of print – see <http://revelsnorth.org> & <http://www.revels.org> -- but may still be available through various online sources)
2. Revels Children, (a) “Dame, Get Up and Bake your Pies” and (b) Ruth Dornfeld & Tom Kruskal, “The Bacca Pipes Jig,” *Christmas Day In The Morning* (Revels 1087 -- <https://www.revels.org>)
3. David Jones & the Revels Chorus, “Miss Hooligan’s Christmas Cake,” *A Victorian Christmas Revels* (Revels 2000 -- <https://www.revels.org>)
4. John Langstaff & Revels Ensemble, “The Boar’s Head Carol,” *The Christmas Revels* (Revels 1078 -- <https://www.revels.org>)

Close

“Courtly Dance Music: Instrumental Consort Music from 16th-Century Scotland,” *Rose & Thistle: English and Scottish Music from the Christmas Revels* (Revels 2005 -- <https://www.revels.org>)

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