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## **Rudolpho, the Curly Red Reindeer**

You have probably heard the song made popular by the singing cowboy, Gene Autrey--

"You've heard of Dasher, and Dancer, Prancer and Vixen,  
Comet and Cupid and Donner and Blitzen;

But do you recall the most famous reindeer of all?

Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer, had a very shiny nose

And if you ever saw it, you would even say it glows!

Rudolph with his bright red nose came to the rescue for Santa  
Claus one foggy  
Christmas eve as the song and story go.

This is Santa's first class "A" team. However, you might not know that he always has other reindeer teams in training. This is a journey of one such team. Their names are Brezee and Windy, Snowy and Sickle, Freezee and Candy, Dreamy and Nickel, and the most beautiful of them all?

Rudolpho, the Curly-Red Reindeer,

Had some very shiny fur,

And if you ever saw it glisten,

You would surely smile and whir;

Now kittens like to play and snuggle

And they gently purr, purr, purr.

Curly, the Red Rudolpho, likes to jump and play and around she

whirs,

She goes so fast like a spinning top, she becomes a shiny red BLUR!

Then in another foggy Christmas Eve came an emergency distress call:

"Come quick! The train's derailed on the highest bridge, and is about to fall! Passengers need to be rescued or a tragedy to all!"

In a FLASH the team and sleigh master gather and with a shout they're off!

On Breezee, On Windy, on Snowy, on Sickle, on Freezee, on Candy, on Dreamy, and Nickel, with Rudopho reflecting light from her shiny red fur, like a bright glistening fox.

At the train, with no time to spare, the sleigh and reindeer hold steady with firmness and care.

To safety, the shuttle begins for passengers and crew--they were the last to leave and see the bridge give way, with one final heave and a mighty deafening groan.

All safe and sound, as more relief help arrives, and a wave to the crowd as away they fly. Merry Christmas to All and to All a Safe Night!