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Late one snowy Christmas Eve,
a skunk strolled into town
to see the bright and shiny lights
that twinkled all around.


But as he skipped
across the bridge,
a rather pungent smell
made a robin
FALL
DOWN
FLAT
and a snowman turn quite pale.
That little skunk named Jingle
gave a STINKY sigh.
"It's best," he said,
"to hold
your nose
whenever I pass by."


But just a few steps later,
a tree in the old town square
was overwhelmed by
Jingle smells
and
TEETERED
in the air.
A tiny voice cried,
TIMBER!
A louder voice cried,
Noooooooo!
Then with a GIANT,
CREAKING
CRASH...