

From the book *Smokey House* by Elizabeth Goudge.

1. We've hunted the fox through the flower of the day,  
View! View! and Halloo!  
Pink-coated, top-hatted, away! Well away!  
View! View! and Halloo!  
Far over the moors where the cloud shadows sweep,  
Far over the hills that drop down to the deep,  
Away! Well away! Wind your horn to the sky.  
Now after him! After him! Hounds in full cry.

3. The little red fox with his red bushy tail,  
View! View! and Halloo!  
Has led us a gallop up hill and down dale,  
View! View! and Halloo!  
As swift as a bird or a leaf tempest-blown,  
He's over the edge of the world, lost and flown.  
Away! Well away! Wind your horn to the sky.  
Now after him! After him! Hounds in full cry.

2. We've galloped through woodlands of beeches and pine,  
View! View! and Halloo!  
Through the sun and the clouds, the wet and the fine,  
View! View! and Halloo!  
As strong as the eagle and gay as the lark,  
From dawning till noonday, through twilight to dark,  
Away! Well away! Wind your horn to the sky.  
Now after him! After him! Hounds in full cry.

4. Now we are the fools and the foiled in the chase,  
View! View! and Halloo!  
The little red fox set us too hard a pace,  
View! View! and Halloo!  
But are we downhearted? No! Drink to the day  
We'll once more be after him. Way! Well away!  
Away! Well away! Wind your horn to the sky.  
Now after him! After him! Hounds in full cry.

## Fox Hunters' Song

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We've hunt-ed the fox through the flower of the day, View! View and Hal -

We've hunt - ed the fox \_\_\_\_\_, View!

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View \_\_\_\_\_! View \_\_\_\_\_! loo \_\_\_\_\_! Pink - coat - ed, top-hat-ted, a - way! Well a - way!

View and Hal-loo! Pink-coat-ed, top-hat-ted, a - way! Well a - way!

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View! View and Hal - loo! Far ov - er the moors where the

8 View! View and Hal - loo! View! View!

View! View and Hal - loo, and Hal-loo! View! View!

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Far o - ver the hills that drop down to the deep, A -

cloud shadows sweep, O - ver the hills that drop down to the deep,

8 View! O - ver the hills that drop down to the deep

View! Hal - loo! O - ver the hills that drop down

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-way! Well a-way! Wind your horn to the sky. Now af - ter him! Af - ter him!

A - way! Well a - way! A - way! Af - ter him! Af - ter him!

8 , A - - - way! Now af - ter him! Af - ter him!

to the deep

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16 Hounds in full cry \_\_\_\_\_.

18 We've gal-loped through

Hounds in full cry \_\_\_\_\_ . We've gal-loped through woodlands of bee-ches and

Hounds in full cry \_\_\_\_\_ . We've gal - loped through

\_\_\_\_\_, the deep \_\_\_\_\_ . We've

19 beeches and pine, View and Hal - loo! View!

pine, View! View! and Hal-loo \_\_\_\_\_ !Through the sun and the

woodlands of bee - ches and pine, View and Hal - loo! Sun and the

galloped through woodlands of pine, View and Hal - loo! View \_\_\_\_\_

22 View \_\_\_\_\_ ! View and Hal - loo \_\_\_\_\_ ! View

clouds \_\_\_\_\_ , the wet and the fine, View!

clouds, the wet and the fine \_\_\_\_\_ , View \_\_\_\_\_ !

\_\_\_\_\_ ! Hal - loo \_\_\_\_\_ ! View \_\_\_\_\_

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and Hal - loo ! As strong as the

View and Hal - loo ! As strong as the

8 View and Hal - loo ! As strong as the

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ea - gle and gay as the lark, From dawn - ing till

ea - gle and gay as the lark, From dawn - ing till

8 ea - gle and gay as the lark, From dawn - ing till

! Gay as the lark, From dawn - - - ing

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noonday, through twilight to dark, A - way ! Well a-way

noonday, through twilight to dark, A - way! Well a - way ! Wind your

8 noonday, through twilight to dark, A - way! Well a - way ! Wind your

to the dark, A - way! Well a - way! Well a-way

31 \_\_\_\_\_! Wind your horn to the sky. Now af-ter him! Af-ter him! Hounds,  
horn to the sky \_\_\_\_\_. Now af-ter him! Af-ter him! Hounds in full  
horn to the sky \_\_\_\_\_. Well a-way! Now af-ter him! Af-ter him!  
\_\_\_\_\_! Wind your horn to the sky. Af-ter him! Af-ter him! Af-ter him!

34 hounds \_\_\_\_ in full cry \_\_\_\_\_. The (3) 36 lit - tle red fox with his  
cry \_\_\_\_\_. The  
Hounds \_\_\_\_, hounds in full cry \_\_\_\_\_. The lit - tle red fox with his  
Af-ter him! Hounds in full cry \_\_\_\_\_. Lit - - - tle fox with

37 red bush - y tail, View \_\_\_\_\_. 39 ! Has  
fox with his red bush - y tail, View and Hal - loo \_\_\_\_\_. ! Has  
red bush - y tail, View! View and Hal - loo \_\_\_\_\_. ! Has  
his bush - y tail, View! View and Hal - loo \_\_\_\_\_

40 led us a gal - lop up hill and down dale,  
 led us a gal - - lop up hill and down dale,  
 8 led us, led us,  
 ! Gal - - - lop, gal - - - lop, gal - - - lop,

42 View! View and Hal - loo! As  
 View! View and Hal - loo! View Hal - loo!  
 8 View! View and Hal - loo! View and Hal -  
 gal - lop up hill and down dale, As

44 swift as a bird or a leaf tempestblown, He's ov - er the edge of the  
 Swift as a bird or a leaf, Ov - er the edge of the  
 8-loo! Swift as a bird or a leaf, lost,  
 swift as a bird or a leaf tem-pestblown, He's ov - er the edge,

47 world, lost and flown. A - way! Well a-way \_\_\_\_\_! Wind your  
 world, flown. A - way! Well a-way! Wind your  
 8 flown. A - way \_\_\_\_\_! Wind your  
 lost, flown.

50 horn to the sky. Now af - ter him! Af - ter him! Hounds in full cry  
 horn to the sky. Now af - ter him! Af - ter him! Hounds in full, hounds in full,  
 8 horn to the sky. Now af - ter him! Af - ter him! Hounds in full, hounds in full,  
 Well a-way! Wind your horn to the sky. Af - ter him! Af - ter him!

53 \_\_\_\_\_ Well a-way! Well a - way! Wind your horn to the sky \_\_\_\_\_  
 hounds in full cry! Now af - ter him! Hounds in full cry \_\_\_\_\_  
 8 hounds in full cry \_\_\_\_\_, Now af - ter him! Hounds in full cry \_\_\_\_\_! Now  
 Af - ter him! Af - ter him! Hounds in full cry \_\_\_\_\_!

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We are the fools and the foiled in the chase, we are the fools and the foiled in the chase, We are the fools and the foiled in the

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View! View! Hal - loo! View! View! and Hal - loo! The View! View and Hal - loo! The chase, View! View and Hal-loo!

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lit - tle red fox set us too hard a pace, lit - - tlered fox set us too hard a pace, Hal - loo! Hal - loo! Hal - loo! Hal - loo!



62 View! View and Hal - loo \_\_\_\_\_! 64 View! View and Hal - loo \_\_\_\_\_! But are we down-heart - ed? No!

View! View and Hal - loo \_\_\_\_\_! But are we down-heart - ed? No!

View! View and Hal - loo \_\_\_\_\_! But are we down-heart - ed? No!

View! View and Hal - loo \_\_\_\_\_! But are we down-heart - ed? No!

65 No! Drink to the day We'll once more be 66 We'll once more be af - ter him.

Drink to the day We'll once more be af - ter him.

Drink to the day We'll once more be af - ter him.

Drink to the day We'll once more be af - - ter him.

67 af - ter him. Way! Well a - - way \_\_\_\_\_! 68 Way! Well a - way! A - - way! Well a-way! Wind your

Way! Well a - way! A - - way! Well a-way! Wind your

Way! Well a - way! A - - way! Well a-way! Wind your

Way \_\_\_\_\_! Well a-way \_\_\_\_\_! Well a - way \_\_\_\_\_! Wind your

69 A - way! Now af - ter him! A - way!  
horn to the sky. Now af - ter him! Af - ter him!  
horn to the sky! Now af - ter him! Af - ter him!  
horn to the sky. Now af - ter him! Af - ter him!

71 Wind your horn! Well a - way! Well a -  
Hounds in full cry! Well a - way! Wind your  
Hounds in full cry! A - - way! Well a - way! Wind your  
Hounds in full cry! A - - way! Well a - way! Wind your

73 -way! Wind your horn to the sky! Now af - ter him!  
horn, Wind your horn, Wind your horn to the sky. Now  
horn, horn to the sky! Wind your  
horn, horn to the sky! Wind

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Af - ter him! Hounds in full,

af - - ter him! Af - ter him!

horn to the sky! Now

Wind \_\_\_\_\_! Wind \_\_\_\_\_ your

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hounds in full cry

Hounds in full, hounds in full

af - ter him! Af - ter him!

horn to the sky

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Well a-way! Well a-way A-way!

cry! Well a-way! Well a-way!

cry! Well a-way! Well a-way!

cry! Well a-way! Well a-way!

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