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Takin' Care of Xmas BUG Jam
SONGLIST FOR DECEMBER BUG JAM

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A Holly Jolly Christmas
Johnny Marks 1962

Have a [G] holly, jolly Christmas
It’s the [G] best time of the [D7] year
[D7] I don’t know if there’ll be snow
But [D7] have a cup of [G] cheer [D7]

Have a [G] holly, jolly Christmas
And when [G] you walk down the [D7] street
[D7] Say hello to friends you know
And [D7] everyone you [G] meet

BRIDGE:
[C] Ho, ho, the [Bm] mistletoe
[D7] Hung where you can [G] see
[Am] Somebody’s [Em] waiting there
[A7] Kiss her once for [D7] me

Have a [G] holly, jolly Christmas
And in [G] case you didn’t [D7] hear
[D7] Oh, by golly, have a [G] holly, jolly

BRIDGE: <instrumental>
[C] Ho, ho, the [Bm] mistletoe
[D7] Hung where you can [G] see
[Am] Somebody’s [Em] waiting there
[A7] Kiss her once for [D7] me

Have a [G] holly, jolly Christmas
And in [G] case you didn’t [D7] hear
[D7] Oh, by golly, have a [G] holly, jolly

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All I Want For Christmas Is You
Walter Afanasieff & Mariah Carey 1994

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /

[G] I don't want a lot for Christmas
[C] There is just one thing I need
[Em7] More than you could ever [Cm] know

[G] I just want you for my [Gaug] own

[Am9] All I want for [Cm6] Christmas is... [G] you /[Em7]/[C]/[D7]/

G I don't want a lot for Christmas, there is just one thing I need
[C] I don't care about the presents [Cm] underneath the Christmas tree
[Em7] I just want you for my [B7] own


G Make my wish come [E7] true


G I don't want a lot for Christmas, I won't even wish for snow
[C] I'm just gonna keep on waiting [Cm] underneath the mistletoe
[Em7] I won't make a list and send it, to the North Pole for Saint Nick

G I won't make a list and send it, to the North Pole for Saint Nick

G I don't want to hang my stocking, there upon the fireplace
[C] Santa Claus won't make me happy [Cm] with a toy on Christmas day

G I won't even stay awake to [Cm] hear those magic reindeer click


G Holding [Gmaj7] on to [Em7] me so [Cm] tight

G What more can I [E7] do


G All the lights are shining so [Em] brightly everywhere

[B7] And the sound of children's [Em] laughter fills the air

[Cm6] And everyone is singing [G] I hear those [E7] sleigh bells ringing

[Am] Santa won't you please bring me the one I really need

G I won't ask for much this Christmas, I won't even wish for snow

[Am] I just want to see my baby [Cm] standing right outside my door


G Make my wish come [E7] true


Oh [G] I don't want a lot for Christmas, this is all I'm asking for

[Am] I just want to see my baby [Cm] standing right outside my door


G Make my wish come [E7] true


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BACK TO SONGLIST
An Old Christmas Card
Vaughn Horton 1911 - 1988 (as recorded by Jim Reeves 1963)

INTRO:  / 1 2 3 4 / [G] / [G]


And it [D7] brings back sweet memories dear to [G] me [D7]
Though it’s [G] faded and worn, it’s as [C] precious as the [G] morn

Pardon [G] me if a tear, falls a-[C]mong my Christmas [G] cheer

<SPoken while playing/humming instrumental above in the background>
You know I don’t know why I get to feeling sentimental
About this time every year
But every time I see a Christmas card
I somehow can’t help reminiscing
About the very first Christmas that you and I spent together
What a beautiful Christmas card you gave me that year
Why I know you must have looked through thousands of cards
To find that wonderful poem that still brings a tear to my eyes

Pardon [G] me if a tear, falls a-[C]mong my Christmas [G] cheer

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Aspenglow
John Denver 1970

INTRO:  / 1 2 3 / 1 2 3 /


[Em] See the sunlight through the [Am] pines
[Em] Dream of softly falling [Am] snow


See the sunlight through the [Am] pines
Taste the warm of winter [G] wines
Dream of softly falling [Am] snow

As the winter days unfold
Hearts grow warmer with the [G] cold
Peace of mind is all you know

While the winter days unfold
Hearts grow warmer with the [G] cold
Peace of mind is all you know

Winter Skol [D] Aspenglow

Winter Skol, Aspenglow

[Em] Smiling faces all a-[Am]round
[Am] Aspen is the life to [G] live

[Em] Laughter is the only [G] sound
[Em] Memories that can’t grow [Am] old

[Em] Aspen is the life to [G] live
[Em] See how much there is to [G] give

[Em] See how strongly you be-[G]lieve
[Em] See how much you may re-[D]ceive [D]

[Am] See how much there is to [G] give
[Am] See how strongly you be-[G]lieve

[Em] See how much you may re-[D]ceive [D]

Smiling faces all a-[Am]round
Laughter is the only [G] sound
Memories that can’t grow [Am] old

Aspen is the life to [G] live
See how much there is to [G] give
See how strongly you be-[G]lieve
See how much you may re-[D]ceive [D]

Smiling faces all a-[Am]round
Laughter is the only [G] sound
Memories that can’t grow [Am] old
Auld Lang Syne

Traditional Scottish Folk Song (circa 17th century or earlier)

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [C] / [C]

Should [C] old acquaintance [G7] be forgot
And [C] never [C7] brought to [F] mind
Should [C] old acquaintance [G7] be forgot
For [C] auld lang [G7] syne, my dear
For [C] auld lang [F] syne
We'll [C] take a cup o' [G7] kindness [E7] yet

We [C] twa hae run a-[G7]boot the braes
And [C] pu'd the [C7] gowans [F] fine
We've [C] wandered mony a [G7] weary foot
Sin' [C] auld lang [G7] syne, my dear
Sin' [C] auld lang [F] syne
We've [C] wandered mony a [G7] weary [E7] foot

We [C] twa hae sported [G7] i' the burn
From [C] morning [C7] sun till [F] dine
But [C] seas between us [G7] braid hae roared
Sin' [C] auld lang [G7] syne, my dear
Sin' [C] auld lang [F] syne

And [C] ther's a hand, my [G7] trusty friend
And [C] gie's a [C7] hand o' [F] thine
We'll [C] take a cup o' [G7] kindness yet
For [C] auld lang [G7] syne, my dear
For [C] auld lang [F] syne
We'll [C] take a cup o' [G7] kindness [E7] yet

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Baby It's Cold Outside
Frank Loesser 1944

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /
[C][A7] / [F][G7]

I [C] really can't [Cmaj7] stay
[Cmaj7]
But [Cmaj7] baby it's [C] cold out-[Cmaj7]side

I've [Dm] got to go a-[G7]way
[Dm][G7]

This [C] evening has [Cmaj7] been
[C] so [Cmaj7] very
[Cmaj7] hoping that [C] you'd drop [Cmaj7] in

I'll hold your [Gm7] hands, they're just like
My [F] mother will start to [F] worry
[F] ice
Beautiful what's your

And [F7] father will be pacing the [F7] floor
[F7] hurry?
Listen to the fireplace

So [Am] really I'd better [Am] scurry
[Am] roar
Beautiful please don't

Put some records [G7] on while I

The [C] neighbours might [Cmaj7] think
[Cmaj7]
[C] pour
Baby it's [C] bad out [Cmaj7] there

Say [Dm] what's in this [G7] drink?
[Dm][G7]
No [G7] cabs to be [Dm] had out [G7] there

I [C] wish I knew [Cmaj7] how
[Cmaj7]
to [Cmaj7] break the
[C] Your [Cmaj7] eyes are like [C] starlight [Cmaj7] now

I'll take your [Gm7] hat, your hair looks

I [F] ought to say, "No, no [F] no sir"
[F] swell
Mind if I move in

At least I'm gonna say that I [D7] tried
[D7] closer

I [C] simply must [Cmaj7] go          [Cmaj7]  

The [Dm] answer is [G7] no          [Dm] [G7]  

This [C] welcome has [Cmaj7] been      [C]         so [Cmaj7] nice and  

[Gm7] warm                                [Gm7]  
[Gm7]  Look out the [Gm7] window at that

My [F] sister will be sus-[F]picious  
[F] storm                                [F] Gosh your lips look de-

My [F7] brother will be there at the [F7] door  

My [Am] maiden aunt’s mind is [Am] vicious  
[Am] shore                                [Am] Ooo your lips are de-

Well [Dm] maybe just a cigarette [Dm] more    [G7]  
[Dm]licious                               [Dm] Never such a [G7] blizzard be-

I've [C] got to get [Cmaj7] home          [Cmaj7]  

Say [Dm] lend me a [G7] comb            [Dm] [G7]  
[Dm]  It's [G7] up to your [Dm] knees out [G7] there

You've [C] really been [Cmaj7] grand      [Cmaj7]  but [Cmaj7] don’t you  

[Gm7] see?                                [Gm7]  
[Gm7]  How can you [Gm7] do this thing to

There's [F] bound to be talk to-[F]morrow  
[F] me?                                  [F] Think of my lifelong

At [D7] least there will be plenty im-[D7]plied    [G7]  
[D7] sorrow                                [D7] If you caught pneu-[G7]monia and

I [C] really can't [Bb7] stay            [A7]  

[D7]  [G7]  [C]down [G7]  [C]down


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COUNT IN:  [C]↓ 2 3

On the [C] first day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -

On the [C] second day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[C]↓ Two polar bears
And a [G]↓ Two polar bears
[C]↓ tree [G]↓[C]↓

On the [C] third day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Three snowmen
[G]↓ Two polar bears
And a [C]↓ tree [G]↓[C]↓

On the [C] fourth day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[C]↓ Four totem poles
[F]↓ Three snowmen
[G]↓ Two polar bears
And a [C]↓ tree [G]↓[C]↓

On the [C] fifth day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[Em]↓ Six whales breaching
[C]↓ Four totem poles
[F]↓ Three snowmen
[G]↓ Two polar bears
And a [C]↓ tree [G]↓[C]↓

On the [C] sixth day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[Em]↓ Seven beavers building
[G]↓ Six whales breaching
[C]↓ Four totem poles
[F]↓ Three snowmen
[G]↓ Two polar bears
And a [C]↓ tree [G]↓[C]↓
On the [C] eighth day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Eight lobsters nipping
[G]↓ Seven beavers building
[G]↓ Six whales breaching
[C]↓ Four totem poles
[F]↓ Three snowmen
[G]↓ Two polar bears
And a [C] moose in a [G] maple [C]↓ tree [G][C]↓

On the [C] ninth day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Nine mounties riding
[G]↓ Eight lobsters nipping
[G]↓ Seven beavers building
[G]↓ Six whales breaching
[C]↓ Four totem poles
[F]↓ Three snowmen
[G]↓ Two polar bears
And a [C] moose in a [G] maple [C]↓ tree [G][C]↓

On the [C] tenth day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Ten salmon leaping
[G]↓ Nine mounties riding
[G]↓ Eight lobsters nipping
[G]↓ Seven beavers building
[G]↓ Six whales breaching
[C]↓ Four totem poles
[F]↓ Three snowmen
[G]↓ Two polar bears
And a [C] moose in a [G] maple [C]↓ tree [G][C]↓

On the [C] eleventh day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Eleven sled dogs mushing
[G]↓ Ten salmon leaping
[G]↓ Nine mounties riding
[G]↓ Eight lobsters nipping
[G]↓ Seven beavers building
[G]↓ Six whales breaching
[C]↓ Four totem poles
[F]↓ Three snowmen
[G]↓ Two polar bears
And a [C] moose in a [G] maple [C]↓ tree [G][C]↓
On the [C] twelfth day of Christmas my [G] true love gave to [C] me –

[G]↓ Twelve skiers skiing
[G]↓ Eleven sled dogs mushing
[G]↓ Ten salmon leaping
[G]↓ Nine mounties riding
[G]↓ Eight lobsters nipping
[G]↓ Seven beavers building
[G]↓ Six whales breaching


[C]↓ Four totem poles
[F]↓ Three snowmen
[G]↓ Two polar bears

And a [C] moose in a [G] maple [C]↓ tree [G]↓[C]↓

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Christmas All Over Again
Tom Petty 1992

INTRO:   / 1 2 3 4 /

Deco-[A]rations are all [F#dim7]hung by the [Bm] fire [E7]

Well it’s [A] Christmas-[F#dim7]time a-[Bm]gain [E7]
Deco-[A]rations are all [F#dim7] hung by the [Bm] fire [E7]
[Bm] Everybody’s [E7] singin’
[Bm] All the bells are [D7] ringin’ [Dm] out

And it's [A] Christ-[F#m]mas
All [A] o-[F#m]ver, a-[Bm]gain [Bm]
Yeah a-[E7]gain [E7]

Haven't [A] seen 'em, in a [F#dim7] long, long [Bm] time, mm-mm-[E7]mm
[Bm] Yeah I kinda [E7] missed 'em
[Bm] I just don't wanna [D7] kiss 'em [Dm] no

And it's [A] Christ-[F#m]mas
All [A] o-[F#m]ver, a-[Bm]gain [Bm]
Yeah a-[E7]gain [E7]

[Gm]↓ And all over [A]↓ town
[Gm]↓ little kids gonna get [A]↓ down
[D] And Christmas is a rockin’ time
[D] Put your body next to mine
[B7] Underneath the mistletoe we [E7] go [E7]
We [E7] go... [E7] whoah-oh-whoah

INSTRUMENTAL:
Well it’s [A] Christmas [F#dim7]time a-[Bm]gain [E7]
Deco-[A]rations are all [F#dim7]hung by the [Bm] fire [E7]

[Bm] Everybody’s [E7] singin’
[Bm] All the bells are [D7] ringin’ [Dm] out
And it's [A] Christ-[F#m]mas
All [A] o-[F#m]ver, a-[Bm]gain [Bm]
Yeah a-[E7]gain [E7]

[Gm]↓ And right down our [A]↓ block
[Gm]↓ Little kids start to [A]↓ rock
[D] And Christmas is a rockin’ time
[D] Put your body next to mine
[B7] Underneath the mistletoe we [E7] go [E7]
We [E7] go... [E7] whoah-oh-whoah
Merry [**A**] Christmas-[**F#dim7**]time, come and [**Bm**] find [**E7**] you
[**A**] Happy and there [**F#dim7**] by your [**Bm**] fire [**E7**]
[**Bm**] I hope you have a [**E7**] good one
[**Bm**] I hope mama gets her [**D7**] shopping [**Dm**] done

And it's [**A**] Christ-[**F#m**]mas
All [**A**] o-[**F#m**]ver, a-[**Bm**]gain [**Bm**]↓
Oh baby it's [**A**] Christ-[**F#m**]mas
All [**A**] o-[**F#m**]ver, a-[**Bm**]gain [**Bm**]
Aw [**Dm**] yeah-ah-ah

<**SLOWER**>

[**Dm**] / [**A**] / [**F#m**] / [**A**] / [**F#m**]
And it's [**A**] Christ-[**F#m**]mas
All [**A**] o-[**F#m**]ver, a-[**Bm**]gain [**Dm**] / [**A**]↓

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Christmas In Killarney
John Redmond, James Cavanaugh, Frank Weldon 1950

INTRO:  / 1 2 / 1 2 / [G] / [G]

CHORUS:
The [G] holly green, the ivy green
The [C] prettiest picture you've [G] ever seen
Is [C] Christmas in Kil-[G]larney
With [Am] all of the [D] folks at [G] home
It's [G] nice you know, to kiss your beau
While [C] cuddlin' under the [G] mistletoe
And [C] Santa Claus you [G] know, of course
Is [Am] one of the [D] boys from [G] home

VERSE:
The [Em] door is always open
The [Em] neighbors [Bm] pay a [Em] call
And [D] Father John before he's gone
Will [Am] bless the house and [D] all
Our [G] hearts are light, our spirits bright
We'll [C] cele-[D]brate our [Em] joy tonight
It's [C] Christmas in Kil-[G]larney
With [Am] all of the [D] folks at [G] home

CHORUS:
The [G] holly green, the ivy green
The [C] prettiest picture you've [G] ever seen
Is [C] Christmas in Kil-[G]larney
With [Am] all of the [D] folks at [G] home
It's [G] nice you know, to kiss your beau
While [C] cuddlin' under the [G] mistletoe
And [C] Santa Claus you [G] know, of course
Is [Am] one of the [D] boys from [G] home

VERSE:
We'll [Em] decorate the Christmas tree
When [Em] all the [Bm] family's [Em] here
A-[D] round a roarin' fire
We will [Am] raise a cup of [D] cheer
There's [G] gifts to bring, and songs to sing
And [C] laughs to [D] make the [Em] rafters ring
It's [C] Christmas in Kil-[G]larney
With [Am] all of the [D] folks at [G] home
CHORUS:
The [G] holly green, the ivy green
The [C] prettiest picture you've [G] ever seen
Is [C] Christmas in Kil-[G]larney
With [Am]↓ all of the [D]↓ folks at [G] home
It's [G] nice, you know, to kiss your beau
While [C] cuddlin' under the [G] mistletoe
And [C] Santa Claus you [G] know, of course
Is [Am]↓ one of the [D]↓ boys from [G] home

VERSE:
We'll [Em] take the horse and sleigh
All a-[Em]↓cross the [Bm]↓ fields of [Em] snow
[D] Listenin' to the jingle bells
[Am] Everywhere we [D] go
How [G] grand it feels to click your heels
And [C] join in the fun of the [G] jigs and reels
It’s [C] Christmas in Kil-[G]larney
With [Am]↓ all of the [D]↓ folks at [G] home

CHORUS:
The [G] holly green, the ivy green
The [C] prettiest picture you've [G] ever seen
Is [C] Christmas in Kil-[G]larney
With [Am]↓ all of the [D]↓ folks at [G] home
It's [G] nice, you know, to kiss your beau
While [C] cuddlin' under the [G] mistletoe
And [C] Santa Claus you [G] know, of course
Is [Am]↓ one of the [D]↓ boys from [G] home

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It was [G] Christmas in prison and the [C] food was real good
We had [G] turkey, and pistols, carved out of [D7] wood [D7]
And I [G] dream of her always even [C] when I don't dream
Her [G] name's on my tongue and her [D] blood's in my [G] stream

It was [G] Christmas in prison and the [C] food was real good
We had [G] turkey, and pistols, carved out of [D7] wood [D7]
And I [G] dream of her always even [C] when I don't dream
Her [G] name's on my tongue, and her [D] blood's in my [G] stream

CHORUS:
[G] Come to me, run to me [C] come to me now
We're [G] rolling, my sweetheart, we're [D7] flowing by [G] God [G]

INSTRUMENTAL:
It was [G] Christmas in prison and the [C] food was real good
We had [G] turkey, and pistols, carved out of [D7] wood [D7]
And I [G] dream of her always even [C] when I don't dream
Her [G] name's on my tongue, and her [D] blood's in my [G] stream

She re-[G]minds me of a chess game, with [C] someone I admire
Or a [G] picnic in the rain, after a prairie [D7] fire [D7]
Her [G] heart is a big as this [C] whole damn jail

CHORUS:
[G] Come to me, run to me [C] come to me now
We're [G] rolling, my sweetheart, we're [D7] flowing by [G] God [G]

INSTRUMENTAL:
It was [G] Christmas in prison and the [C] food was real good
We had [G] turkey, and pistols, carved out of [D7] wood [D7]
And I [G] dream of her always even [C] when I don't dream
Her [G] name's on my tongue, and her [D] blood's in my [G] stream
The [G] search light in the big yard swings [C] 'round with the gun
And [G] spotlights the snowflakes, like the dust in the [D7] sun [D7]
It's [G] Christmas in prison, there'll be [C] music tonight
I'll [G] probably get homesick, I [D] love you, good [G] night

CHORUS:
[G] Come to me, run to me [C] come to me now
We're [G] rolling, my sweetheart, we're [D7] flowing by [G] God

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Christmas In The Valley
Wayne Rostad 2002


[C] Kissing 'neath the mistletoe
[D] Out in the barn, the cattle low

[G] And soon beneath the [G7] Christmas tree
[C] We'll gather with our families
[D] Love in perfect harmony

CHORUS:
Oh the [C] valley lights will shine so bright
[G] And all the world will be so right
There'll be [G] sleigh bells ringing [G7] in the snow
[C] And kissing 'neath the mistletoe
[D] Out in the barn, the cattle low

[C] The silent dance of falling snow
[D] Familiar songs on the radio

[G] In every town, the [G7] church bells ring
[C] In every home, a young child dreams
[D] In every heart, the spirit sings

CHORUS:
Oh the [C] valley lights, will shine so bright
[G] And all the world, will be so right
There'll be [G] sleigh bells ringing [G7] in the snow
[C] And kissing 'neath the mistletoe
[D] Out in the barn, the cattle low

[D] Out in the barn, the cattle low
Christmas Island
Lyle Moraine 1946

A-\([G]\)loha \([G]\) da
Da \([D]\) da di \([D]\) da
\([A7]\) La da da \([A7]\) la da da da \([D]\) da \([G7]\) / \([D]\)↓

How'd you like to spend \([G]\) Christ-\([D]\)mas \([B]\) on Christmas \([E7]\) Island? / \([E7]\)
How'd you \([A7]\) like to spend a holiday away across the \([D]\) sea? \([G7]\) / \([A7]\)↓
How'd you like to spend \([G]\) Christ-\([D]\)mas \([B]\) on Christmas \([E7]\) Island? / \([E7]\)
How'd you \([A7]\) like to hang your stocking on a great big coconut \([D]\) tree? / \([D7]\)↓

How'd you like to stay \([G]\) up late \([Gm]\) like the islanders \([D]\) do?
\([B]\) Wait for Santa to \([E7]\) sail in with your presents in a ca-\([A7]\)noe / \([A7]\)↓
If you ever spend \([G]\) Christ-\([D]\)mas \([B]\) on Christmas \([E7]\) Island / \([E7]\)
You will \([A7]\) never stray for everyday your Christmas dreams come \([D]\) true / \([D7]\)↓

How'd you like to stay \([G]\) up late \([Gm]\) like the islanders \([D]\) do?
\([B]\) Wait for Santa to \([E7]\) sail in with your presents in a ca-\([A7]\)noe / \([A7]\)↓

How'd you like to spend \([G]\) Christ-\([D]\)mas \([B]\) on Christmas \([E7]\) Island? / \([E7]\)
How'd you \([A7]\) like to spend a holiday away across the \([D]\) sea? \([G7]\) / \([A7]\)↓
How'd you like to spend \([G]\) Christ-\([D]\)mas \([B]\) on Christmas \([E7]\) Island? / \([E7]\)
How'd you \([A7]\) like to hang your stocking on a great big coconut \([D]\) tree? / \([D7]\)↓

How'd you like to stay \([G]\) up late \([Gm]\) like the islanders \([D]\) do?
\([B]\) Wait for Santa to \([E7]\) sail in with your presents in a ca-\([A7]\)noe / \([A7]\)↓

A-\([G]\)loha ha ha \([G]\) ha, ha \([D]\) ha

\([D]\) / \([A7]\) / \([A7]\) / \([D]\)[G7] / \([D]\)↓

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BACK TO SONGLIST
The Christmas Song
Rocky and Balls 2011


[G] Giddy up your [C] jingle horse
[G] Get those bells a-[C]ringin’
[G] Roast your chestnuts [C] on the fire
And [G] hear that choir a-[G7] singin’
Like [C] little tots with [D] eyes aglow
We’ll [G] frolic just like [E7] eskimos
[Am] Deck your [Am] halls and [D] let it [D] snow

CHORUS:

[G] Dreaming of a [C] silent night
[G] Rocking round the [C] tree
[G] Ridin’ a one horse [C] open sleigh
And [G] sleep in heavenly [G7] peace
The [C] gay apparel [D] we will don
And [G] merrily the [E7] bells ding dong
[Am] Rum pum pum [Am] pum
[D] Rum pum pum [D] pu-u-[D]um [D]↓


CHORUS:

BRIDGE:
[Bm] Don’t give your [Bm] heart like you [B] did last [B] year
[C] Sing a few [C] lyrics of a [Cm] Christmas [Cm] tune
Or [Am] maybe [Am] play it [D] on ka-[D] zoo [D]/[D]↓

<KAZOOS>


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BACK TO SONGLIST
The Christmas Song (Chestnuts Roasting On An Open Fire)
Bob Wells and Mel Torme 1945

INTRO:  / 1 2 / 1 2 /

[C]↓↓ / [Dm]↓↓ / [Em]↓↓ / [Dm]↓↓ /

[C] Chestnuts [Dm] roasting on an [Em] open fire [Dm]
[C] Jack Frost [Gm] nipping at your [F] nose [Fm]
[E] And folks dressed [Fm] up like Eski-[Dm]mos [G]

Everybody [C] knows a [Dm] turkey and some [Em] mistletoe [Dm]
[C] Help to [Gm] make the season [F] bright [Fm]
[Am] Tiny [Fm] tots with their [C] eyes all a-[B7]glo
Will [Em]↓ find it [Dm]↓ hard to [F]↓ sleep [G]↓ to-[C]night

[C] They know that [Gm] Santa’s [C] way
[C] He’s loaded [Gm] lots of toys and [C] goodies on his [F] sleigh
[F] And ev’ry [Fm] mother’s child [Bb] is gonna [Eb] spy

And [C] so, I’m [Dm] offering this [Em] simple phrase [Dm]
[C] To kids from [Gm] one to ninety-[F]two [Fm]
[Am] Although it’s been [Fm] said many [C] times, many [B7] ways
Merry [F] Christmas [G] to [C] you

[C] They know that [Gm] Santa’s [C] way
[C] He’s loaded [Gm] lots of toys and [C] goodies on his [F] sleigh
[F] And ev’ry [Fm] mother’s child [Bb] is gonna [Eb] spy

And [C] so, I’m [Dm] offering this [Em] simple phrase [Dm]
[C] To kids from [Gm] one to ninety-[F]two [Fm]
[Am] Although it’s been [Fm] said many [C] times, many [B7] ways
Merry [F] Christmas [G] to [C] you

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Christmas Times a-Comin’
Benjamin "Tex" Logan 1951 (Charles de Lint version)

INTRO:  / 1 2 3 4 / [C] /

[C] Christmas time's a-comin' [G7] Christmas time's a-comin'
[C] Christmas time's a-comin' and I [G7] know I'm goin’ [C] home

[C] Holly's in the window [G7] home where the wind blows
[C] Can't walk for runnin' [G7] Christmas time's a-[C]comin'

CHORUS:
[C] Can't you hear them bells ringin' ringin' [F] joy to all, hear them singin'
[C] When it's snowin', I'll be goin' [G7] back to my country [C] home
[C] Christmas time's a-comin' [G7] Christmas time's a-comin'
[C] Christmas time's a-comin', and I [G7] know I'm goin’ [C] home

[C] Christmas time's a-comin' [G7] Christmas time's a-comin'
[C] Christmas time's a-comin', and I [G7] know I'm goin’ [C] home

[C] White candle's burnin' [G7] my old heart's a-yearnin'
[C] For the folks at home when [G7] Christmas time's a-[C]comin'

CHORUS:
[C] Can't you hear them bells ringin' ringin' [F] joy to all, hear them singin'
[C] When it's snowin', I'll be goin' [G7] back to my country [C] home
[C] Christmas time's a-comin' [G7] Christmas time's a-comin'
[C] Christmas time's a-comin', and I [G7] know I'm goin’ [C] home

[C] Snow flake's a-fallin' [G7] my old home's a-callin'
[C] Tall pine's a-hummin' [G7] Christmas time's a-[C]comin'

CHORUS:
[C] Can't you hear them bells ringin' ringin' [F] joy to all, hear them singin'
[C] When it's snowin', I'll be goin' [G7] back to my country [C] home
[C] Christmas time's a-comin' [G7] Christmas time's a-comin'
[C] Christmas time's a-comin', and I [G7] know I'm goin’ [C] home

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Circle of Steel
Gordon Lightfoot 1974

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /

[D] Rows of lights in a [C] circle of steel
Where you [D] place your bets on a [G] great big wheel
Every-[Cmaj7]body's in step with the [D] season

[D] Rows of lights in a [C] circle of steel
Where you [D] place your bets on a [G] great big wheel
[D] High windows [C] flickerin' down through the [G] snow
A [D] time you know
Every-[Cmaj7]body's in step with the [D] season [D]

A [D] child is born to a [C] welfare case
Where the [D] rats run around like they [G] own the place
[D] The room is [C] chilly, the building is [G] old
[D] That's how it goes
The [D] doctor's found on his [G] welfare [A] round
And he [Cmaj7] comes and he leaves on the [D] double [D]

[D] Deck The Halls was the [C] song they played
In the [D] flat next door where they [G] shout all day
[D] She tips her [C] gin bottle back till it's [G] gone
The [D] child is strong
A [D] week, a day, they will [G] take it a-[A]way
For they [Cmaj7] know about all her bad [D] habits

[F#m] Sights and [Bm] sounds of the [Em] people goin' [A] 'round
Every-[Cmaj7]body's in step with the [D] season

[D] Christmas dawns and the [C] snow lets up
And the [D] sun hits the handle of her [G] heirloom cup
[D] She hides her [C] face in her hands for a [G] while
Says [D] look here child
Your [D] father's pride was his [G] means to pro-[A]vide
And he's [Cmaj7] servin' three years for that [D] reason [D]

[D] Rows of lights in a [C] circle of steel
Where you [D] place your bets on a [G] great big wheel
[D] High windows [C] flickerin' down through the [G] snow
A [D] time you know
Every-[Cmaj7]body's in step with the [D] season
Sights and sounds of the people goin' 'round
Every body's in step with the season

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**Cool Yule**  
Steve Allen (1953)

“gonest” – slang for best, hippest, coolest, best, raddest, most bad ass

**INTRO:**  

**[G]** From Coney Island to the [Am7] Sunset [D7] Strip  
**[Am7]** While the [D7] moon is [G] bright / [Am7][D7] / 

**[G]** He's gonna have a bag of [Am7] crazy [D7] toys  
**[G]** To give the gonest of the [Am7] girls and [D7] boys, so [G] dig  

**[C]** He'll come a-callin' when the [Dm7] snow’s the [G7] most  
**[C]** When all you cats are sleepin' [Dm7] warm as [G7] toast  

**[G]** He'll come a-flyin' from a [Am7] higher [D7] place  
**[G]** And fill the stocking by the [Am7] fire-[D7]place, so [G] you  

**INSTRUMENTAL:**  
**[G]** From Coney Island to the [Am7] Sunset [D7] Strip  
**[Am7]** While the [D7] moon is [G] bright / [Am7][D7] / 

**[C]** He'll come a-callin' when the [Dm7] snow’s the [G7] most  
**[C]** When all you cats are sleepin' [Dm7] warm as [G7] toast  

**[G]** He'll come a-flyin' from a [Am7] higher [D7] place  
**[G]** And fill the stocking by the [Am7] fire-[D7]place, so [G] you  
So have a yule that's cool! [Em7]

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Deck The Halls
Traditional (Music - 16th century Welsh carol, Lyrics - Thomas Oliphant 1862)

INTRO:  / 1 2 / 1 2 / [C] / [C] / 

[C] Deck the halls with boughs of holly
[C] Tis the season to be jolly

[G7] Don we now our [C] gay apparel
[C] Troll the ancient Yuletide carol

[C] See the blazing Yule before us
[C] Strike the uke and join the chorus

[G7] Follow me in [C] merry measure
[C] While I tell of Yuletide treasure

[C] Fast away the old year passes
[C] Hail the new, ye lads and lasses

[G7] Sing we joyous [C] all together
[C] Heedless of the wind and weather
Earl The Christmas Squirrel
The Moffats 1996

INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 /


[G] Earl, the Christmas Squirrel
[C] Works from dawn ’til [Am] dusk
[D7] Scurrying all around the world
[G] Walnuts, chestnuts, hazelnuts, peanuts
And [C] on his Hawaiian [Am] cruise [Am]
[D7] He goes nuts over coconuts

[C] Long ago one [Gdim7] winter day
[G] Santa was riding [E7] on his sleigh
He [C] stopped and watched for a [Gdim7] little while
His [G] rosy cheeks took [E7] on a smile

So [G] Earl, the Christmas Squirrel
[C] Works from dawn ’til [Am] dusk
[D7] Scurrying all around the world
[G] Walnuts, chestnuts, hazelnuts, peanuts
And [C] on his Hawaiian [Am] cruise [Am]
[D7] He goes nuts over coconuts

So if you [C] see a squirrel up [Gdim7] in a tree
You [G] never know, it [E7] just might be
Now [C] he’s a part of [Gdim7] Santa’s crew
Just [G] like the elves and [E7] Rudolph too

So [G] Earl, the Christmas Squirrel
[C] Works from dawn ’til [Am] dusk
[D7] Scurrying all around the world
[G] Walnuts, chestnuts, hazelnuts, peanuts
And [C] on his Hawaiian [Am] cruise [Am]
[D7] He goes nuts over coconuts
So if you [C] see a squirrel up [Gdim7] in a tree
You [G] never know, it [E7] just might be

[G] Ea-rl, the Christmas Squirrel
[C] Works from dawn ‘til [Am] dusk
[D7] Scurrying all around the world
[G] Walnuts, chestnuts, hazelnuts, peanuts
And [C] on his Hawaiian [Am] cruise [Am]

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Fairytale of New York
Jem Finer, Shane MacGowan 1987 (The Pogues)


<Guys>
It was Christmas [C] Eve babe, in the [F] drunk tank [F]
An old man [C] said to me, won't see a-[G]nother one [G7]
And then he [C] sang a song, the rare old [F] Mountain Dew [F]
I turned my [C] face away, and dreamed a-[G]bout [C] you [G]

Got on a [C] lucky one, came in eight-[F]een to one [F]
I've got a [C] feeling, this year's for [G] me and you [G7]
So happy [C] Christmas, I love you [F] baby [F]
I can see a [C] better time, when all our [G] dreams come [C] true


< 6/8 time – / 1 2 / 1 2 / >

[C][F]/[C][G]/[C][F]/[G][C]

<Girls>
They've got [C] cars big as [G] bars, they've got [Am] rivers of [F] gold
But the [C] wind goes right through you, it’s no place for the [G] old
You [C] promised me Broadway was [G] waiting for [C] me

You were [C] handsome

<Guys>
You were [C] pretty, Queen of New York [G] city

<Together>
When the [C] band finished [F] playing, they [G] howled out for [C] more
Si-[C]natra was swinging, all the [C] drunks they were [G] singing
We [C] kissed on the [F] corner, then [G] danced through the [C] night

The [F] Boys of the NYPD choir were [C] singing Galway [Am] Bay
And the [C] bells were [F] ringing [G] out for Christmas [C] day

They've [C] got cars big as [G] bars, they've got [Am] rivers of [F] gold
But the [C] wind goes right through you, it’s no place for the [G] old
You [C] promised me Broadway was [G] waiting for [C] me
<Girls>
You're a [C] bum, you're a punk

<Guys>
You're an [C] old slut on [G] junk
Lying [C] there almost [F] dead on a [G] drip in that [C] bed

<Girls>
You [C] scum bag, you maggot, you cheap lousy [G] faggot

<Together>
The [F] Boys of the NYPD choir still [C] singing Galway [Am] Bay
And the [C] bells are [F] ringing [G] out for Christmas [C] day [C]

It was Christmas [C] Eve babe, in the [F] drunk tank [F]
An old man [C] said to me, won't see a-[G]nother one [G7]

<Guys>
I could have [C] been someone [C]

<Girls>
Well so could [F] anyone [F]
You took my [C] dreams from me, when I first [G] found you [G7]

<Guys>
I kept them [C] with me babe, I put them [F] with my own [F]
Can't make it [C] all alone, I've built my dreams a-[G]round [C] you [C]

<Together>
The [F] Boys of the NYPD choir still [C] singing Galway [Am] Bay
And the [C] bells are [F] ringing [G] out for Christmas [C] day [C]

The [F] Boys of the NYPD choir still [C] singing Galway [Am] Bay
And the [C] bells are [F] ringing [G] out for Christmas [C] day [F] / [C]

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Feliz Navidad
Jose Feliciano 1970

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [D] / [D]↓
Feliz Navi-[G]dad [A7]
Feliz Navi-[D]dad [Bm7]

Feliz Navi-[G]dad [A7]
Feliz Navi-[D]dad [Bm7]

I wanna wish you a [G] Merry Christmas [A7]
I wanna wish you a [D] Merry Christmas [Bm7]
I wanna wish you a [Em] Merry Christmas
From the [A7] bottom of my [D] heart [D]↓

I wanna wish you a [D] Merry Christmas [Bm7]
I wanna wish you a [Em] Merry Christmas
From the [A7] bottom of my [D] heart [D]↓

Feliz Navi-[G]dad [A7]
Feliz Navi-[D]dad [Bm7]

I wanna wish you a [G] Merry Christmas [A7]
I wanna wish you a [D] Merry Christmas [Bm7]
I wanna wish you a [Em] Merry Christmas
From the [A7] bottom of my [D] heart [D]↓

I wanna wish you a [D] Merry Christmas [Bm7]
I wanna wish you a [Em] Merry Christmas
From the [A7] bottom of my [D] heart [D]↓

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Frosty The Snowman
Walter “Jack” Rollins and Steve Nelson 1950


With a [C] corn cob pipe and a [G] button nose

He was [C] made of snow but the [G] children know

There [C] must have been some [Bm] magic
In that [C] old silk [D7] hat they [G] found
For [D] when they placed it on his head

[G] Frosty the [G7] Snow Man was a-[C]live as he could [G] be
And the [C] children say he could [G] laugh and play
Just the [D7] same as you and [G] me [D7]

[G] Frosty the [G7] Snow Man knew the [C] sun was hot that [G] day
So he [C] said “Let’s run and we’ll [G] have some fun
Now be-[D7]fore I melt a-[G]way” [D7]

Running [C] here and there all a-[G]round the square

He [C] led them down the [Bm] streets of town
And he [D] only paused a moment

But he [C] waved goodbye sayin’ [G] “Don’t you cry
I’ll be [D7] back again some [G] day”

[G] Thumpety thump thump, thumpety thump thump
[G] Look at Frosty [D] go
[D7] Thumpety thump thump, thumpety thump thump
Grandma Got Run Over By A Reindeer
Words and music by Randy Brooks 1979


CHORUS:
[G] Grandma got run over by a reindeer [G]
[G] Walking home from our house Christmas [C] Eve [C]
[C] You can say there’s no such thing as [G] Santa [G]
But [D7] as for me and Grandpa we be-[G]lieve /([F]↓[C]↓/[G]↓)

She’d been drinking too much [D7] eggnog [D7]
[D7] And we begged her not to [G] go [G]
[G7] But she forgot her medi-[C]cation [C]
And she [D7] staggered out the door into the [G] snow [G]

[Em] When we found her Christmas [Bm] morning [Bm]
[D7] At the scene of the at-[G]tack [G]
[G7] She had hoof-prints on her [C] forehead [C]
And in-[D7]criminating Claus marks on her [G] back

CHORUS:
[G] Grandma got run over by a reindeer [G]
[G] Walking home from our house Christmas [C] Eve [C]
[C] You can say there’s no such thing as [G] Santa [G]
But [D7] as for me and Grandpa we be-[G]lieve /([F]↓[C]↓/[G]↓)

Now we’re all so proud of [D7] Grandpa [D7]
[D7] He’s been taking this so [G] well [G]
[G] See him in there watching [C] football [C]

[Em] It’s not Christmas without [Bm] Grandma [Bm]
[D7] All the family’s dressed in [G] black [G]
[G7] And we just can’t help but [C] wonder [C]
Should we [D7] open up her [D7] gifts or send them back (Send them back!)

CHORUS:
[G] Grandma got run over by a reindeer [G]
[G] Walking home from our house Christmas [C] Eve [C]
[C] You can say there’s no such thing as [G] Santa [G]
But [D7] as for me and Grandpa we be-[G]lieve /([F]↓[C]↓/[G]↓)

Now the goose is on the [D7] table [D7]
[G7] And the blue and silver [C] candles [C]
That would [D7] just have matched the hair in Grandma’s [G] wig [G]
I've warned all my friends and neighbors
Better watch out for your-selves
They should never give a license
To a man who drives a sleigh and plays with elves

CHORUS:
Grandma got run over by a reindeer
Walking home from our house Christmas Eve
Now you can say there's no such thing as Santa
But as for me and Grandpa we believe

Sing it Grandpa!

Grandma got run over by a reindeer
Walking home from our house Christmas Eve
You can say there's no such thing as Santa
But as for me and Grandpa we believe

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Happy Xmas (War is Over)
Lennon & Ono 1971

6/8 time means / 1 2 3 4 5 6 / which we count as / 1 2 /

INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 / [G] / [G]

So this is [G] Christmas
[Am] And what have you [Am] done?
[D] Another year [D] over

[D] And [D7] so this is [G] Christmas
[Am] Another year [D] over

[Am] The rich and the [D] poor ones
[Am] And what have we [Am] done?
[Am] And what have you [Am] done?

[Am] And another year [D] over
[Am] And what have we [Am] done?
[Am] And what have you [Am] done?

[Am] Another year [D] over
[Am] And what have we [Am] done?
[Am] And what have you [Am] done?

C7] very, merry [F] Christmas
[Am] And what have we [Am] done?
[Am] And what have you [Am] done?

C7] very, merry [F] Christmas
[Am] And what have we [Am] done?
[Am] And what have you [Am] done?
[F] And a happy New [G] Year  
[G] Let’s hope it’s a [Dm] good one  
[F] Without any [C] fear [D]  

[G] War is over  
[Am] If you want it  
[D] War is over  
[G] Now-ow-ow-[G]↓ow  

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BACK TO SONGLIST
Have Yourself A Merry Little Christmas
Hugh Martin & Ralph Blane 1944

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /

[G][Em] / [Am][D7] /

Have your-[Em]self a [Am] merry little [D7] Christmas
Let your [Em] heart be [Am] light [D7]
Next year [Em] all our [C] troubles

Have your-[Em]self a [Am] merry little [D7] Christmas
Make the [Em] Yule-tide [Am] gay [D7]
Next year [Em] all our [Am] troubles
Will be [B7] miles a-[Em]way [G7]

Once again as in [Bm] olden days [A]
Faithful [F#7] friends who were [Bm] dear to us

Someday [Em] soon we [Am] all will be to-[D7]gether
If the [Em] fates al-[Am]low [D]
Until [Em] then we’ll [Am] have to
So [C] have yourself

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Home For The Holidays  
Music – Robert Allen, Lyrics – Al Stillman 1954

INTRO:  / 1 2 / 1 2 / [G] / [G]

[C#dim] For the [D7] holi-[C]days

I met a [C] man who lives in Tennessee
And [C] he was a-[C#dim]headin’ [G] for
From Pennsyl-[C]vania folks are travellin’
Down to [C] Dixie’s [C#dim] sunny [G] shore
From At-[D]lantic to Pa-[Em]cific [A7] gee
The [D]↓ traffic is ter-[D7]↓rific

[C#dim] For the [D7] holi-[C]days
[C#dim]↓ For the [D7] holi-[C]days
You [D7] can’t beat [D7] home... [D7] sweet... [G] home [G]↓[C]↓[G]↓

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I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus
J'ai vu maman embrasser le Père Noël
Tommie Connor 1952


Ils [D7] étaient sous le gui, et me [G] croyaient endor-[Em]mi

Ah [G] si papa était v'nu [Bm] à pas-[Em]ser

[G] Quand j'ai vu petite ma-[Bm]man hier [Em] soir
[G] En train d'embrasser le Père No-[D]ël [D]

Aus-[G]si pour l'an prochain j'ai [Bm] bon es-[Em]poir
Et de nou-[C]veau je ferai sem-[F#]blant, de dor-[G]mir profondé-[Am]ment

[G] I saw mommy kissing [Bm] Santa [Em] Claus
[G] Underneath the mistletoe last [D] night [D]
She [D7] didn't see me creep, down the [G] stairs to have a [Em] peep
She [A] thought that I was [A7] tucked up in my [D] bedroom fast a-[D7]sleep

Then [G] I saw mommy tickle [Bm] Santa [Em] Claus
What a [C] laugh it would have [F#] been, if [G] daddy had only [Am] seen

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BACK TO SONGLIST
I Want A Hippopotamus For Christmas
John Rox 1953


I [G] want a hippopotamus for Christmas
[G] Only a hippopotamus will [D] do
[D7] Don't want a doll, no dinky Tinker Toy
I [A] want a hippopotamus to play with and en-[D7]joy

I [G] want a hippopotamus for Christmas
I [G] don't think Santa Claus will mind, do [D] you?
He [D7] won't have to use, our dirty chimney flue
Just [A] bring him through the front door that's the easy thing to [D7] do

I can [G7] see me now on [C] Christmas morning
[G7] Creeping down the [C] stairs
Oh what [D7] joy and what surprise when I [G] open up my eyes
To see a [A7] hippo hero [D] standing [D7] there

I [G] want a hippopotamus for Christmas
[G] Only a hippopotamus will [D] do
[D7] No crocodiles, no rhinoceroses
[A] I only like, hippopota-[D]muses

I [G] want a hippopotamus for Christmas
[G] Only a hippopotamus will [D] do
There's [D7] lots of room for him in our two-car garage
I'd [A] feed him there and wash him there and give him his mas-[D7]age

I can [G7] see me now on [C] Christmas morning
[G7] Creeping down the [C] stairs
Oh what [D7] joy and what surprise when I [G] open up my eyes
To see a [A7] hippo hero [D] standing [D7] there

I [G] want a hippopotamus for Christmas
[G] Only a hippopotamus will [D] do
[D7] No crocodiles or rhinoceros-se-ses
[A] I only like, hippopota-[D7]mu-se-ses

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It's Beginning To Look A Lot Like Christmas  
Meredith Willson 1951

INTRO:  / 1 2 3 4 / [F] / [F]
It's be-\([F]\)ginning to look a \([Bb]\) lot like \([F]\) Christmas
\([F]\) Ev'ry-\([A7]\)where you \([Bb]\) go \([D7]\)
Take a \([Gm7]\) look in the five and \([C7]\) ten \([F]\) glistening once a-\([Dm]\)gain
With \([C]\) candy canes and \([G7]\) silver lanes a-\([C7]\)glow

It's be-\([F]\)gning to look a \([Bb]\) lot like \([F]\) Christmas
\([F]\) Toys in \([A7]\) ev'ry \([Bb]\) store \([D7]\)
But the \([Gm7]\) prettiest sight to \([Bdim]\) see is the \([F]\) holly that will \([D7]\) be
On your \([Gm7]\) own \([C7]\) front \([F]\) door

A pair of \([A7]\) hop-a-long boots and a pistol that shoots
Is the \([A7]\) wish of Barney and \([Dm]\) Ben
\([G7]\) Dolls that will talk and will go for a walk
Is the \([G7]\) hope of Janice and \([C7]\) Jen
And \([C7]\) Mom and Dad can \([C]\) hardly wait for \([C7]\) school to start a-\([C]\)gain
\(<KAZOO>\) And \([C7]\) Mom and Dad can \([C]\) hardly wait for \([C7]\) school to start a-\([C]\)gain

It's be-\([F]\)gning to look a \([Bb]\) lot like \([F]\) Christmas
\([F]\) Soon the \([A7]\) bells will \([Bb]\) start \([D7]\)
And the \([Gm7]\) thing that will make them \([Bdim]\) ring
Is the \([F]\) carol that you \([D7]\) sing
Right with-\([Gm7]\) in \([C7]\) your \([F]\) heart

INSTRUMENTAL:
It's be-\([F]\)gning to look a \([Bb]\) lot like \([F]\) Christmas
\([F]\) Soon the \([A7]\) bells will \([Bb]\) start \([D7]\)
And the \([Gm7]\) thing that will make them \([Bdim]\) ring
Is the \([F]\) carol that you \([D7]\) sing
Right with-\([Gm7]\) in \([C7]\) your \([F]\) heart

A pair of \([A7]\) hop-a-long boots and a pistol that shoots
Is the \([A7]\) wish of Barney and \([Dm]\) Ben
\([G7]\) Dolls that will talk and will go for a walk
Is the \([G7]\) hope of Janice and \([C7]\) Jen
And \([C7]\) Mom and Dad can \([C]\) hardly wait for \([C7]\) school to start a-\([C]\)gain
\([C7]\) Hah-hah-hah-hah \([C]\) hah-hah-hah-hah \([C7]\) hah-hah-hah-hah \([C]\) hah!
It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas
Soon the bells will start
And the thing that will make them ring is the carol that you sing
Right with your heart...
Jingle Bell Rock
Joseph Beal and James Boothe 1957

INTRO:
/ 1 2 3 4 /


[Am7]↓ Now the jingle hop [D7]↓ has begun [D7]↑


BRIDGE:
What a [C] bright time, it's the [Gdim] right time
To [G] rock the night a-[G7]way
Jingle [A7] bell time, is a swell time
[D]↓ To go glidin' in the [D7]↓ one horse sleigh [D7]↑

[C] Mix and a-mingle in the [Cm] jinglin' feet


BRIDGE:
What a [C] bright time, it's the [Gdim] right time
To [G] rock the night a-[G7]way
Jingle [A7] bell time, is a swell time
[D]↓ To go glidin' in the [D7]↓ one horse sleigh [D7]↑

[C] Mix and a-mingle in the [Cm] jinglin' feet
[Am7] That's the [D7] jingle bell
[Am7] That's the [D7] jingle bell

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BACK TO SONGLIST
Jingle Bells
James Lord Pierpont 1857

INTRO:  / 1 2 / 1 2 / [C] / [C] /

[C] Dashing through the snow, in a one-horse open [F] sleigh
[C] Bells on bobtails ring, making spirits [F] bright
What [F] fun it is to [G] ride and sing

CHORUS:
[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride
[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride

A [C] day or two ago, I thought I'd take a [F] ride
And [F] soon Miss Fanny [G] Bright, was [G7] seated by my [C] side
The [C] horse was lean and lank, misfortune seemed his [F] lot
He [F] got into a [G] drifted bank and
[G7] We, we got up [C]↓ sot [G7]↓ OH!

CHORUS:
[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride
[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride

[C] Now the ground is white, so go it while you're [F] young
[F] Take the girls to-[G]night, and [G7] sing this sleighing [C] song
Just [C] get a bob-tailed nag, two-forty for his [F] speed
Then [F] hitch him to an [G] open sleigh

CHORUS:
[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride
[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride
In a [G]↓ one-horse [G7]↓ open [C] sleigh [C]↓ [G7]↓ [C]↓

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BACK TO SONGLIST
INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 /  

[F] Whisper what you’ll [C] bring to me [G7] tell me if you [C] can [C]

[C] Jolly Old St. [G7] Nicholas [Am] lean your ear this [Em] way
[F] Whisper what you’ll [C] bring to me [G7] tell me if you [C] can [C]

[C] When the clock is [G7] striking twelve [Am] when I’m fast a-[Em] sleep
[C] All the stockings [G] you will find [Am] hanging in a [Em] row
[F] Mine will be the [C] shortest one [G7] you’ll be sure to [C] know [C]

[C] As for me, my [G7] little brain [Am] isn’t very [Em] bright
[F] Choose for me, old [C] Santa Claus [G7] what you think is [C] right [C]

[C] Jolly Old St. [G7] Nicholas [Am] lean your ear this [Em] way
[F] Whisper what you’ll [C] bring to me [G7] tell me if you [C] can [C]↓[G7]↓[C]↓

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Let It Be Christmas
Alan Jackson 2002

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6/8 TIME = 1 2 3 4 5 6

INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 /


Let it be [C] Christmas every-[G] where
In the [C] hearts of all people both [G] near and a-far
[C] Christmas every-[G] where
Feel the [C] love of the season wher-[F] ever you [G7] are
On the [Am] small country roads lined with [F] green mistletoe

CHORUS:
Let it be [C] Christmas every-[F] where
Let heavenly [C] music, fill the [F] air
Let every heart [C] sing, let every bell [Am] ring
The story of [Dm7] hope and joy and [G] peace
And let it be [C] Christmas every-[F] where
Let heavenly [C] music, fill the [F] air
Let anger and [C] fear, and hate disap-[Am] pear
Let there be [Dm7] love that lasts through the [G] year
And let it be [C] Christmas

Let it be [C] Christmas every-[G] where
With the [C] gold and the silver, the [G] green and the red
[C] Christmas every-[G] where
In the [C] smiles of all children a-[F] sleep in their [G7] beds
In the [Am] eyes of young babies, their [F] first fallen snow

CHORUS:
Let it be [C] Christmas every-[F] where
Let heavenly [C] music, fill the [F] air
Let every heart [C] sing, let every bell [Am] ring
The story of [Dm7] hope and joy and [G] peace
And let it be [C] Christmas every-[F] where
Let heavenly [C] music, fill the [F] air
Let anger and [C] fear, and hate disap-[Am] pear
Let there be [Dm7] love that lasts through the [G] year
And let it be [C] Christmas
Let it be [C] Christmas every-[G]where
In the [C] songs that we sing and the [G] gifts that we bring
[C] Christmas every-[G]where
In [C] what this day means, and [F] what we be-[G7]lieve
From the [Am] sandy white beaches where [F] blue water rolls

CHORUS:
Let it be [C] Christmas every-[F]where
Let heavenly [C] music, fill the [F] air
Let every heart [C] sing, let every bell [Am] ring
The story of [Dm7] hope and joy and [G] peace
And let it be [C] Christmas every-[F]where
Let heavenly [C] music, fill the [F] air
Let anger and [C] fear and hate disappear-[Am]pear
Let there be [Dm7] love that lasts through the [G] year
And let it be [C] Christmas


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Let It Snow
Sammy Cahn & Julie Styne 1945

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [C] / [C]

Oh, the [C] weather out-[G7]side is [C] frightful
But the [C] fire is [Cdim] so de-[G7]lightful
And [Dm] since we’ve no [A7] place to [Dm] go

It [C] doesn’t show [G7] signs of [C] stopping
The [Dm] lights are turned [A7] way down [Dm] low
Let it [G7] snow, let it snow, let it [C] snow

BRIDGE:
When we [G] finally kiss good night
But if [G] you really hold me tight

The [C] fire is [G7] slowly [C] dying
And my [C] dear, we’re [Cdim] still good-[G7]byeing
But as [Dm] long as you [A7] love me [Dm] so
Let it [G7] snow, let it snow, let it [C] snow

BRIDGE:
When we [G] finally kiss good night
But if [G] you really hold me tight

The [C] fire is [G7] slowly [C] dying
And my [C] dear, we’re [Cdim] still good-[G7]byeing
But as [Dm] long as you [A7] love me [Dm] so
Let it [G7] snow, let it snow, let it [C] snow

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BACK TO SONGLIST
Let the Good Guys Win
Murray McLaughlan 1989

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [C] / [C]

May I [C] get what I want, not what I deserve
May I [C] hurt nobody, may I [Am] tell no lies
If I [F] can’t go on, give me [F] strength [C] to [G] try

CHORUS:
Bring us [C] all [G] good [Am]↓ luck [F] let the [C] good... [G] guys... [C] win...

May the [C] one you love, be the one you get
May you [F] get some [C] place, you haven’t [F] been [C] to [G] yet
And may your [C] friends surround you, never [Am] do you wrong
May your [F] eyes be clear and may your [F] heart [C] be [G] strong

CHORUS:
Bring us [C] all [G] good [Am]↓ luck [F] let the [C] good... [G] guys... [C] win...

INSTRUMENTAL CHORUS: <optional>
Bring us [C] all [G] good [Am]↓ luck [F] let the [C] good... [G] guys... [C] win...

[A] May the [D] times to come, be the best you’ve had
When you [D] see something wrong, try and [Bm] make it right

CHORUS
Bring us [D] all [A] good [Bm]↓ luck [G] let the [D] good... [A] guys... [Bm] win...

[G] Let the [D] good... [A] guys... [Bm] win...

[G] Let the [D] good... [A] guys... [Bm] win...

[G] Let the [D] good... [A] guys... [G] win... [D]↓
INTRO:  / 1 2 3 4 /

[C] Mele Kalikimaka is Ha-[A7]waii's way
To [Dm] say Merry [G7] Christmas to [C] you [G7]

GIRLS: [C] Mele Kalikimaka is the thing to say
[G7] That's the island greeting that we send to you
From the [G7] land where palm trees [C] sway
[C7] Here we know that Christmas will be [F] green and bright
The [A7] sun to shine by day and all the [D7] stars at [G7] night
[C] Mele Kalikimaka is Ha-[A7]waii's way
To [Dm] say Merry [G7] Christmas to [C] you [G7]

INSTRUMENTAL:
[C] Mele Kalikimaka is the thing to say
[G7] That's the island greeting that we send to you
From the [G7] land where palm trees [C] sway
[C7] Here we know that Christmas will be [F] green and bright
The [A7] sun to shine by day and all the [D7] stars at [G7] night
[C] Mele Kalikimaka is Ha-[A7]waii's way
To [Dm] say Merry [G7] Christmas to [C] you [G7]

TOGETHER:
[C7] Here we know that Christmas will be [F] green and bright
The [A7] sun to shine by day and all the [D7] stars at [G7] night
[C] Mele Kalikimaka is Ha-[A7]waii's way
To [Dm] say Merry [G7] Christmas
A [Dm] very merry [G7] Christmas
A [Dm] very very merry merry [G7] Christmas to [C] you [C]↓[G7]↓[C]↓

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Merry Christmas Everyone
Shakin Stevens 1991

INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 / [G] / [G]

Snow is [G] fallin’ [D] all a-[Em]round me [C]
It’s the [G] season, of love and under-[Em]standin’ [C]

Time for [G] parties and cele-[Em]bration [C]
Time for [G] presents, and exchangin’ [Em] kisses [C]

[Em] We’re gonna [C] have a [G] party to-[D]night
[Em] I’m gonna [C] find that girl
[G] Underneath the mistletoe, and [D] kiss by candle-[D]light

Room is [G] swayin’ [D] records [Em] playin’ [C]
All the [G] old songs, we [C] love to [G] hear [G]
Oh I [G] wish that, every day was [Em] Christmas [C]

[Em] We’re gonna [C] have a [G] party to-[D]night
[Em] I’m gonna [C] find that girl
[G] Underneath the mistletoe, and [D] kiss by candle-[D]light

Room is [G] swayin’ [D] ukuleles [Em] playin’ [C]
All the [G] old songs, we [C] love to [G] hear [G]
Oh I [G] wish that, every day was [Em] Christmas [C]

Snow is [G] fallin’ [D] all a-[Em]round me [C]
It’s the [G] season, of love and under-[Em]standin’ [C]
Oh, Merry [G] Christmas [D] every-[G]one! [G]↓[D]↓[G]↓

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Miss Fogarty’s Christmas Cake
Frank Horn 1883 (as recorded by Irish Rovers)

6/8 time means / 1 2 3 4 5 6 / but we count it / 1 2 /


As I [C] sat in me [F] window last [C] evenin’
A [C] letter was [G] brought round to [C] me
Gil-[D]hooly come over to [G] tea
Each [G] Christmas the Fogarty’s [C] sent it
So I [F] went just for old friendship’s [E7] sake
And the [F] first thing they gave me to [C] tackle
Was a [G] slice of Miss Fogarty’s [C] cake, and [G] there were

[C] Plums and [F] prunes and [C] cherries
There were [C] citrons and [G] raisins and [C] cinnamon too
There were [C] nuts and [F] cloves and [C] berries
And a [D] crust that was nail’d on with [G] glue
There were [F] carroway [G] seeds in a-[C]bundance
Sure ‘twould [D] work up a fine stomach-[G]ache
It would [C] kill a man twice after [F] ‘ating a slice
Of Miss [G] Fogarty’s Christmas [C] cake
It would [C] kill a man twice after [F] ‘ating a slice

Miss [C] Mulligan [F] wanted to [C] try it
But [C] really it [G] wasn’t no [C] use
For we [G] work’d on it over an [C] hour [Am] but
A [D] piece of it wouldn’t come [G] loose
’Till [G] Kelly came in with the [C] hatchet
And [F] Murphy came in with the [E7] saw
But Miss [F] Fogarty’s cake had the [C] power for
To [G] paralyze any man’s [C] jaw, and [G] there were

[C] Plums and [F] prunes and [C] cherries
There were [C] citrons and [G] raisins and [C] cinnamon too
There were [C] nuts and [F] cloves and [C] berries
And a [D] crust that was nail’d on with [G] glue
There were [F] carroway [G] seeds in a-[C]bundance
Sure ‘twould [D] work up a fine stomach-[G]ache
It would [C] kill a man twice after [F] ‘ating a slice
Of Miss [G] Fogarty’s Christmas [C] cake
It would [C] kill a man twice after [F] ‘ating a slice
Mrs. [C] Fogarty [F] proud as a [C] peacock
Kep’ [C] smilin’ and [G] talkin’ a-[C]way
’Til she [G] tripped over Flanigan’s [C] brogans [Am] and
[D] Spill’d the potcheen in her [G] tay
“Aw, Gil-[G]hooly” she says “You’re not [C] ‘atin’
Try a [F] little bit more of me [E7] cake”
“Oh [F] no Misses Fogarty” [C] said I
“Any [G] more and me stomach would [C] break”, and [G] there were

[C] Plums and [F] prunes and [C] cherries
There were [C] citrons and [G] raisins and [C] cinnamon too
There were [C] nuts and [F] cloves and [C] berries
And a [D] crust that was nail’d on with [G] glue
There were [F] carroway [G] seeds in a-[C]bundance
Sure ‘twould [D] work up a fine stomach-[G]ache
It would [C] kill a man twice after [F] ’ating a slice
Of Miss [G] Fogarty’s Christmas [C] cake
It would [C] kill a man twice after [F] ’ating a slice

Ma-[C]loney was [F] sick with the [C] colic
Mc-[G]Nulty laid down on the [C] sofa [Am] and
He [D] swore that he wish’d he was [G] dead
Miss [G] Bailey went into hy-[C]sterics
And [F] there she did wriggle and [E7] shake
And [F] all of us swore we were [C] poison’d
From [G] ’atin Miss Fogarty’s [C] cake, and [G] there were

[C] Plums and [F] prunes and [C] cherries
There were [C] citrons and [G] raisins and [C] cinnamon too
There were [C] nuts and [F] cloves and [C] berries
And a [D] crust that was nail’d on with [G] glue
There were [F] carroway [G] seeds in a-[C]bundance
Sure ‘twould [D] work up a fine stomach-[G]ache
It would [C] kill a man twice after [F] ’ating a slice
Of Miss [G] Fogarty’s Christmas [C] cake
Yes, it would [C] kill a man twice after [F] ’ating a slice
Of Miss [G] Fogarty’s Christmas [C] cake
It would [C] kill a man twice after [F] ’ating a slice
Of Miss [G] Fogarty’s Christmas [C] cake [C]↓

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**Must Be Santa**  
Mitch Miller (Top of the Christmas charts in 1961)

**INTRO:** / 1 2 / 1 2 / [C] / [C] /  

**Girls:** [C] Who's got a beard that's [G] long and white?  
**Guys:** [G] Santa's got a beard that's [C] long and white  
**Girls:** [C] Who comes around on a [G] special night?  
**Guys:** [G] Santa comes around on a [C] special night  

**Together:**  
[C] Special night, beard that's white  

**Girls:** [C] Who wears boots and a [G] suit of red?  
**Guys:** [G] Santa wears boots and a [C] suit of red  
**Girls:** [C] Who wears a long cap [G] on his head?  
**Guys:** [G] Santa wears a long cap [C] on his head  

**Together:**  
[C] Cap on head, suit that's red  
[C] Cap on head, suit that's red  

**Girls:** [C] Who's got a big red [G] cherry nose?  
**Guys:** [G] Santa's got a big red [C] cherry nose  
**Girls:** [C] Who laughs this way? [G] HO! HO! HO!  
**Guys:** [G] Santa laughs this way [C] HO! HO! HO!  

**Together:**  
[C] HO! HO! HO! cherry nose  
[C] Cap on head, suit that's red  
[C] Special night, beard that's white  

**Girls:** [C] Who very soon will [G] come our way?  
**Guys:** [G] Santa very soon will [C] come our way  
**Girls:** [C] Eight little reindeer [G] pull his sleigh  
**Guys:** [G] Santa's little reindeer [C] pull his sleigh  

**Together:**  
[C] Reindeer sleigh, come our way  
[C] HO! HO! HO! Cherry nose  
[C] Cap on head, suit that's red  
[C] Special night, beard that's white  
Girls:  [C] Dasher, Dancer  [G] Prancer, Vixen  
[G] Comet, Cupid  [C] Donner and Blitzen
Guys:  [C] Dasher, Dancer  [G] Prancer, Vixen  
[G] Comet, Cupid  [C] Donner and Blitzen

Together: 
[C] Reindeer sleigh, come our way 
[C] HO! HO! HO! Cherry nose  
[C] Cap on head, suit that's red  
[C] Special night, beard that's white  
[F] Must be  [G] Santa, Santa  [C] Claus  [C][G7][C]

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BACK TO SONGLIST
My Mommy And Santa Claus
Written by Clyde W. Beavers (as recorded by Lonnie and Lottie)

INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 / [F] / [F]↓

Well I saw [F] Mommy in her night gown, she was jumpin’ all around
[F] Twistin’ with old Santa [C7] Claus
The [C7] record kept a-playin’, Mommy kept a-sayin’
Old [C7] Santa wasn’t built for the [F] cause

His [F] tummy kept a-shakin’, Mommy kept a-makin’
[F] Jokes about the look in his [C7] eye
I’ll [C7] make a little bet, I’ll never forget
Mommy [C7] twistin’ with Santa that [F] night [F]

Well it was [F] Christmas night, and all was quiet
And [F] I was in my bed a-[C7]sleep
And [C7] something woke me from the other room
So I [C7] thought I’d better take a little [F] peek

I [F] sneaked up to, the old keyhole
And [F] took a little look in-[C7]side
And the [C7] sight I saw, then shocked me so
I’d [C7] like to jump out of my [F] hide [F]↓

There was my [F] Mommy in her night gown, she was jumpin’ all around
[F] Twistin’ with old Santa [C7] Claus
The [C7] record kept a-playin’, Mommy kept a-sayin’
Old [C7] Santa wasn’t built for the [F] cause

His [F] tummy kept a-shakin’, and Mommy kept a-makin’
[F] Jokes about the look in his [C7] eye
I’ll [C7] make a little bet, I’ll never forget
Mommy [C7] twistin’ with Santa that [F] night [F]/[F]/[F]

Well then I [F] cracked the door, stuck my head inside
To [F] try to get a better [C7] view
And then I [C7] stubbed my toe, and I fell inside
But I [C7] got another look or [F] two [F]↓

There was my [F] Mommy in her night gown, she was jumpin’ all around
[F] Twistin’ with old Santa [C7] Claus
The [C7] record kept a-playin’, Mommy kept a-sayin’
Old [C7] Santa wasn’t built for the [F] cause
His [F] tummy kept a-shakin’, and Mommy kept a-makin’
[F] Jokes about the look in his [C7] eye
I’ll [C7] make a little bet, I’ll never forget
Mommy [C7] twistin’ with Santa that [F] night
[F] Mommy kept a-twistin’, Santa kept a-twistin’
[F] Mommy kept a-twistin’, Santa kept a-twistin’ [F]

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Noël est arrivé
Traditional 1976 (Charles de Lint version)

INTRO:  / 1 2 / 1 2

La [Dm] jambe me fait [Bb] mal, boute a [C] selle à mon che-[Dm]val

CHORUS:
La [Dm] jambe me fait [Bb] mal, boute a [C] selle à mon che-[Dm]val


CHORUS:
La [Dm] jambe me fait [Bb] mal, boute a [C] selle à mon che-[Dm]val

La [Dm] jambe me fait [Bb] mal, boute a [C] selle à mon che-[Dm]val

[Dm] Un gros berger, s’en [Bb] va à [C] petits [A7] pas

CHORUS
La [Dm] jambe me fait [Bb] mal, boute a [C] selle à mon che-[Dm]val

La [Dm] jambe me fait [Bb] mal, boute a [C] selle à mon che-[Dm]val

[Dm] Réveillez-vous, sor-[Bb]tez de [C] vos mais-[A7]ons
CHORUS:
La [Dm] jambe me fait [Bb] mal, boute a [C] selle à mon che-[Dm]val

La [Dm] jambe me fait [Bb] mal, boute a [C] selle à mon che-[Dm]val

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Nuttin' For Christmas
Sid Tepper and Roy C. Bennett 1955

INTRO:
[C] I'm gettin' nuttin' for Christmas
[G7] Mommy and Daddy are mad
[C] I'm gettin' nuttin' for Christmas
'Cuz [G7] I ain't been nuttin' but [C] bad

CHORUS:
[C] I'm gettin' nuttin' for Christmas
[G7] Mommy and Daddy are mad
[C] I'm gettin' nuttin' for Christmas
'Cuz [G7] I ain't been nuttin' but [C] bad

I [C] broke my bat on [F] Johnny's [C] head
I [C] hid a frog in [F] sister's [C] bed
[G7] Somebody snitched on [C] me

CHORUS:
Oh [C] I'm gettin' nuttin' for Christmas
[G7] Mommy and Daddy are mad
[C] I'm gettin' nuttin' for Christmas
'Cuz [G7] I ain't been nuttin' but [C] bad

I [C] put a tack on [F] teacher's [C] chair
I [C] tied a knot in [F] Suzy's [C] hair
[G7] Somebody snitched on [C] me

CHORUS:
Oh [C] I'm gettin' nuttin' for Christmas
[G7] Mommy and Daddy are mad
[C] I'm gettin' nuttin' for Christmas
'Cuz [G7] I ain't been nuttin' but [C] bad
I [C] won't be seein’ [F] Santa [C] Claus
He [C] won't come visit [F] me be-[C]cause
[C]↓ Next year [C]↓ I'll put [F]↓ things [F]↓ all [F]↓ straight
[G7]↓ Somebody snitched on [C] me

CHORUS:
Oh [C] I'm gettin' nuttin' for Christmas [C]
[G7] Mommy and Daddy are mad [G7]
[C] I'm gettin' nuttin' for Christmas [C]
'Cuz [G7] I ain't been nuttin' but [C] bad [C]

OUTRO:
So you [F] better be good what-[Gdim7]ever you do
'Cause [F] if you're bad, I'm [Gdim7] warning you

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Petit Papa Noël
Raymond Vincy and Henri Martinet 1946 (as recorded by Tino Rossi)

INTRO:  / 1 2 3 4 / [A]↓↓ [E7] ↓↓ / [A]↓↓

C’est la bel-[A]↓↓ la nuit de Noël
La neige é-[F#m]↓↓ tend son manteau blanc
Et les yeux [D]↓↓ levés vers le ciel
À ge-noux [A]↓↓ les petits enfants
A-[D]↓↓ vant de fermer les pau-[A]↓↓ pières
[E7]↓↓ Font une dernière pri-[A]↓↓ ère

Pe-[A]↓↓ tit pa-[E7]↓↓ pa No-[A]↓↓ Œl
Quand tu [F#m]↓↓ descendras [E7]↓↓ du [A]↓↓ ciel
A-[D]↓↓ vec des jouets par mil-[A]↓↓ liers
N’oublis [F#m]↓↓ pas, mon petit sou-[E7]↓↓ lier

Il faut-[F#m]↓↓ dra bien te [E7]↓↓ cou-[A]↓↓ vir
De-[D]↓↓ hors, tu vas avoir si [A]↓↓ froid
C’est un [F#m]↓↓ peu, à [E7]↓↓ cause de [A]↓↓ moi

[D]↓↓ Il me tarde tant que le jour se [A]↓↓ lève
[F#m]↓↓ Pour voir si tu [D#m-5]↓↓ m’as appor-[E7]↓↓ té
[C]↓↓ Tous les beaux joujoux que je [Dm]↓↓ vois en [G]↓↓ rêve
[Am]↓↓ Et que je [Dm]↓↓ t’ai comman-[E7]↓↓ dés

Pe-[A]↓↓ tit pa-[E7]↓↓ pa No-[A]↓↓ Œl
Quand tu [F#m]↓↓ descendras [E7]↓↓ du [A]↓↓ ciel
A-[D]↓↓ vec des jouets par mil-[A]↓↓ liers
N’oublis [F#m]↓↓ pas [E7]↓↓ mon petit sou-[A]↓↓ lier

Le marchand [A]↓↓ de sable est passé
Les enfants [F#m]↓↓ vont faire dodo
Et tu vas [D]↓↓ pouvoir commencer
Avec ta [A]↓↓ hotte sur le dos
Au [D]↓↓ son des cloches des é-[A]↓↓ glises
[E7]↓↓ Ta distribution de sur-[A]↓↓ prises

Pe-[A]↓↓ tit pa-[E7]↓↓ pa No-[A]↓↓ Œl
Quand tu [F#m]↓↓ descendras [E7]↓↓ du [A]↓↓ ciel
A-[D]↓↓ vec des jouets par mil-[A]↓↓ liers
N’oublis [F#m]↓↓ pas, mon petit sou-[E7]↓↓ lier
Tout [D] ca, avant demain ma-[A]tin
Mets-toi [F#m ] vite, vite [E7] en che-[A]min

[D] Et quand tu seras sur ton beau nu-[A]ge
[F#m] Viens d’abord sur [D#m-5] notre mai-[E7]son
[C] Je n’ai pas été tous les [Dm] jours très [G] sage

Pe-[A]tit pa-[E7]pa No-[A]ël
Quand tu [F#m] descendras [E7] du [A] ciel
A-[D]vec des jouets par mil-[A]liers
N’oublis [F#m] pas [E7] mon petit sou-[A]lier

Pe-[A]tit pa-[E7]pa No-[A]ël
Quand tu [F#m] descendras [E7] du [A] ciel
A-[D]vec des jouets par mil-[A]liers
N’oublis [F#m] pas [Dm] mon petit sou-[A]lier
Pe-[D]tit Pa-[Dm]pa No-[A]ël

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Present Face
Garfunkel and Oates 2009

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [C][C7] / [F][C]↓ /

VERSE:
[C] Christmas comes but [C7] once a year and [F] mostly it is [C] swell
But [C] there's an epi-[C7]demic that I [F] think we all know [C] well (Noel)
Your [C] smile is frozen [C7] open, there's a [F] crazed look in your [C] eye

BRIDGE:
That you [Dm] loathe the gift you [G] opened
Though you [Dm] try to keep your [G] grace
Your [Dm] scary grin is [G] frozen
Don't you [Dm] know you've got a [G]↓ case...of...

CHORUS:
Present [C] face, present [C7] face
Present [F] face, present [Fm]↓ face (Oh...thank you so much!)

VERSE:
You [C] really hoped your [C7] parents would give [F] you a great big [C] cheque
But your [C] stupid former [C7] future husband [F] only bought you [C] socks

BRIDGE:
And your [Dm] face is all con-[G]torted
As you're [Dm] trying to e-[G]rase
The [Dm] truth behind your [G] smile
Don't you [Dm] know you've got a [G]↓ case..of..

CHORUS:
Present [C] face, present [C7] face
Present [F] face, present [Fm]↓ face (Oh...no I totally like it!)

<SPOKEN>
It’s one of those...you don’t think you need...and then you get it...;
It’sssss sssso great;
Medium...I’m in an Xlarge but, you know, it’s good, sends out...;
The thing is I don’t know what to say cuz I like it soooo much....
MIDDLE:
Do they [Dm] see how much I hate it?
I [Bdim] hope that they don't know
I [C] can't tell if they're onto me
Oh [F] please don't let it [G] show....

VERSE:
[C] Baby Jesus [C7] got some gold which [F] all infants pre-[C]fer
I [C] bet he got the [C7] present face with [F] frankincense and [C] myrrh
[C] Christmas and his [C7] birthday are both [F] on the twenty-[C]fifth
It [C] must have sucked to [C7] have to open [F] combination [C] gifts

BRIDGE:
But if [Dm] Jesus couldn't [G] hide it
From his [Dm] omnipresent [G] face
[Dm] You and I are [G] doomed
To an [Dm] everlasting [G] case...of...

CHORUS:
Present [C] face (you shouldn't have)
Present [C7] face (just what I wanted)
Present [F] face (for all the times I go fishing)
Present [Fm]↓ face (ohhhh!) [C]↓

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BACK TO SONGLIST
Put A Little Holiday In Your Heart
Greg Wohahn, Roger Wajahn, Scott Wojahn 1996 (as recorded by LeeAnn Rimes)

INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 / [C]↓[F]↓ / [C]↓

There’s a [F]↓ cold [G]↓ wind [Am]↓ blowin’
[F]↓ Winter’s comin’ [C]↓ on
[F]↓ ‘Tis the [C]↓ season so they [G]↓ say [C]↓[G]↓
If you [F]↓ need [G]↓ help be-[Am]↓lievin’
‘Cause your [F]↓ spirit ain’t too [D]↓ strong
[F]↓ Hold my hand, we’ll [C]↓ push that cloud a-[G]↓way [C]↓[G]↓

CHORUS:
And put a little [F] holiday in your heart
It’ll put a little [C] shuffle in your step
Give you a [G] song that you can sing
With a melo-[C]dy you can’t forget
And if you wanna [F] join in a little harmony
To keep the [E7] world from tearin’ a-[Am]part
Well you [F] know where to look
Yeah you [C] gotta put, a little [G] holiday in your [C] heart [C]↓

There's a [F]↓ man [G]↓ on the [Am] corner
Who [F] doesn't have a [C] name
[F] People pass and [C] turn their heads a-[G]way [G]
But to [F] share a [G] simple [Am] kindness
Would [F] set your heart a-[D]flame [D]
And you'll [F] get more than you'll [C] ever give a-[G]way [G]

CHORUS:
And put a little [F] holiday in your heart
It'll put a little [C] shuffle in your step
Give you a [G] song that you can sing
With a melo-[C]dy you can't forget
And if you wanna [F] join in a little harmony
To keep the [E7] world from tearin' a-[Am]part
Well you [F] know where to look

[C]/[C]/[F]/[F]/[C]/[C]

It [Z] starts with you, it starts with me
That [Z] ain't no stranger, he's family
And [Z] it don't matter if we agree
It [Z] all comes down to [G] love [G]
CHORUS:
And put a little [F] holiday in your heart
It'll put a little [C] shuffle in your step
Give you a [G] song that you can sing
With a melo-[C]dy you can't forget
And if you wanna [F] join in a little harmony
To keep the [E7] world from tearin' a-[Am]part
Well you [F] know where to look
Yeah you [C] gotta put, a little [G] holiday in your [C] heart

And put a little [F] holiday in your heart
It'll put a little [C] shuffle in your step
Give you a [G] song that you can sing
With a melo-[C]dy you can't forget
And if you wanna [F] join in a little harmony
To keep the [E7] world from tearin' a-[Am]part
Well you [F] know where to look
Yeah you [C] gotta put, a little [G] holiday in your [C] heart

Well you [F] know where to look
[C] Yeah you gotta put a little [G] holiday in your [C] heart [C]↓[G]↓[C]↓
Rockin’ Around The Christmas Tree
Johnny Marks 1958


[G] Rockin’ around the Christmas tree
At the [D] Christmas party hop
[D] Mistletoe hung where you can see
Every [D] couple tries to [G] stop
[G] Rockin’ around the Christmas tree
Let the [D] Christmas spirit ring
[D] Later we’ll have some pumpkin pie
And we’ll [D] do some carol-[G]ing

[C] You will get a sentimental [Bm] feelin’ when you hear
[C] Voices singin’ [Am7] let’s be jolly
[A]↓ Deck the halls with [D]↓ boughs of holly

[G] Rockin’ around the Christmas tree
Have a [D] happy holiday
[D] Everyone dancin’ merrily
In the [D] new old-fashioned [G] way

[C] You will get a sentimental [Bm] feelin’ when you hear
[C] Voices singin’ [Am7] let’s be jolly
[A]↓ Deck the halls with [D]↓ boughs of holly

[G] Rockin’ around the Christmas tree
Let the [D] Christmas spirit ring
[D] Later we’ll have some pumpkin pie
And we’ll [D] do some carol-[G]ing
[G] Rockin’ around the Christmas tree
Have a [D] happy holiday
[D] Everyone dancin’ merrily in the

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Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer
Johnny Marks 1939 (Jack Johnson version 2008)


[A] Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer
[A] Had a very shiny [E7] nose
[E7] And if you ever saw it
[E7] You might even say it [A] glows
And [A] all of the other reindeer
[A] Used to laugh and call him [E7] names
[E7] They never let poor Rudolph

But [D] then one foggy [A] Christmas Eve
[E7] Santa, he came to [A] say
[D] "Rudolph with your [A] nose so bright
[E7] Won't you guide my sleigh tonight?"

[A] Then how the reindeers loved him
[A] As they shouted out with [E7] glee
[E7] "Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer
[E7] You'll go down in history-[A]ry"

But [D] Rudolph, he didn't [A] go for that
He said [E7] "I see through your silly [A] games
[D] How can you look me [A] in the face
When only [E7] yesterday you called me names?"

[D] All of the other reindeers, man, well they [A] sure did feel ashamed
[E7] "Rudolph, you know we're [E7] sorry
We're [D] truly gonna try to [A] change"

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BACK TO SONGLIST
Rudolph The Red-Nosed Reindeer
Johnny Marks 1939

INTRO: / 1 2 / 1

VERSE:
[G] Rudolph, the red-nosed reindeer
[G] Had a very shiny [D7] nose
[D7] And if you ever saw it
[D7] You would even say it [G] glows
[G] All of the other reindeer
[G] Used to laugh and call him [D7] names
[D7] They never let poor Rudolph

BRIDGE:
[C] Then one foggy [G] Christmas Eve
[D7] Santa came to [G]↓ say, “Ho, Ho, Ho!"
[D7] Rudolph with your nose so bright
[G] Then all the reindeer loved him
[G] As they shouted out with [D7] glee
[D7] “Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer
[D7] You’ll go down in histo-[G]ry

KAZOO INSTRUMENTAL:
[G] Rudolph, the red-nosed reindeer
[G] Had a very shiny [D7] nose
[D7] And if you ever saw it
[D7] You would even say it [G] glows
[G] All of the other reindeer
[G] Used to laugh and call him [D7] names
[D7] They never let poor Rudolph

[C] Then one foggy [G] Christmas Eve
[D7] Santa came to [G]↓ say, “Ho, Ho, Ho!"
[D7] Rudolph with your nose so bright
[G] Then all the reindeer loved him
[G] As they shouted out with [D7] glee
[D7] “Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer
[D7] You’ll go down in histo-[G]ry
[D7] You’ll go down in [D7] his...to...[G]ry [G]↓[Gdim]↓[G]↓
Santa Baby
Joan Javits and Philip Springer 1953

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /


So [Dm] hurry down the [G7] chimney to-[C]night / [C7] /

[E7] Think of all the fun I've missed
[A] Think of all the fellas that I haven't kissed
[D7] Next year I could be just as good


[C] Santa [A7] cutie
And [Dm] hurry down the [G7] chimney to-[C]night / [C7] /

[E7] Come and trim my Christmas tree
[A] With some decorations bought at Tiffany

So [Dm] hurry down the [G7] chimney to-[C]night [A7]
[Dm] Hurry down the [G7] chimney to-[C]night [A7]
[Dm][G7] hurry...to-[C]night / [C]↓ [G7]↓ [C]↓ /

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BACK TO SONGLIST
Santa Claus Is Coming To Town
John Frederick Coots & Haven Gillespie 1934 (recorded by Fred Astaire 1970 for the animated film “Santa Claus Is Comin’ To Town”)

INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 /

You'd [G] better watch out, you'd [C] better not cry
You'd [G] better not pout, I'm [C] tellin’ you why

He's [G] makin’ a list, and [C] checkin' it twice
He’s [G] gonna find out who's [C] naughty and nice

He [G7] sees you when you're [C] sleepin’
He [G7] knows when you're a-[C]wake
He [A7] knows if you've been [D] bad or good

You'd [G] better watch out, you'd [C] better not cry
You'd [G] better not pout, I'm [C] tellin’ you why

With [G] little tin horns, and [C] little toy drums
[G] Rudy-toot toots and [C] rummy tum tums

And [G] curly-head dolls, that [C] cuddle and coo
[G] Elephants, boats, and [C] kiddy cars too

The [G7] kids in Girl and [C] Boy Land
Will [G7] have a jubi-[C]lee
They're [A7] gonna build a [D] toy land town
All a-[A7]↓ round the Christmas [D]↓ tree [D7]↓ So

You'd [G] better watch out, you'd [C] better not cry
You'd [G] better not pout, I'm [C] tellin’ you why
[G] Santa Claus is [Am7] comin’
[G] Santa Claus is [Am7] comin’
MERRY CHRISTMAS!

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Silver Bells
Jay Livingston, Ray Evans 1950 (as recorded by Bing Crosby and Carol Richards 1950)


[F] Silver bells [F]
[Bb] Silver bells [Bb]
[F] Ring-a-ling [F] (ring a ling)
[Bb] Hear them ring [Bb] (ting a ling)
[C7] Soon it will [C7] be Christmas [F] day [F]

City [F] sidewalks, busy [F7] sidewalks
Dressed in [Bb] holiday [Gm] style
In the [C7] air there's a [C7] feeling of [F] Christmas [C7]
Children [F] laughing, people [F7] passing
Meeting [Bb] smile after [Gm] smile
And on [C7] every street [C7] corner you [F] hear [C7]

[F] Silver bells (silver [F] bells)
[Bb] Silver bells (silver [Bb] bells)
[F] Ring-a-ling (ring-a-[F]-ling)
[Bb] Hear them ring (hear them [Bb] ring)
[C7] Soon it will [C7] be Christmas [F] day [C7]/[F]/[C7]↓

Strings of [F] street lights, even [F7] stop lights
Blink a [Bb] bright red and [Gm] green
As the [C7] shoppers rush [C7] home, with their [F] treasures [C7]
Hear the [F] snow crush, see the [F7] kids rush
This is [Bb] Santa's big [Gm] day
And a-[C7]bove all this [C7] bustle you [F] hear [C7]

[F] Silver bells (the [F] corner Santa Claus)
[Bb] Silver bells (is [Bb] busy now because)
[F] Ring-a-ling (it [F] fills the winter air)
[Bb] Hear them ring (you [Bb] hear it everywhere)
[C7] Soon it will [C7] be Christmas [F] day [C7]
<GIRLS AND GUYS SING LAST TWO VERSES AT THE SAME TIME>

GUYS:
City [F] sidewalks, busy [F7] sidewalks
Dressed in [Bb] holiday [Gm] style
In the [C7] air there's a [C7] feeling of [F] Christmas [C7]
Children [F] laughing, people [F7] passing
Meeting [Bb] smile after [Gm] smile
Very [C7] soon it will [C7] be Christmas [F] day [C7]↓ [F]↓

GIRLS:
[F] Silver bells [F7]
[Bb] Silver bells [Gm]
[F] Ring-a-ling [F7]
[Bb] Hear them ring [Gm]
[C7] Soon it will [C7] be Christmas [F] day [C7]↓ [F]↓

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Snoopy’s Christmas
George David Weiss, Hugo & Luigi 1967 (as recorded by The Royal Guardsmen)

INTRO:  / 1 2 3 4 / [F] / [F] / 

The [F] news had come out in the [C] First World War
The [C] bloody Red Baron was [F] flying once more
The [F] Allied Command ignored [Bb] all of its men
And [C] called on Snoopy to [F] do it again

T’was the [F] night before Christmas, and [C] forty below
When [C] Snoopy went up, in [F] search of his foe
He [F] spied the Red Baron, and [Bb] fiercely they fought
With [C] ice on his wings, Snoopy [F] knew he was caught [F]

[Bb] Ring out [C] from the [F] land
[Bb] Asking [C] peace of [F] all the [Dm] world
[Bb] And good [C] will to [F] man [F]

The [F] Baron had Snoopy [C] dead in his sights
He [C] reached for the trigger, to [F] pull it up tight
Why [F] he didn't shoot, well [Bb] we'll never know
Or [C] was it the bells from the [F] \textdownarrow\ village below

/ 1 2 3 4 / 1 2 /

[Bb] Ringing [C] through the [F] land
[Bb] Bringing [C] peace to [F] all the [Dm] world
[Bb] And good [C] will to [F] man [F]

The [F] Baron made Snoopy [C] fly to the Rhine
And [C] forced him to land behind the [F] enemy lines
[F] Snoopy was certain that [Bb] this was the end
When the [C] \textdownarrow\ Baron cried out “Merry Christmas mein friend!”

/ 1 2 3 4 / 1 2 /

[F] / [F]

The [F] Baron then offered a [C] holiday toast
And [C] Snoopy our hero sa-\text-[F]\text{-}luted his host
And [F] then with a roar, they were [Bb] both on their way
Each [C] knowing they’d meet, on [F] some other day [F]
[Bb] Ringing [C] through the [F] land
[Bb] Bringing [C] peace to [F] all the [Dm] world
[Bb] And good [C] will to [F] man

[Bb] Ringing [C] through the [F] land
[Bb] Bringing [C] peace to [F] all the [Dm] world
[Bb] And good [C] will to [F] man [Bb]↓[F]↓

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Takin’ Care Of Christmas
Randy Bachman 2008

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /


It’s that [C] time of year again to get some [Bb] paper and a pen
And [F] write your Christmas letter to Saint [C] Nick
Send it [C] to the North Pole, to his [Bb] workshop in the snow
And he’ll [F] put his elves to workin’ on it [C] quick

Tell [C] Santa you’ve been good, you’ve [Bb] done the things you should
And you’re [F] waitin’ for his visit Christmas [C] Eve
If you’re in [C] bed by nine, you will [Bb] give him lots of time
To [F] put some special toys under your [C] tree

CHORUS:
And he’ll be [C] takin’ care of Christmas [Bb] everyday
[F] Takin’ care of Christmas [C] in his sleigh
[C] Takin’ care of Christmas an’ [Bb] doin’ it right
Merry [F] Christmas to all and to [C] all a good night

Johnny [C] wants a motor scooter, Suzy [Bb] wants a new computer
Billy [F] wants a new guitar and drum ma-[C]chine
Daddy [C] wants a new Corvette, CD [Bb] player and cassette
Mommy [F] wants a 14-carat diamond [C] ring

But don’t for-[C]get the girls and boys who can’t af-[Bb]ford a lot of toys
It’s [F] up to you to fill their empty [C] plate
It’s a [C] time to share, with the [Bb] needy everywhere
[F] That’s the way to make a Christmas [C] great

CHORUS:
And we’ll be [C] takin’ care of Christmas [Bb] everyday
[F] Takin’ care of Christmas [C] every way
We’ll be [C] takin’ care of Christmas an’ [Bb] doin’ it right
Merry [F] Christmas to all and to [C] all a good night


<TACET – tap your uke in rhythm>
1 2 3 4&/ 1 2 3 4&/ 1 2 3 4&/ 1 2 3 4&/
Takin’ care of Christmas *(woo ooo ooo yeah)*
Takin’ care of Christmas *(woo hoo)*
Takin’ care of Christmas *(woo ooo ooo yeah)*
Takin’ care of Christmas *(woo hoo)*

[C] Takin’ care of Christmas [Bb] *(take good care)*
[F] Takin’ care of Christmas [C] *(every Christmas)*
[C] Takin’ care of Christmas an’ [Bb] doin’ it right
Merry [F] Christmas to all and to [C] all a good night

[C] Takin’ care of Christmas [Bb] everyday
[F] Takin’ care of Christmas [C] every way
We’re [C] takin’ care of Christmas [Bb] doin’ it right
Merry [F] Christmas to all and to [C] all a good night


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The Twelve Days of BUG-mas
Traditional (with inspiration from Ukulele Bartt)

COUNT IN: [C]↓ 2 3

On the [C] first day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -

On the [C] second day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Two brand new tuners

On the [C] third day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Three uke cruises
[G]↓ Two brand new tuners

On the [C] fourth day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Four Bytown capos
[G]↓ Three uke cruises
[G]↓ Two brand new tuners

On the [C] fifth day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[C]↓ Four Bytown capos
[F]↓ Three uke cruises
[G]↓ Two brand new tuners

On the [C] sixth day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Six banjoleles
[C]↓ Four Bytown capos
[F]↓ Three uke cruises
[G]↓ Two brand new tuners

On the [C] seventh day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Seven dogs with fleas
[G]↓ Six banjoleles
[C]↓ Four Bytown capos
[F]↓ Three uke cruises
[G]↓ Two brand new tuners
On the [C] eighth day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Eight BUG T-shirts
[G]↓ Seven dogs with fleas
[G]↓ Six banjoleles
[C]↓ Four Bytown capos
[F]↓ Three uke cruises
[G]↓ Two brand new tuners

On the [C] ninth day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
[G]↓ Nine sets of new strings
[G]↓ Eight BUG T-shirts
[G]↓ Seven dogs with fleas
[G]↓ Six banjoleles
[C]↓ Four Bytown capos
[F]↓ Three uke cruises
[G]↓ Two brand new tuners

On the e-[C]leventh day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -
E-[G]↓leven padded gig bags
[G]↓ Ten kazoos and rhythm rings
[G]↓ Nine sets of new strings
[G]↓ Eight BUG T-shirts
[G]↓ Seven dogs with fleas
[G]↓ Six banjoleles
[C]↓ Four Bytown capos
[F]↓ Three uke cruises
[G]↓ Two brand new tuners
On the [C] twelfth day of BUG-mas my [G] true love gave to [C] me -

[G] Twelve Clocktower beers
E-[G]leven padded gig bags

[G] Ten kazooos and rhythm rings

[G] Nine sets of new strings

[G] Eight BUG T-shirts

[G] Seven dogs with fleas

[G] Six banjoleles


[C] Four Bytown capos

[F] Three uke cruises

[G] Two brand new tuners


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The Twelve Days Of Christmas
The earliest known version of the lyrics was published in London under the title "The Twelve Days of Christmas sung at King Pepin's Ball", as part of a 1780 children's book, *Mirth without Mischief*.

COUNT IN: [C]↓ 2 3

On the [C]↓ first day of Christ-[C]↓mas my [G]↓ true love sent to [C]↓ me -

On the [C]↓ second day of Christ-[C]↓mas my [G]↓ true love sent to [C]↓ me -
[G]↓ Two turtle-doves

On the [C]↓ third day of Christ-[C]↓mas my [G]↓ true love sent to [C]↓ me -
[G]↓ Three French hens
[G]↓ Two turtle-doves

On the [C]↓ fourth day of Christ-[C]↓mas my [G]↓ true love sent to [C]↓ me -
[G]↓ Four colley birds
[G]↓ Three French hens
[G]↓ Two turtle-doves

On the [C]↓ fifth day of Christ-[C]↓mas my [G]↓ true love sent to [C]↓ me -
[C]↓ Four colley birds
[F]↓ Three French hens
[G]↓ Two turtle-doves

On the [C]↓ sixth day of Christ-[C]↓mas my [G]↓ true love sent to [C]↓ me -
[G]↓ Six geese a-laying
[C]↓ Four colley birds
[F]↓ Three French hens
[G]↓ Two turtle-doves

On the [C]↓ seventh day of Christ-[C]↓mas my [G]↓ true love sent to [C]↓ me -
[G]↓ Seven swans a-swimming
[Em]↓ Six geese a-laying
[C]↓ Four colley birds
[F]↓ Three French hens
[G]↓ Two turtle-doves
On the [C] eighth day of Christ-[C]mas my [G] true love sent to [C] me - [G] Eight maids a-milking
[G] Seven swans a-swimming
[G7] Six geese a-laying
[C] Four colley birds
[F] Three French hens
[G] Two turtle-doves

[G] Eight maids a-milking
[G] Seven swans a-swimming
[G] Six geese a-laying
[C] Four colley birds
[F] Three French hens
[G] Two turtle-doves

[G] Nine drummers drumming
[G] Eight maids a-milking
[G] Seven swans a-swimming
[G] Six geese a-laying
[C] Four colley birds
[F] Three French hens
[G] Two turtle-doves

On the eleventh day of Christ-[C]mas my [G] true love sent to [C] me - [E-G] Eleven ladies dancing
[G] Ten pipers piping
[G] Nine drummers drumming
[G] Eight maids a-milking
[G] Seven swans a-swimming
[G] Six geese a-laying
[C] Four colley birds
[F] Three French hens
[G] Two turtle-doves
On the [C]**twelfth** day of Christ-[C]mas my [G]true love sent to [C]me -

[G]Twelve lords a-leaping
E-[G]leven ladies dancing

[G]Ten pipers piping

[G]Nine drummers drumming

[G]Eight maids a-milking

[G]Seven swans a-swimming

[G]Six geese a-laying


[C]Four colley birds

[F]Three French hens

[G]Two turtle-doves


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**Up On the Housetop**
Written by Benjamin Russell Hanby 1865

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[G] Up on the housetop reindeer paws
[G] Down through the chimney with lots of toys

**CHORUS:**

[C] Ho, Ho, Ho! [G] Who wouldn't go?
[D7] Ho, Ho, Ho! [G] Who wouldn't go?

[G] First comes the stocking of little Nell
[G] Give her a dolly that laughs and cries

**CHORUS:**

[C] Ho, Ho, Ho! [G] Who wouldn't go?
[D7] Ho, Ho, Ho! [G] Who wouldn't go?
Up on the [G7] housetop [C] click, click, click

[G] Look in the stocking of little Bill
[G] Here is a hammer and lots of tacks

**CHORUS:**

[C] Ho, Ho, Ho! [G] Who wouldn't go?
[D7] Ho, Ho, Ho! [G] Who wouldn't go?
[G] Down through the chimney with
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We Need A Little Christmas
Jerry Herman 1966 (from the musical “Mame”)

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [D] / [D] /

[D] Haul out the [D6] holly
[Em] Fill up the [Em7] stocking [A7]
I may be [Em7] rushing things but [A7] deck the halls again [Am] now [B7]

For we [Em] need a little [A7] Christmas [D] right this very [D6] minute
[Em] Candles in the [A7] window [D] carols at the [D7] spinet, yes we
It [E7] hasn’t snowed a single flurry but [A7] Santa dear we’re in a hurry so

[D] Climb down the [D6] chimney
[Em] Slice up the [Em7] fruitcake [A7]
It’s time we [Em7] hung some tinsel [A7] on that evergreen [Am] bough [B7]


[Em] Need a little [A7] singing [D] ringing through the [D7] rafter, and we
[Em] Need a little [A7] Christmas [D] now [D] [A7] [D]

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We Wish You A Merry Christmas
Traditional


We [C] wish you a merry [F] Christmas
We [D] wish you a merry [G] Christmas
We [E7] wish you a merry [Am] Christmas

We [C] wish you a merry [G] Christmas

Oh [C] bring us some figgy [F] pudding
Oh [D] bring us some figgy [G] pudding
Oh [E7] bring us some figgy [Am] pudding

We [C] wish you a merry [G] Christmas

We [C] won’t go until we [F] get some
We [D] won’t go until we [G] get some
We [E7] won’t go until we [Am] get some

We [C] wish you a merry [G] Christmas

We [C] wish you a merry [F] Christmas
We [D] wish you a merry [G] Christmas
We [E7] wish you a merry [Am] Christmas

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White Christmas
Irving Berlin 1942

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [G] / [G]/

[C] Just like the [D] ones I used to [G] know [G]
To [G] hear [Em] sleigh bells in the [Am] snow [D]

May your [G] days be [G7] merry and [C] bright [Cm]
And may [G] all your [Am] Christmas-[D]'es be [G] white [D]

[C] Just like the [D] ones I used to [G] know [G]
To [G] hear [Em] sleigh bells in the [Am] snow [D]

May your [G] days be [G7] merry and [C] bright [Cm]
And may [G] all your [Am] Christmas-[D]'es be [G] white [D]

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**Winter Wonderland**  
Music – Felix Bernard, Lyricist – Richard B. Smith 1934

![Chord Chart]

**INTRO:**  / 1 2 3 4 /


Sleigh bells [F] ring, are you listenin'
In the [C7] lane, snow is glistenin'
A [C7] beautiful sight, we’re happy tonight
[C7] Walkin' in a winter wonder-[F]land

Gone a-[F]way, is the blue bird
Here to [C7] stay, is the new bird
He [C7] sings a love song, as we go along
[C7] Walkin' in a winter wonder-[F]land

**BRIDGE:**

[A] In the meadow [E7] we can build a [A] snowman
[A] And pretend that [E7] he is parson [A] Brown
[C] He'll say are you [G7] married, we'll say [C] “No man
But [C] you can do the [G7] job when you're in [C] town” [Caug]

Later [F] on, we'll conspire
As we [C7] dream, by the fire
To [C7] face unafraid, the plans that we made
[C7] Walkin' in a winter wonder-[F]land

Later [F] on, we'll conspire
As we [C7] dream, by the fire
To [C7] face unafraid, the plans that we made
[C7] Walkin' in a winter wonder-[F]land

Yes, un-[C]til the other [G7] kiddies knock him [C] down [Caug]

Later [F] on, we'll conspire
As we [C7] dream, by the fire
To [C7] face unafraid, the plans that we made
[C7] Walkin', in a [C7] winter wonder-[F]land [F]↓[C7]↓[F]↓

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You're A Mean One, Mr. Grinch
Music – Albert Hague, Lyrics - Theodor “Dr. Seuss” Geisel 1966

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /[Gm][Gm6]/[Cm6][D7]

You [Gm] really [A7] are a [D7]↓ heel [Cm6]↓ [D7]↓
You're as [Gm] cuddly as a [Cm6] cactus
You're as [F7] charming as an [Gm] eel
Mr. [A7] Grinch [Gm7b5]/[D]↓↓ [Cm6]↓ [D]↓/

You're a bad banana
With a greasy black [Gm] peel [Gm7b5] / [Gm][Gm7b5]

Your [Gm] brain is full of [Cm6] spiders
You've got [F7] garlic in your [Gm] soul
Mr. [A7] Grinch [Gm7b5]/[D]↓↓ [Cm6]↓ [D]↓/

I wouldn't touch you with a 39 and a half foot [Gm] pole [Gm7b5]/[Gm][Gm7b5]/

<KAZOOS>
[Gm][Gm7b5]/[Gm][Gm7b5]/[Gm][Gm7b5]/[Gm]

You have [Gm] termites [A7] in your [D7]↓ smile [Cm6]↓ [D7]↓
You have [Gm] all the tender [Cm6] sweetness
Of a [F7] seasick croco-[Gm]dile
Mr. [A7] Grinch [Gm7b5]/[D]↓↓ [Cm6]↓ [D]↓/

Given the choice between the two of you
I'd take the seasick croco-[Gm]dile [Gm7b5]/[Gm][Gm7b5]/

Your [Gm] heart's a dead to-[Cm6]mato
Splotched with [F7] moldy purple [Gm] spots
Mr. [A7] Grinch [Gm7b5]/[D]↓↓ [Cm6]↓ [D]↓/

Your soul is an appalling dump heap
Overflowing with the most disgraceful
Assortment of deplorable rubbish
Imagineable, mangled up in tangled up [Gm] knots [Gm7b5]/[Gm][Gm7b5]/
<KAZOOS>

You nauseate me [Gm] Mr. [Cm6] Grinch [D7]
You're a [Gm] crooked jerky [Cm6] jockey and
You [F7] drive a crooked [Gm] horse
Mr. [A7] Grinch [Gm7b5]/[D]↓ [Cm6]↓ [D]↓/

You're a 3 Decker sour-kraut and toad stool sandwich
With arsenic [Gm] sauce! [Gm7b5]/[Gm][Gm7b5]

Your [Gm] heart is full of [Cm6] unwashed socks
Your [F7] soul is full of [Gm] gunk
Mr. [A7] Grinch [Gm7b5]/[D]↓ [Cm6]↓ [D]↓/

The 3 words that best describe you are as follows and I quote:
Stink [D7]↓
Stank [D7]↓
[Stink] Stunk [Gm7b5]/[Gm][Gm7b5]/[Gm][Gm7b5]/[Gm]↓

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