



# The Christmas Songbook

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## Merry Christmas Everybody – Slade

Are you **[G]** hanging up the **[Bm]** stocking on the **[D]** wall?  
It's the **[G]** time that every **[Bm]** Santa has a **[D]** ball?  
Does he **[C]** ride a red-nosed **[G]** reindeer?  
Does a **[C]** ton upon his **[G]** sleigh?  
Do the **[Am]** fairies keep him sober for a **[D]** day? **[D7]**

### CHORUS

So here it **[G]** is, 'Merry **[Bm]** Christmas',  
Every- **[Bb]** -body's having **[D]** fun,  
**[G]** Look to the **[Bm]** future now, it's **[Bb]** only just begun **[D]**.

Are you **[G]** waiting for the **[Bm]** family to **[D]** arrive?  
Are you **[G]** sure you've got the **[Bm]** room to spare **[D]** inside?  
Does your **[C]** granny always **[G]** tell ya' that the **[C]** old songs are the **[G]** best?  
Then she's **[Am]** up and rock and rollin' with the **[D]** rest. **[D7]**

### CHORUS

**[Dm]** What will your daddy **[Bb]** do when he sees your  
**[Dm]** Mamma kissin' **[Bb]** Santa Claus? **[C]** Ah-aaa– **[D]** aa

Are you **[G]** hanging up the **[Bm]** stocking on the **[D]** wall ?  
Are you **[G]** hoping that the **[Bm]** snow will start to **[D]** fall ?  
Do you **[C]** ride on down the **[G]** hillside  
In a **[C]** buggy you have **[G]** made ?  
When you **[Am]** land upon your head then you bin' **[D]** slayed! **[D7]**

### CHORUS (x4)

## Frosty the Snowman

[F] [C] [G7] [C] (second line first verse)

[C] Frosty the Snowman was a [F] jolly, [G7] happy [C] soul,  
With a [F] corncob pipe and a [C] button nose and two [G7] eyes made out of [C] coal.  
Frosty the Snowman is a [F] fairy [G7] tale they [C] say,  
He was [F] made of snow but the [C] children know how he [Dm] came to [G7] life one [C] day.

There [F] must have been some [Em] magic in that [Dm] Old silk [G7] hat they [C] found,  
For [G] when they placed it on his head, He [Am] began to [D7] dance [G] around.

[C] Frosty the Snowman was [F] alive as [G7] he could [C] be,  
And the [F] children say he could [C] dance and play Just the [Dm] same as [G7] you and [C] me.

Frosty the Snowman knew the [F] sun was [G7] hot that [C] day,  
So he said [F] "Let's run, we'll have [C] lots of fun now [G7] before I melt [C] away."  
Down in the village with a [F] broomstick [G7] in his [C] hand,  
Running [F] here and there all [C] around the square  
Saying [Dm] "Catch me [G7] if you [C] can!"

He [F] lead them down the [Em] streets of town  
Right [Dm] to a [G7] traffic [C] cop,  
And he [G] only paused one moment when  
He [Am] heard them [D7] holler [G ↓] " Stop!"

For [C] Frosty the Snowman had to [F] hurry [G7] on his [C] way,  
But he [F] waved goodbye sayin' [C] don't you cry  
I'll be [G7] back again some [C] day  
I'll be [G7] back again some [C ↓] day

## Merry Christmas Everyone —Shakin Stevens

Snow is [G] falling [D] all a-[Em]-round me  
[C] Children [G] playing, [C] having [G] fun.  
It's the season of love and under- [Em] -standing,  
[C] Merry [G] Christmas [D] every[G]one!

[NC] Time for [G] parties and celeb-[Em]-ration  
[C] People [G] dancing [C] all night [G] long  
Time for presents and exchanging [Em] kisses  
[C] Time for [G] singing [D] Christmas [G] songs.

[Em] We're gonna [C] have a [G] party [D] tonight,  
[Em] I'm gonna [C] find that girl,  
[G] Underneath the misteltoe, and [D] kiss by candlelight.

[NC] Room is [G] swaying, [D] records [Em] playing  
[C] All the [G] old songs, [C] love to [G] hear.  
Oh I wish that every day was [Em] Christmas  
[C] What a [G] nice way to [D] spend a [G] year.

[Em] We're gonna [C] have a [G] party [D] tonight,  
[Em] I'm gonna [C] find that girl,  
[G] Underneath the misteltoe, and [D] kiss by candlelight

[NC] Room is [G] swaying, [D] records [Em] playing  
[C] All the [G] old songs, [C] love to [G] hear.  
Oh I wish that every day was [Em] Christmas  
[C] What a [G] nice way to [D] spend a [G] year.

Ooo, snow is [G] falling [D] all a-[Em]-round me  
[C] Children [G] playing, [C] having [G] fun.  
It's the season love and under- [Em] -standing,  
[C] Merry [G] Christmas [D] every[G]one!  
[C] Merry [G] Christmas [D] every[G]one!  
[C] Oh, merry [G] Christmas [D] every[G]one!

## When A Child is Born

(1<sup>ST</sup> verse no singing)

**[C][G][C][F][C][Am][G][F][G][F][G][Em][Am][G][Dm][C]**

A ray of **[C]** hope **[G]** flickers in the **[C]** sky, **[F][C]**

A tiny star **[Am]** lights up way up **[G]** high, **[F][G]**

All **[F]** across the land **[G]** dawns a brand new **[Em]** morn ,

**[Am]** This comes to **[G]** pass when a **[Dm]** child is **[C]** born.

A silent **[C]** wish **[G]** sails the seven **[C]** seas, **[F][C]**

The winds of change **[Am]** whisper in the **[G]** trees **[F][G]**

All the **[F]** walls of doubt **[G]** crumble tossed and **[Em]** torn ,

**[Am]** This comes to **[G]** pass when a **[Dm]** child is **[C]** born.

A rosy **[C]** dawn **[G]** settles all **[C]** around, **[F][C]**

You get the feel **[Am]** you're on solid **[G]** ground **[F] [G]**

For a **[F]** spell or two **[G]** no-one seems **[Em]** forlorn ,

**[Am]** This comes to **[G]** pass when a **[Dm]** child is **[C]** born.

It's all a **[C]** dream, **[G]** an illusion **[C]** now, **[F][C]**

It must come true **[Am]** sometime soon **[G]** somehow. **[F][G]**

All **[F]** across the land **[G]** dawns a brand new **[Em]** morn ,

**[Am]** This comes to **[G]** pass when a **[Dm]** child is **[C]** born. **[F][C]**

## Do they know It's Christmas?—Band Aid

**[C] [C]**

**[C]** It's Christmas **[F]** time, there's no need to be **[C]** afraid.

At Christmas **[F]** time, we let in light and we **[C]** banish shade.

And in our **[Dm]** world of **[G]** plenty we can **[C]** spread a smile of **[F]** joy,

Throw your **[Dm]** arms around the **[G]** world at Christmas **[C]** time.

But say a **[F]** prayer; **[G]** pray for the **[C]** other ones,

At Christmas **[F]** time, it's **[G]** hard, but when you're **[C]** having fun

There's a **[F]** world outside your **[G]** window,

And it's a **[C]** world of dread and **[F]** fear,

Where the **[Dm]** only water **[G]** flowing is The **[C]** bitter sting of **[F]** tears.

And the **[Dm]** Christmas bells that **[G]** ring there

Are the **[C]** clanging chimes of **[F]** doom.

Well, **[Dm]** tonight thank God it's **[G]** them, instead of **[C]** you.

And there **[F]** won't be snow in **[G]** Africa this **[C]** Christmas time.

The **[F]** greatest gift they'll **[G]** get this year is **[C]** life. **[C7]**

Where **[F]** nothing ever **[G]** grows, no **[C]** rain nor rivers **[F]** flow,

**[Dm]** Do they know its **[G]** Christmas time at **[C]** all? **[F][C]**

**[Am]** Here's to you; **[G]** Raise a glass for everyone.

**[Am]** Here's to them; **[G]** Underneath that burning sun

**[Dm]** Do they know its **[G]** Christmas time at **[C]** all? **[F][C]**

**[C][F][C][F][C][Dm][G]** x2

**[C]** Feed the **[F]** world! **[C] [F] [C] [Dm] [G]**

**[C]** Feed the **[F]** world! **[C] [F] [C] [Dm] [G]**

**[C]** Feed the **[F]** world! **[C]**

**[F]** Let them **[C]** know it's **[Dm]** Christmas time **[G]** again! **[C]** Feed the **[F]** world! **[C]**

**[F]** Let them **[C]** know it's **[Dm]** Christmas time **[G]** again! **[C]** Feed the **[F]** world! **[C]**

**[F]** Let them **[C]** know it's **[Dm]** Christmas time **[G]** again!

## Deck the Halls

**[F] [C7]** (1<sup>st</sup> 2 lines)

**[F]** Deck the halls with boughs of holly  
**[NC]** Fa la la la laa, la la la laa  
**[F]** Tis the season to be jolly,  
**[NC]** Fa la la la laa, la la la laa

**[C7]** Don we now our **[F]** gay **[C]** apparel  
**[NC]** Fa la laa la la la la la  
**[F]** Troll the ancient Yuletide carol  
**[NC]** Fa la la la la, la la la la.

**[F]** See the blazing Yule before us,  
**[NC]** Fa la la la laa, la la la laa  
**[F]** Strike the harp and join the chorus,  
**[NC]** Fa la la la laa, la la la laa

**[C7]** Follow me in **[F]** merry **[C]** measure  
**[NC]** Fa la laa la la la la la  
**[F]** While I tell of Yuletide treasure,  
**[NC]** Fa la la la la, la la la la.

**[F]** Fast away the old year passes,  
**[NC]** Fa la la la laa, la la la laa  
**[F]** Hail the new, ye lads and lasses  
**[NC]** Fa la la la laa, la la la laa

**[C7]** Sing we joyous **[F]** all **[C]** together,  
**[NC]** Fa la laa la la la la la  
**[F]** Heedless of the wind and weather,  
**[NC]** Fa la la la la, la la la la.

## Happy Xmas (War Is Over)

So this is **[G]** Christmas, and what have you **[Am]** done?  
Another year **[D]** over, a new one just **[G]** begun.  
And **[G7]** so this is **[C]** Christmas, I hope you have **[Dm]** fun  
the near and the **[G]** dear ones, the old and the **[C]** young.

A **[C7]** merry, merry **[F]** Christmas, and a happy New **[G]** Year  
Let's hope it's a **[Dm]** good one **[F]** without any **[C]** fears. **[D]**

And **[D7]** so this is **[G]** Christmas, (War is over)  
For weak and for **[Am]** strong. (If you want it)  
The rich and the **[D]** poor ones (War is over)  
The road is so **[G]** long. (Now)  
And **[G7]** so happy **[C]** Christmas, (War is over)  
For black and for **[Dm]** white. (If you want it)  
For yellow and **[G]** red ones, (War is over) let's stop all the **[C]** fights. (Now)

A **[C7]** merry, merry **[F]** Christmas, and a happy New **[G]** Year  
Let's hope it's a **[Dm]** good one **[F]** without any **[C]** fears. **[D]**

And **[D7]** so this is **[G]** Christmas, (War is over)  
And what have we **[Am]** done? (If you want it)  
Another year **[D]** over, (War is over)  
A new one just **[G]** begun. (Now)  
And **[G7]** so happy **[C]** Christmas, (War is over)  
We hope you have **[Dm]** fun (If you want it)  
The near and the **[G]** dear ones, (War is over)  
The old and the **[C]** young. (Now)

A **[C7]** merry, merry **[F]** Christmas, and a happy New **[G]** Year  
Let's hope it's a **[Dm]** good one **[F]** without any **[C]** fears. **[D]**

**[G]** War is over, **[Am]** if you want it. **[D]** War is over, **[G]** now...  
**[G]** War is over, **[Am]** if you want it. **[D]** War is over, **[G]** now...



## I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas

**[G] [Am] [D] [C] [D] [G] [G7] [C] [Cm] [G] [Em] [Am] [D]**

**[G]** I'm dreaming of a **[Am]** white **[D]** Christmas,  
**[C]** Just like the **[D]** ones I used to **[G]** know,  
Where the tree tops **[G7]** glisten and **[C]** children **[Cm]** listen,  
To **[G]** hear **[Em]** sleigh bells in the **[Am]** snow. **[D]**

**[G]** I'm dreaming of a **[Am]** white **[D]** Christmas,  
**[C]** With every **[D]** Christmas card I **[G]** write,  
May your days be **[G7]** merry and **[C]** bright **[Cm]**  
And may **[G]** all your **[Am]** Christmases **[D]** be **[G]** white. **[D]**

**[G]** I'm dreaming of a **[Am]** white **[D]** Christmas,  
**[C]** Just like the **[D]** ones I used to **[G]** know,  
Where the tree tops **[G7]** glisten and **[C]** children **[Cm]** listen,  
To **[G]** hear **[Em]** sleigh bells in the **[Am]** snow. **[D]**

**[G]** I'm dreaming of a **[Am]** white **[D]** Christmas,  
**[C]** With every **[D]** Christmas card I **[G]** write,  
May your days be **[G7]** merry and **[C]** bright **[Cm]**  
And may **[G]** all your **[Am]** Christmases **[D]** be **[G]** white.

## Wish It Could Be Christmas Every Day — Roy Wood

Oh when the [C] snowman brings the snow  
Oh well he [F] just might like to know  
He's put a [C] great big smile up- [Am] -on somebody's [Dm] face. [G]  
If you [C] jump into your bed,  
Quickly [F] cover up your [D7] head,  
Don't you [C] lock your door, you know that  
[G] Sweet Santa Claus is on the [Bb] way. [C]

### (CHORUS)

Oh [Bb] well I [D] wish it could be Christmas every [G] day.  
When the [A7] kids start singing and the band begins to [D] play. [A7]  
[D] Oh I wish it could be Christmas every [G] day  
So let the bells ring [A7] out for [G] Christmas! [D]

When we're [C] skating in the park,  
If the [F] storm cloud paints it dark  
Then your [C] rosy cheeks gonna [Am] light my merry [Dm] way. [G]  
Now the [C] 'frosticals' appeared  
And they've [F] frozen up my [D7] beard,  
So we'll [C] lie by the fire till the  
[G] Sleep simply melts them all [C] away. [D]

### CHORUS

When the [C] snowman brings the snow  
Oh well he [F] just might like to know  
He's put a [C] great big smile up- [Am] -on somebody's [Dm] face. [G]  
So if [C] Santa brings the sleigh  
All [F] along that Milky [D7] Way,  
I'll sign my [C] name on the rooftop in the  
[G] Snow then he may decide to [Bb] stay. [C]

### Chorus plus- (Slow Down)

Why don't you [G] give your [A] love for [G] Christmas? [D]

## Wish It Could Be Christmas Every Day — Roy Wood (G)

Oh when the [G] snowman brings the snow  
Oh well he [C] just might like to know  
He's put a [G] great big smile up- [Em] -on somebody's [Am] face. [D]  
If you [G] jump into your bed,  
Quickly [C] cover up your [A7] head,  
Don't you [G] lock your door, you know that  
[D] Sweet Santa Claus is on the [F] way. [G]

### (CHORUS)

Oh [F] well I [A] wish it could be Christmas every [D] day.  
When the [E7] kids start singing and the band begins to [A] play. [E7]  
[A] Oh I wish it could be Christmas every [D] day  
So let the bells ring [E7] out for [D] Christmas! [A]

When we're [G] skating in the park,  
If the [C] storm cloud paints it dark  
Then your [G] rosy cheeks gonna [Em] light my merry [Am] way. [D]  
Now the [G] 'frosticals' appeared  
And they've [C] frozen up my [A7] beard,  
So we'll [G] lie by the fire till the  
[D] Sleep simply melts them all [F] away. [G]

### CHORUS

When the [G] snowman brings the snow  
Oh well he [C] just might like to know  
He's put a [G] great big smile up- [Em] -on somebody's [Am] face. [D]  
So if [G] Santa brings the sleigh  
All [C] along that Milky [A7] Way,  
I'll sign my [G] name on the rooftop in the  
[D] Snow then he may decide to [F] stay. [G]

### Chorus plus- (Slow Down)

Why don't you [D] give your [E7] love for [D] Christmas? [A]

## Rockin' around the Christmas tree

**[G]** Rocking around the Christmas tree, at the **[D]** Christmas party hop.

Mistletoe hung where you can see every couple try to **[G]** stop.

Rocking around the Christmas tree

Let the **[D]** Christmas spirit ring

Later we'll have some pumpkin pie and we'll do some carol-**[G]**-ling.

**[C]** You will get a sentimental **[Bm]** feeling when you hear

**[C]** Voices singing, 'Let's be jolly,

**[A]** Deck the halls with **[D]** boughs of holly'.

**[G]** Rocking around the Christmas tree Have a **[D]** happy holiday.

Everyone dancing merrily

In the new old-fashioned **[G]** way.

**[C]** You will get a sentimental **[Bm]** feeling when you hear

**[C]** Voices singing, 'Let's be jolly,

**[A]** Deck the halls with **[D]** boughs of holly'.

**[G]** Rocking around the Christmas tree

Let the **[D]** Christmas spirit ring

Later we'll have some pumpkin pie and we'll do some carol-**[G]**-ling.

Rocking around the Christmas tree Have a **[D]** happy holiday.

Everyone dancing merrily in the

New - Old - Fashioned **[G]** Way. **[D]** **[G]**

## Jingle Bells

### Chorus

*[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way,  
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride  
In a [D] one-horse open [G] sleigh, [G7] hey!  
[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.*

We're [C] dashing through the snow  
In a one-horse open [F] sleigh,  
across the fields we [G] go,  
[G7] Laughing all the [C] way.  
Bells on bobtails ring,  
Making spirits [F] bright,  
What fun it is to [G] ride and sing a [G7] sleighing song [C] tonight. [Chorus]

A [C] day or two ago  
I thought I'd take a [F] ride  
And soon, Miss Fanny [G] Bright  
Was [G7] seated by my [C] side,  
The horse was lean and lank  
Misfortune seemed his [F] lot  
He got into a [G] drifted bank and [G7] then we got [C] upset. [Chorus]

A [C] day or two ago,  
The story I must [F] tell  
I went out on the [G] snow,  
And [G7] on my back [C] I fell;  
A gent was riding by  
In a one-horse open [F] sleigh,  
He laughed as there I [G] sprawling lie,  
But [G7] quickly drove [C] away. [Chorus]

Now [C] the ground is white  
Go it while you're [F] young,  
Take the girls [G] tonight  
And [G7] sing this sleighing [C] song;  
Just get a bobtailed bay  
Two forty as his [F] speed  
Hitch him to [G] an open sleigh  
And [G7] crack! You'll take the [C] lead. [Chorus]

### [Slow down]

In a [G] one-horse [G7] open [C] sleigh.

## Last Christmas —George Michael

[C] [Am] [Dm] [G] (1<sup>st</sup> four lines of verse)

[C] Last Christmas I gave you my heart,  
But the [Am] very next day you gave it away,  
[Dm] This year to save me from tears,  
I'll [G] give it to someone special.

[C] Last Christmas I gave you my heart,  
But the [Am] very next day you gave it away,  
[Dm] This year to save me from tears,  
I'll [G] give it to someone special.

[C] Once bitten and twice shy,  
[Am] I keep my distance, but you still catch my eye,  
[F] Tell me baby, do you recognize me?  
[G] Well, it's been a year, it doesn't surprise me.  
[C] (Happy Christmas) I wrapped it up and sent it,  
[Am] With a note saying, "I love you", I meant it,  
[Dm] now I know what a fool I've been,  
But if you [G] kissed me now, I know you'd fool me again.

### CHORUS

[C] A crowded room, friends with tired eyes,  
[Am] I'm hiding from you, and your soul of ice,  
[F] My god, I thought you were someone to rely on,  
[G] Me? I guess I was a shoulder to cry on.  
[C] A face on a lover with a fire in his heart,  
[Am] A man under cover but you tore me apart,  
[Dm] Ooh, ooh  
Now I've [G] found a real love you'll never fool me again.

### CHORUS

## Blue Christmas

**[NC]** I'll have a **[D]** blue Christmas **[A]** without you,  
I'll be so blue just **[A7]** thinking **[D]** about you. **[D7]**  
Decor-**[D]**-ations of **[D7]** red on a **[G]** green Christmas tree, **[Em] [E7]**  
won't be the same dear, if **[A]** you're not here with **[A7]** me.

**[NC]** And when those **[D]** blue snowflakes start **[A]** fallin',  
That's when those blue **[A7]** memories start **[D]** calling' **[D7]**  
You'll be **[D]** doin' **[D7]** all right with your **[G]** Christmas of **[Em]** white  
But **[A]** I'll have a blue, blue, blue, blue **[D]** Christmas. **[A]**

**[D]** Mmm mm mm mm **[D]** Mmm mm mm mm  
**[A]** Mmm mm mm mm **[A]** Mmm mm mm mm  
**[A7]** Mmm mm mm mm **[A7]** Mmm mm mm mm  
**[D]** Mmm mm mm mm mm mm

You'll be **[D]** doin' **[D7]** all right with your **[G]** Christmas of **[Em]** white  
But **[A]** I'll have a blue, blue, blue, blue **[D]** Christmas. **[A]**

## Stop the Cavalry

[A] Hey Mister Churchill [E7] comes over here  
[A] To say we're doing [E7] splendidly,  
[A] But it's very cold [E7] out here in the snow  
[A] Marching to and from the [E7] enemy.  
[A] Oh I say it's tough, [E7] I have had enough  
[A] Can you stop the [E7] cavalry? [A]

Da da da da da, [E7] da da da da da,  
[A] da da da da da, [E7] da da daaa  
[A] Da da da da da, [E7] da da da da da  
[A] Da da da da [E7] daa da [A] daaa

[A] I have had to fight [E7] almost every night  
[A] Down throughout the [E7] centuries,  
[A] That is when I say [E7] oh yes, yet again,  
[A] Can you stop the [E7] cavalry? [A]  
[E7] Mary proudly [A] waits at home  
[E7] In the nuclear [A] fallout zone [E7] Wish I could be [A] dancing now,  
[E7] In the arms of the [A] girl I love.

[E7] Du bu du bu dum dum, du bu du bu dum  
Du bu [A] dum dum du bu dum du bu du bu dum  
[E7] Du bu du bu dum dum, du bu du bu dum  
Du bu [A] dum dum du bu dum du bu du bu dum  
[G] Wish I was at home for [D] Christmas...

[A][D][A][D][A][D][A]

[E7] Wish I could be [A] dancing now, [E7] in the arms of the [A] girl I love.  
[E7] Mary proudly [A] waits at home  
[E7] She's been waiting [A] two years long

[E7] Du bu du bu dum dum, du bu du bu dum  
Du bu [A] dum dum du bu dum du bu du bu dum  
[E7] Du bu du bu dum dum, du bu du bu dum  
Du bu [A] dum dum du bu dum du bu du bu dum  
[G] Wish I was at home for [D] Christmas...  
[A][D][A][D] [E7] [A]



## Rudolf the Red Nosed Reindeer

**[C] [G] [G7] [C]** (1<sup>st</sup> verse without singing)

**[C]** Rudolph, the red-nosed reindeer  
Had a very shiny **[G]** nose,  
And if you ever saw it,  
**[G7]** You would even say it **[C]** glows.

**[C]** All of the other reindeer  
Used to laugh and call him **[G]** names  
They never let poor Rudolph  
**[G7]** Join in any reindeer **[C]** games. **[C7]**

**[F]** Then one foggy **[C]** Christmas Eve  
**[G]** Santa came to **[C]** say,  
**[G]** “Rudolph with your **[E7]** nose so bright,  
**[D]** Won't you guide my **[G7]** sleigh tonight?”

**[C]** Then all the reindeer loved him  
And they shouted out with **[G]** glee,  
“Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer,  
**[G7]** You'll go down in **[C]** history! “

**[Repeat]**

**[C] [G] [G7] [C]** (1<sup>st</sup> verse without singing)

## Santa Claus Is Comin' To Town

[C] [F] [C] [C] [F] [C] [C] [Am] [F] [G] [C] [G] *(Last 3 lines of verse)*

You [C] better watch out, you [F] better not cry,  
You [C] better not pout, I'm [F] telling you why.  
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to [C] town  
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to [C] town  
[C] Santa [Am] Claus is [F] coming [G] to [C] town [G]

He's [C] making a list, he's [F] checking it twice,  
He's [C] gonna find out who's [F] naughty or nice.  
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to [C] town  
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to [C] town  
[C] Santa [Am] Claus is [F] coming [G] to [C] town

He sees you when you're [F] sleeping,  
He [C] knows when you're [F] awake,  
He [D] knows if you've been [G] bad or good  
So be [D] good for goodness [G] sake,

Oh, you [C] better watch out, you [F] better not cry,  
You [C] better not pout, I'm [F] telling you why.  
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to [C] town  
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to [C] town  
[C] Santa [Am] Claus is [F] coming [G] to [C] town

He sees you when you're [F] sleeping,  
He [C] knows when you're [F] awake,  
He [D] knows if you've been [G] bad or good  
So be [D] good for goodness [G] sake,

Oh, you [C] better watch out, you [F] better not cry,  
You [C] better not pout, I'm [F] telling you why.  
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to [C] town  
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to [C] town

(Slow Down)

[C] Santa [Am] Claus is [F] coming [G] to [C] town

## Silent Night

**[G]** Silent night, holy night!

**[D]** All is **[D7]** calm, **[G]** all is **[G7]** bright,

**[C]** Round yon virgin, **[G]** mother and **[G7]** child,

**[C]** Holy infant so **[G]** tender and mild,

**[D]** Sleep in **[D7]** heavenly **[G]** peace **[Em]**

**[G]** Sleep in **[D7]** heavenly **[G]** peace. **[C][G]**

Silent night, holy night!

**[D]** Shepherds **[D7]** quake **[G]** at the **[G7]** sight

**[C]** Glories stream from **[G]** heaven **[G7]** afar

**[C]** Heavenly hosts sing **[G]** alleluia

**[D]** Christ the **[D7]** saviour is **[G]** born **[Em]**

**[G]** Christ the **[D7]** saviour is **[G]** born. **[C][G]**

Silent night, holy night!

**[D]** Son of **[D7]** God, **[G]** love's pure **[G7]** light

**[C]** Radiant beams from **[G]** thy holy **[G7]** face,

**[C]** With the dawn of **[G]** redeeming grace **[D]** Jesus **[D7]** Lord at thy **[G]** birth **[Em]**

**[G]** Jesus **[D7]** Lord at thy **[G]** birth.

## We Wish You a Merry Christmas

We **[G]** wish you a merry **[C]** Christmas,  
We **[A]** wish you a merry **[D]** Christmas,  
We **[B]** wish you a merry **[Em]** Christmas and a  
**[C]** Happy **[D]** new **[G]** year.

Good tidings we **[D]** bring to **[Em]** you and your **[D]** kin,  
We **[G]** wish you a merry **[D]** Christmas and a  
**[C]** Happy **[D]** new **[G]** year.

Oh **[G]** bring us some figgy **[C]** pudding,  
Oh **[A]** bring us some figgy **[D]** pudding,  
Oh **[B]** bring us some figgy **[Em]** pudding,  
And **[C]** bring it **[D]** out **[G]** here!

Good tidings we **[D]** bring to **[Em]** you and your **[D]** kin,  
We **[G]** wish you a merry **[D]** Christmas and a  
**[C]** Happy **[D]** new **[G]** year.

We **[G]** won't go until we **[C]** get some,  
We **[A]** won't go until we **[D]** get some,  
We **[B]** won't go until we **[Em]** get some,  
So **[C]** bring some **[D]** out **[G]** here!

Good tidings we **[D]** bring to **[Em]** you and your **[D]** kin,  
We **[G]** wish you a merry **[D]** Christmas and a  
**[C]** Happy **[D]** new **[G]** year.

## Winter Wonderland

**[D7] [Am] [D] [Am] [A] [D] [G]** (last 2 lines first verse)

Sleigh bells **[G]** ring, are you listenin'?  
In the **[D]** lane, snow is glistening.  
A **[D7]** beautiful **[Am]** sight, we're **[D]** happy **[Am]** tonight,  
**[A]** Walking in a **[D]** winter **[G]** wonderland.

Gone **[G]** away is the blue bird  
Here to **[D]** stay is the new bird  
He **[D7]** sings a love **[Am]** song as **[D]** we go **[Am]** along,  
**[A]** Walking in a **[D]** winter **[G]** wonderland.

**[B]** In the meadow **[F#]** we can build a **[B]** snowman,  
then pretend **[F#]** that he is Parson **[B]** Brown.  
**[D]** He'll say, "Are you **[A]** married?" We'll say, **[D]** "No man,  
But you can **[A]** do the job when you're in **[D]** town." **[D7]**

Later **[G]** on we'll conspire  
As we **[D]** dream by the fire,  
To **[D7]** face un-**[Am]**-afraid the **[D]** plans that we **[Am]** made,  
**[A]** Walking in a **[D]** winter **[G]** wonderland.

**[B]** In the meadow **[F#]** we can build a **[B]** snowman,  
Then pretend that **[F#]** he's a circus **[B]** clown.  
**[D]** We'll have lots of **[A]** fun with mister **[D]** snowman  
until the **[A]** other kiddies knock him **[D]** down. **[D7]**

Later **[G]** on we'll conspire  
As we **[D]** dream by the fire,  
To **[D7]** face un-**[Am]**-afraid the **[D]** plans that we **[Am]** made,  
**[A]** Walking in a **[D]** winter **[G]** wonderland. **[G7]**  
**[A]** Walking, **[D7]** walking in a winter wonder-**[G]**-land. **[D] [G]**

## Winter Wonderland (F)

**[C7] [Gm] [C] [Gm] [G] [C] [F]** (last 2 lines first verse)

Sleigh bells **[F]** ring, are you listenin'?  
In the **[C]** lane, snow is glistening.  
A **[C7]** beautiful **[Gm]** sight, we're **[C]** happy **[C7]** tonight,  
**[Dm]** Walking in a **[C]** winter **[F]** wonderland.

Gone **[F]** away is the blue bird  
Here to **[C]** stay is the new bird  
He **[C7]** sings a love **[Gm]** song as **[C]** we go **[C7]** along,  
**[Dm]** Walking in a **[C]** winter **[F]** wonderland.

**[A]** In the meadow **[E7]** we can build a **[A]** snowman,  
then pretend **[E7]** that he is Parson **[A]** Brown.  
**[C]** He'll say, "Are you **[G]** married?" We'll say, **[C]** "No man,  
But you can **[G]** do the job when you're in **[C]** town." **[C7]**

Later **[F]** on we'll conspire  
As we **[C]** dream by the fire,  
To **[C7]** face un-**[Gm]**-afraid the **[C]** plans that we **[C7]** made,  
**[Dm]** Walking in a **[C]** winter **[F]** wonderland.

**[A]** In the meadow **[E7]** we can build a **[A]** snowman,  
Then pretend that **[E7]** he's a circus **[A]** clown.  
**[C]** We'll have lots of **[G]** fun with mister **[C]** snowman  
until the **[G]** other kiddies knock him **[C]** down. **[C7]**

Later **[F]** on we'll conspire  
As we **[C]** dream by the fire,  
To **[C7]** face un-**[Gm]**-afraid the **[C]** plans that we **[C7]** made,  
**[Dm]** Walking in a **[C]** winter **[F]** wonderland. **[F7]**  
**[Dm]** Walking, **[C7]** walking in a winter wonder-**[F]**-land. **[C] [F]**

## Let It Snow

Oh, the **[D]** weather **[A]** outside is **[D]** frightful,  
But the **[A]** fire is so **[A7]** delightful,  
And **[Em]** since we've no place to go,  
Let it **[A]** snow, let it **[A7]** snow, let it **[D]** snow.

Oh, it **[D]** doesn't show **[A]** signs of **[D]** stopping,  
And I've **[A]** brought some corn for **[A7]** popping,  
The **[Em]** lights are turned way down low,  
Let it **[A]** snow, let it **[A7]** snow, let it **[D]** snow.

When we **[A]** finally kiss good night,  
How I **[E7]** hate going out in the **[A]** storm.  
But if you really hold me tight,  
**[D7]** All the way **[E7]** home I'll be **[A]** warm. **[A7]**

Oh, the **[D]** fire is **[A]** slowly **[D]** dying,  
And my **[A]** dear we're still **[A7]** good-bye-ing,  
But as **[Em]** long as you love me so,  
Let it **[A]** snow, let it **[A7]** snow, let it **[D]** snow.

When we **[A]** finally kiss good night,  
How I **[E7]** hate going out in the **[A]** storm.  
But if you really hold me tight,  
**[D7]** All the way **[E7]** home I'll be **[A]** warm. **[A7]**

Oh, the **[D]** fire is **[A]** slowly **[D]** dying,  
And my **[A]** dear we're still **[A7]** good-bye-in,  
But as **[Em]** long as you love me so,  
Let it **[A]** snow, let it **[A7]** snow, let it **[D]** snow.  
Let it **[A]** snow, let it **[A7]** snow, and **[D]** snow.

## Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas

[G] Have your-[Em] -self a [Am] merry little [D7] Christmas

[G] Let your [Em] heart be [Am] light, [D7]

[G] From now [Em] on your

[Am] Troubles will be [D7] out of [E7] sight. - [A7] [D7]

[G] Have your-[Em]-self a [Am] merry little [D7] Christmas

[G] Make the [Em] yuletide [Am] gay, [D7]

[G] From now [Em] on your

[Am] Troubles will be [B7] miles [Em] away. - [G]

[Em] Once again as in [D] olden days Happy [Am] golden days [D7] of yore.

[Em] Faithful friends who are [Bm] dear to us shall be [D] near to us once [Am] more. [D7]

[G] Someday [Em] soon we [Am] all will be [D] together,

[G] If the [Em] fates [Am] allow, [D7]

[G] Until [Em] then we'll [Am] have to muddle [D7] through [Em] somehow.

So [C] have yourself a [Am] merry little [D7] Christmas [G] now.



## Here Comes Santa Claus

[C] Here comes Santa Claus, here comes Santa Claus,  
[G7] Right down Santa Claus Lane.  
Vixen and Blitzen and all his reindeer  
Are [C] pulling on the [C7] reins.  
[F] Bells are ringing, [Em] children singing  
[Dm] All is [G7] merry and [C] bright.  
[F] Hang your stockings and [C] say your [A7] prayers,  
'Cause [Dm] Santa Claus [G7] comes to[C]night.

[C] Here comes Santa Claus, here comes Santa Claus,  
[G7] Right down Santa Claus Lane.  
He's got a bag that is filled with toys  
For [C] the boys and girls a[C7]gain.  
[F] Hear those sleigh bells [Em] jingle jangle,  
[Dm] What a [G7] beautiful [C] sight.  
[F] Jump in bed, cover [C] up your [A7] head,  
Cause [Dm] Santa Claus [G7] comes to[C]night!

[C] Here comes Santa Claus, here comes Santa Claus,  
[G7] Right down Santa Claus Lane.  
He doesn't care if you're rich or poor  
He [C] loves you just the [C7] same.  
[F] Santa Claus knows we're all [Em] gods children,  
[Dm] that makes [G7] everything [C] right.  
[F] fill your hearts with [C] christmas [A7] cheer,  
Cause [Dm] Santa Claus [G7] comes to[C]night!

[C] Here comes Santa Claus, here comes Santa Claus,  
[G7] Right down Santa Claus Lane.  
He'll come around when the chimes ring out  
that [C] it's Christmas morn a[C7]gain  
[F] Peace on earth will [Em] come to all,  
[Dm] if we just [G7] follow the [C] light.  
[F] So let's give thanks to [C] the lord [A7] above,  
That [Dm] Santa Claus [G7] comes to[C]night! *(Repeat)* [G7] [C]

## I Want a Hippopotamus for Christmas

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

[G] / / / [G] / / / [G] / / / [D] / / /  
[D7] Mom says the hippo would eat me up, but then  
[A] Teacher says a hippo is a vegeteri [D7] an  
[G] / / / [G] / / / [G] / / / [D] / / /  
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 mass [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  
Only a hippopotamus will [D] do  
[D7] No crocodiles or rhinoceroseses  
[A] I only like hippopota [D7] museses  
And [A] hippopota [D7] muses like me [G] too!

## Jingle Bell Rock

Intro: **[C] [Cmaj7] [C6] [Cmaj7] [C] [Cmaj7] [C6] [Cmaj7]**

**[C]** Jingle bell **[Cmaj7]** jingle bell **[C6]** jingle bell **[Cmaj7]** rock  
**[C6]** Jingle bell **[Cmaj7]** swing and **[Dm]** jingle bells **[G7]** ring  
**[Dm]** Snowin' and **[G7]** blowin' up **[Dm]** bushels of **[G7]** fun  
**[D7]** Now the jingle hop **[G+]** has begun

**[C]** Jingle bell **[Cmaj7]** jingle bell **[C6]** jingle bell **[Cmaj7]** rock  
**[C6]** Jingle bells **[Cmaj7]** chime in **[Dm]** jingle bell **[G7]** time  
**[Dm]** Dancin' and **[G7]** prancin' in **[Dm]** jingle bell **[G7]** square  
**[D7]** In the **[G7]** frosty **[C]** air **[C7]**

What a **[F]** bright time it's the **[Fm]** right time  
To **[C]** rock the night away **[C7]**  
Jingle **[D]** bell time is a **[D7]** swell time  
**[G7]** To go glidin' in a **[G+]** one horse sleigh

**[C]** Giddy up **[Cmaj7]** jingle horse **[C6]** pick up your **[Cmaj7]** feet  
**[C6]** Jingle a **[Cmaj7]** round the **[A]** clock  
**[F]** Mix and mingle in a **[Fm]** jinglin' beat  
**[D7]** That's the **[G7]** jingle bell **[C]** rock

What a **[F]** bright time it's the **[Fm]** right time  
To **[C]** rock the night away **[C7]**  
Jingle **[D]** bell time is a **[D7]** swell time  
**[G7]** To go glidin' in a **[G+]** one horse sleigh

**[C]** Giddy up **[Cmaj7]** jingle horse **[C6]** pick up your **[Cmaj7]** feet  
**[C6]** Jingle a **[Cmaj7]** round the **[A]** clock  
**[F]** Mix and mingle in a **[Fm]** jinglin' beat  
**[D7]** That's the **[G7]** jingle bell **[D7]** that's the **[G7]** jingle bell  
**[D7]** That's the **[G7]** jingle bell **[C]** rock

## Fairytale of New York

[intro - single strums] [G][A][D][G][A][D][A7]

[single strums] It was Christmas [D] Eve babe... in the [G] drunk tank

An old man [D] said to me... won't see an[G]other one [A]

And then he [D] sang a song... The Rare Old [G] Mountain Dew

And I turned my [D] face away... and [G] dreamed a [Asus4] bout [D] you [A]

Got on a [D]lucky one... came in eight [G]een to one...

I've got a [D] feeling... this year's for [A] me and you

So happy [D] Christmas... I love you [G] baby

I can see a [D] better time... when all our [Asus4] dreams come [D] true [stop]

[G][A][D][G][A]...

[instrumental – regular strumming 6/8 time, faster]

[D][D][D][A][D][G][A][D]....

They've got [D] cars big as [A] bars... they've got [Bm] rivers of [G] gold

But the [D] wind goes right through you... it's no place for the [A] old

When you [D] first took my [Bm] hand... on a [D] cold Christmas [G] Eve

You [D] promised me Broadway was [A] waiting for [D] me

You were [D] handsome, you were pretty... Queen of New York [A] City

When the [D] band finished [G] playing they [A] howled out for [D] more

Si [D]natra was swinging... all the drunks they were [A] singing

We [D] kissed on the [G] corner then [A] danced through the [D] night

And the [G] boys of the NY [Bm] PD choir... were [D] singing Galway [Bm] Bay

And the [D] bells were [G] ringing [A] out... for Christmas [D] Day.

[D][A][D][G]..[D][Bm][D][A]...[D][Bm][D][G]...[D][Bm][A][D]

You're a [D] bum, you're a punk you're and old slut on [A] junk

Lying [D] there almost [G] dead... on a [A] drip in that [D] bed

You [D] scumbag, you maggot you cheap lousy [A] faggot

Happy [D] Christmas your [G] arse, I pray [A] God it's our [D] last

And the [G] boys of the NY [Bm] PD choir... were [D] singing Galway [Bm] Bay  
And the [D] bells were [G] ringing [A] out... for Christmas [D] Day

[D][G]... [G][D]..... [D][A].....

I could have [D] been someone... well so could [G] anyone...  
You took my [D] dreams from me... when I first [A] found you  
I kept them [D] with me babe I put them [G] with my own  
Can't make it [D] all alone, I've built my [G] dreams a [Asus4] round [D] you

And the [G] boys of the NY [Bm] PD choir... were [D] singing Galway [Bm] Bay  
And the [D] bells were [G] ringing [A] out... for Christmas [D] Day

[D][G]... [G][D]..... [D][A]..... [A][D].....  
[D][G]..... [G][D].... [D][A]..... [D]

## Lonely this Christmas – Mud

**[C] [Am] [F] [G]**

**[C]** Try to im**[Am]**agine a **[F]** house thats not a **[G]** home  
**[C]** And try to **[Am]** imagine a Chri **[F]**stmas all **[G]** alone  
**[C]** That's where I'll be since you **[Am]** left me  
My **[F]** tears could melt the **[G]** snow  
**[C]** What can I do? Without **[Am]** you  
**[F]** I've got no place to **[G]** go

**[C]** It'll be **[Am]** lonely this christmas with **[F]**out you to hold **[G]**  
**[C]** It'll be lo **[Am]** nely this christmas lo**[F]**nely and **[G]** cold  
**[C]** It'll be **[Am]** cold so cold without **[F]** you to hold **[G]** this Christmas

**[C] [F] [C]**

**[C]** Each time I rem **[Am]** ember the **[F]** day you went a **[G]** way  
**[C]** How I never **[Am]** listened to the **[F]** things you had to **[G]** say  
**[C]** I just break **[Am]** down, when **[F]** I look a **[G]** round

The only things I see

**[C]** Are emptiness and **[Am]** loneliness and a **[F]** humbling Christmas **[G]** tree

**[C]** It'll be **[Am]** lonely this Christmas with **[F]** out you to hold **[G]**  
**[C]** It'll be lo **[Am]** nely this christmas lo **[F]**nely and **[G]** cold  
**[C]** It'll be **[Am]** cold so cold without **[F]** you to hold **[G]** this Christmas

## I Believe in Father Christmas Greg Lake

[G] They said [D] there'll be [Em7] snow at [D] Christmas  
[G] They said [D] there'll be [Em7] peace on [D] earth  
[G] But in [D]stead it just [Em7] kept on [D] raining  
[G] A veil of [D] tears for [Em7] the virgin [D] birth

[C] I re[G]member [D] one Christmas morning  
[C] A winters [G] light and a [D] distant choir  
And the [D] peal of a [A] bell and that [G] Christmas tree [D] smell  
And their [D] eyes full of [Em7] tinsel and [Dsus2] fire

[D] [G] [Bm7] [D] [G] [D] [A] [A] [Em7] [D] [A7] [D] [G] [A] [Dsus2] [Dsus2]

[G] They sold [D] me a [Em7] dream of [D] Christmas  
[G] They sold [D] me a [Em7] silent [D] night  
[G] And they [D] told me a [Em7] fairy [D] story  
'till I believed in the Israelite

[C] And I be[G]lieved in [D] Father Christmas  
And I [C] looked at the [G] sky with exc[D]ited eyes  
'till I [D] woke with a [A] yawn in the [G] first light of [D] dawn  
And I [D] saw him and [Em7] through his dis[D]guise

[D] [G] [Bm7] [D] [G] [D] [A] [A] [Em7] [D] [A7] [D] [G] [A] [Dsus2] [Dsus2]

[G] I wish [D] you a [Em7] hopeful [D] Christmas  
[G] I wish [D] you a [Em7] brave new [D] year  
[G] All an[D]guish [Em7] pain and [D] sadness  
[G] Leave your [D] heart and let your [Em7] road be [D] clear

[G] They said [D] there'll be [Em7] snow at [D] Christmas  
[G] They said [D] there'll be [Em7] peace on [D] earth  
Hallel[D]ujah no[A]el be it [G]heaven or [D] hell  
The [D] Christmas we [Em7] get you de[D]serve

[D] [G] [Bm7] [D] [G] [D] [A] [A] [Em7] [D] [A7] [D] [G] [A] [Dsus2] [Dsus2]  
[Em7] [D] [A7] [D] [G] [A] [D]

## Have a Holly Jolly Christmas

Have a **[C]** holly, jolly Christmas, it's the best time of the **[G7]** year,  
I don't know if there'll be snow, but have a cup of **[C]** cheer.

Have a holly, jolly Christmas, and when you walk down the **[G7]** street,  
Say hello to friends you know and everyone you **[C]** meet. **[C7]**

**[F]** Hey, ho, the **[Em]** mistletoe, **[F]** hung where you can **[C]** see,  
**[Dm]** Somebody's **[Am]** waiting there, **[D7]** kiss her **[Am]** once **[D7]** for **[G]** me.

Have a **[C]** holly, jolly Christmas and in case you didn't **[G7]** hear,  
Oh, by golly, have a **[C]** holly, jolly **[D7]** Christmas **[G7]** this **[C]** year.

(No singing)

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