



# Christmas Songbook 2025

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Wednesday 18th December

7.30pm kick off

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# Have A Holly Jolly Christmas

[G7] Have a [C] Holly, [Cmaj7] Jolly [C6] Christmas  
[Cmaj7] It's the [C] best time [G] of the [G7] year  
[G7] I don't know if there'll be snow, But [G7] have a cup of [C] cheer [G7]

[G7] Have a [C] Holly, [Cmaj7] Jolly [C6] Christmas  
[Cmaj7] And when [C] you walk [G] down the [G7] street..  
[G7] say hello, to friends you know.. And [G7] everyone you [C] meet. [G7]

[F] Oh, ho, the [Em] mistletoe [Dm] hung where [G7] you can [C] see.  
[Dm] Some-[E7]body [Am] waits for you [D7] kiss her once for [G] me [G7]

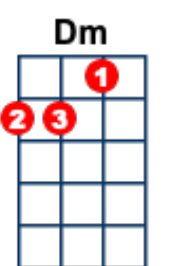
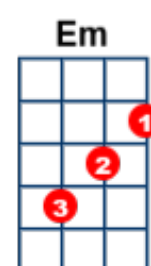
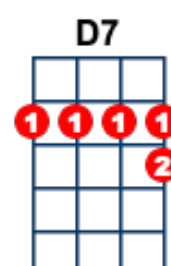
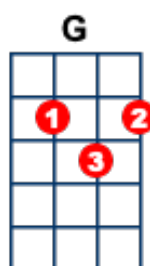
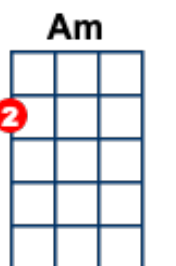
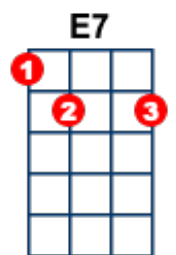
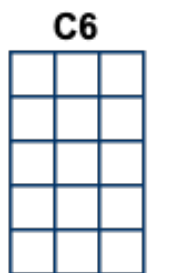
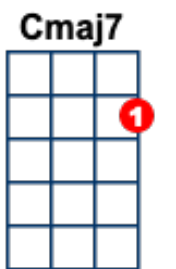
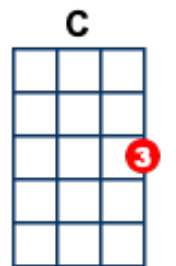
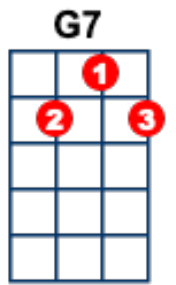
[G7] Have a [C] Holly, [Cmaj7] Jolly [C6] Christmas  
[Cmaj7] And in [C] case you [G] didn't [G7] hear,  
[G7] Oh, by golly, have a [C] Holly, [Am] Jolly [D7] Christmas [G7] this [C] year.

Instrumental verse x 2 >

[F] Oh, ho, the [Em] mistletoe [Dm] hung where [G7] you can [C] see.  
[Dm] Some-[E7]body [Am] waits for you [D7] kiss her once for [G] me [G7]  
[G7] Have a [C] Holly, [Cmaj7] Jolly [C6] Christmas  
[Cmaj7] And in [C] case you [G] didn't [G7] hear,

[G7] Oh, by golly, have a [C] Ho...[C] lly, [Am] Jo...[Am] lly

[D7] Christ....-[D7] mas [G7]..this [C] year. [G7/] [C/]



# It's Beginning To Look A Lot Like Christmas

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,  
**[Am]** glistening once a-**[Dm]**gain  
 With **[C]** candy canes and **[G7]** silver lanes a-**[C7]**glow.

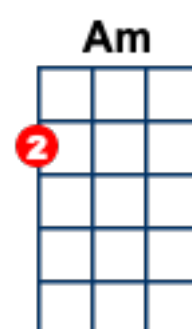
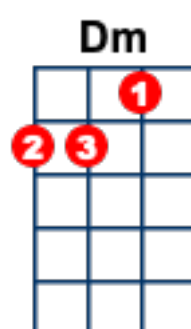
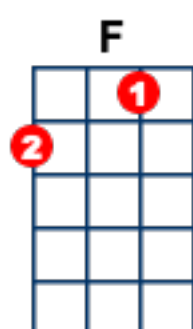
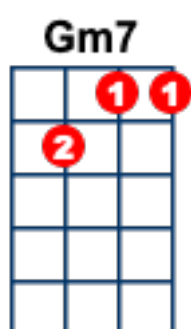
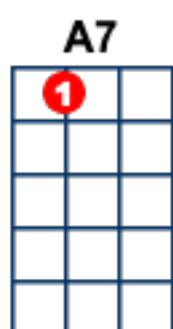
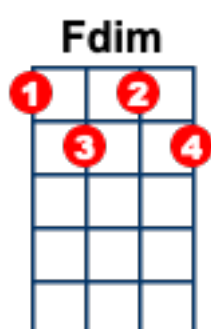
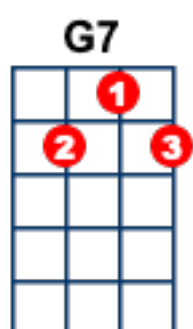
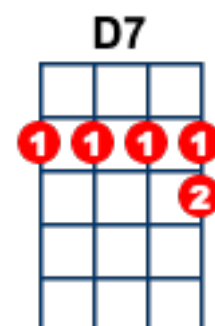
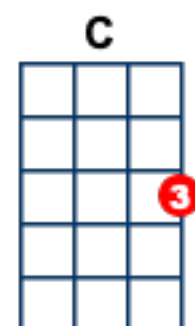
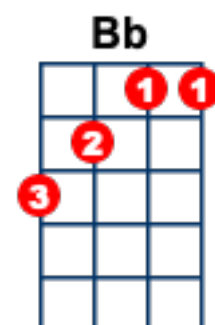
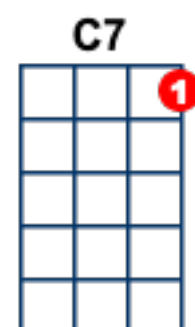
**[C7]** It's be-**[F]**ginning to look a **[Bb]** lot like **[F]** Christmas,  
**[F]** toys in **[A7]** ev'ry **[Bb]** store **[D7]**  
 But the **[Gm7]** prettiest sight to **[Fdim]** see  
 is the **[F]** holly that will **[D7]** be on your  
**[Gm7]** own **[C7]** front **[F]** door.

**(Single strums throughout)**

A pair of **[A7]** Hopalong boots and a pistol that shoots are the  
**[Dm]** wishes of **[A7]** Barney and **[Dm]** Ben, (STOP)  
**[G7]** Dolls that will talk and will go for a walk Is the  
**[C7]** hope of **[G7]** Janice and **[C7]** Jen, (STOP)  
 And **[C7]** Mom and Dad can hardly wait for school to start again.

It's be-**[F]**ginning to look a **[Bb]** lot like **[F]** Christmas,  
**[F]** Ev-ry-**[A7]**where you **[Bb]** go **[D7]**  
 There's a **[Gm7]** tree in the Grand Ho-**[C7]**tel,  
**[Am]** one in the park as **[Dm]** well,  
 The **[C]** sturdy kind that **[G7]** doesn't mind the **[C7]** snow.

It's be-**[F]**ginning to look a **[Bb]** lot like **[F]** Christmas  
 soon the **[A7]** bells will **[Bb]** start, **[D7]**  
 And the **[Gm7]** thing that will make them **[Fdim]** ring  
 is the **[F]** carol that you **[D7]** sing,  
 right with-**[Gm7]**in **[C7]** your **[F]** heart **[D7]**  
 right with-**[Gm7]**in **[C7]** your **[F]** heart. **[Bb]** **[F]**



# Jingle Bell Rock - Bobby Helms

**(D)**Jingle bell jingle bell jingle bell rock  
Jingle bells **(B7)**swing and **(Em)**jingle bells **(A)**ring  
**(Em)**Snowing and **(A)**blowing up **(Em)**bushels of **(A)**fun  
**(Em)**...Now the jingle hop.. **(A)**has begun

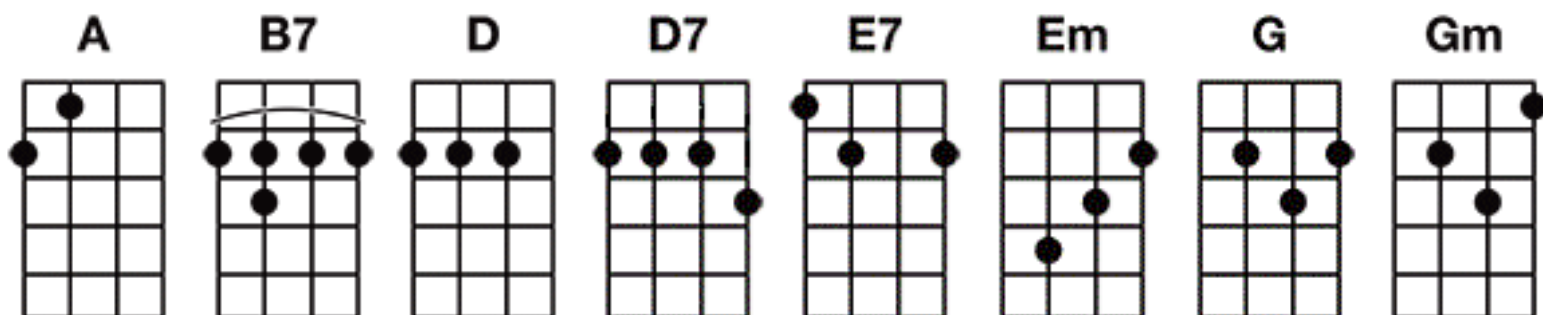
**(D)**Jingle bell jingle bell jingle bell rock  
Jingle bells **(B7)**chime in **(Em)**jingle bell **(A)**time  
**(Em)**Dancing and **(A)**prancing in **(Em)**Jingle Bell **(A)**Square  
**(Em)**...In the **(A)**frosty **(D)**air.**(D7)**

What a **(G)**bright time it's the right time  
**(D)**To rock the night away  
Jingle **(E7)**bell time is a swell time  
**(A-single strum)** To go gliding in a one-horse sleigh

**(D)**Giddy-up jingle horse pick up your feet Jingle around the  
**(B7)**clock.....  
**(G)**Mix and a-mingle in the **(Gm)**jingling feet

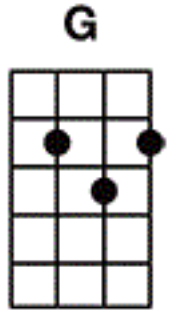
**(1st time) (Em)**...That's the **(A)**jingle bell **(D)**rock.. **(repeat box)**

**(2nd time) (Em)**That's the **(A)**jingle bell **(Em)**That's the **(A)**jingle bell  
**(Em)**That's the **(A)**jingle bell **(D)**rock **(D CHA CHA CHA)**

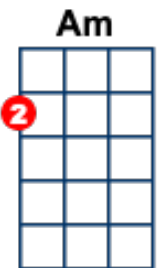


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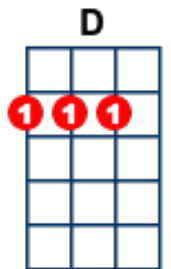
(G) I'm dreaming of a (Am) white (D) Christmas,  
 (C) Just like the (D) ones I used to (G) know, (G)  
 Where the tree tops (G7) glisten and (C) children (Cm) listen,  
 To (G) hear (Em) sleigh bells in the (Am) snow. (D)



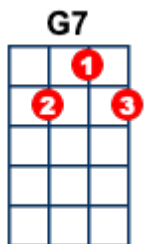
(G) I'm dreaming of a (Am) white (D) Christmas,  
 (C) With every (D) Christmas card I (G) write,  
 May your days be (G7) merry and (C) bright (Cm)  
 And may (G) all your (Am) Christmas-(D)ses be (G) white. (D)



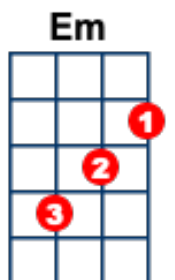
**Instrumental :** (G) I'm dreaming of a (Am) white (D) Christmas,  
 (C) With every (D) Christmas card I (G) write,  
 May your days be (G7) merry and (C) bright (Cm)  
 And may (G) all your (Am) Christmasses (D) be (G) white. (D)



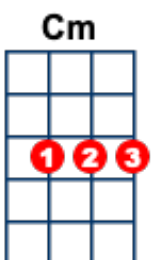
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 (C) Just like the (D) ones I used to (G) know,  
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 To (G) hear (Em) sleigh bells in the (Am) snow. (D)



(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) Christmas-(D)ses be (G) white.



May your days be (G7) merry and (C) bright (Cm) [STOP]  
**SLOWLY** And may (G) all your (Am) Christmas-(D)ses be (G) white. (G/)



# Merry Christmas Everyone—Shakin' Stevens

(Single every beat strums for the whole of intro and first verse, outro as intro, echo on last bit)

## Intro: OOHS OVER THE TOP OF

(G////) (G//) (D//) (Em////) (C////) (G////) (D////) (G////) (G//) stop

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) everyone (G) (G//) stop

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. (G)

(Em) We're gonna (C) have a (G) party (D) tonight,  
(Em) I'm gonna (C) find that girl, (G) Underneath the mistletoe,  
and (D) kiss by candlelight (D//) STOP

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. (G)

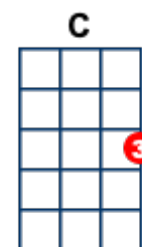
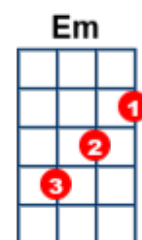
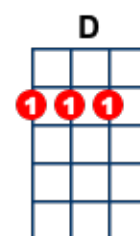
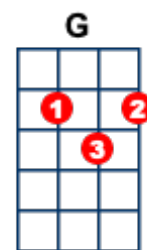
(Em) We're gonna (C) have a (G) party (D) tonight,  
(Em) I'm gonna (C) find that girl, (G) Underneath the mistletoe,  
and (D) kiss by candlelight (D//) STOP

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 (snow is falling) (D) all a-(Em)-round me (all around me)  
(C) Children (G) playing (C), having (G) fun (having fun)  
It's the season love and under- (Em) -standing,  
(C) Merry (G) Christmas (D) everyone! (G)  
(C) Merry (G) Christmas (D) everyone! (G)  
(C) Oh, merry (G) Christmas (D) everyone! (G) (G//)

## Outro: OOHS OVER THE TOP OF

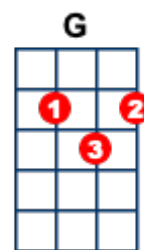
(G////) (G//) (D//) (Em////) (C////) (G////) (D////) (G////) (G//) stop





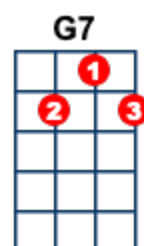
# Santa Claus Is Coming To Town - The Crystals

Intro : **[G\*]** / **[G7\*]** / | **[C\*]** / **[Cm\*]** / | **[G\*]** / **[G7\*]** / | **[C\*]** / **[Cm\*]** /

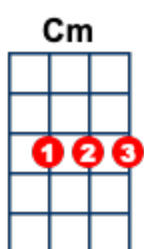


You'd **[G\*]** better watch **[G7\*]** out, you'd **[C\*]** better not **[Cm\*]** cry  
 You'd **[G\*]** better not **[G7\*]** pout, I'm **[C\*]** telling you **[Cm\*]** why  
**[G]** .. San-ta Claus is **[C]** coming to town, **[G]** .. San-ta Claus is **[C]** coming to town  
**[G]** Santa **[Em]** Claus is **[Am]** coming **[D]** .. to **[G]** town / / / | / / / / |

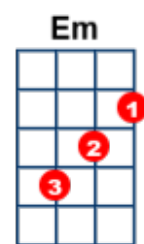
He's **[G]** making a **[G7]** list, he's **[C]** checkin' it **[Cm]** twice  
 He's **[G]** gonna find **[G7]** out who's **[C]** naughty or **[Cm]** nice  
**[G]** .. San-ta Claus is **[C]** coming to town, **[G]** .. San-ta Claus is **[C]** coming to town  
**[G]** Santa **[Em]** Claus is **[Am]** coming **[D]** .. to **[G]** town / / / | / / / / |



He **[G]** sees when you are **[C]** sleeping ...  
 he **[G]** knows when you're a-**[C]**-wake  
 He **[A7]** knows if you've been **[D]** bad or good,  
 so be **[A7]** good for goodness **[D]** sake, oh



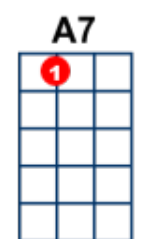
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**[G]** Santa **[Em]** Claus is **[Am]** coming **[D]** .. to **[G]** town / / / | / / / / |



**[G\*]** / **[G7\*]** / | **[C\*]** / **[Cm\*]** / | **[G\*]** / **[G7\*]** / | **[C\*]** / **[Cm\*]** / |

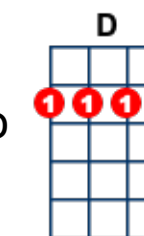
**[G]** / / / | **[C]** / / / | **[G]** / / / | **[C]** / / / | **[G]** / **[Em]** / | **[C]** / **[D]** / | **[G]** / / / | / / / / |

With **[G\*]** little tin horns and **[C\*]** little toy drums  
**[G\*]** Rooty toot toots and **[C\*]** rummy tum tums  
**[G\*]** Curly head dolls that **[C\*]** toddle and coo  
**[G\*]** Elephants, boats, and **[C\*]** kiddie cars too



**[G]** .. San-ta Claus is **[C]** coming to town, **[G]** .. San-ta Claus is **[C]** coming to town  
**[G]** Santa **[Em]** Claus is **[Am]** coming **[D]** .. to **[G]** town / / / | / / / / |

Then **[G]** kids in girl and **[C]** boy land ... will **[G]** have a jubi-**[C]**-lee  
 They're **[A7]** gonna build a **[D]** toyland ... all a-**[A7]**-round the Christmas **[D]** tree, so



You'd **[G\*]** better watch **[G7\*]** out, you'd **[C\*]** better not **[Cm\*]** cry  
 You'd **[G\*]** better not **[G7\*]** pout, I'm **[C\*]** telling you **[Cm\*]** why  
**[G]** .. San-ta Claus is **[C]** coming to town, **[G]** .. San-ta Claus is **[C]** coming to town  
**[G]** Santa **[Em]** Claus is **[Am]** coming **[D]** .. to **[G]** town / / / | / / / / |

**[C]** Santa Claus is **[D]** coming ... to **[G\*]** town / **[G7\*]** / | **[C\*]** / **[Cm\*]** /  
 | **[G]** / **[G7]** / | **[C]** / **[Cm]** / | **[G]** / **[G7]** / | **[C]** / **[Cm]** / | < **[G]** / / / / > **[G]** / /



# Last Christmas - Wham

Intro : ohs over instrumental first verse..

[D] Last Christmas I gave you my heart,  
But the [Bm] very next day you gave it away,  
[Em] This year to save me from tears,  
I'll [A] give it to someone special.

[D] Last Christmas I gave you my heart, But the [Bm] very next day you gave it away,  
[Em] This year to save me from tears, I'll [A] give it to someone special.  
[D] Last Christmas I gave you my heart, But the [Bm] very next day you gave it away,  
[Em] This year to save me from tears, I'll [A] give it to someone special.

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

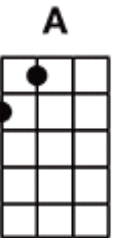
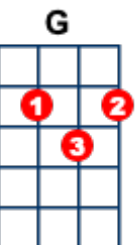
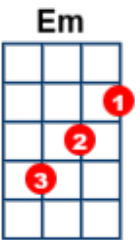
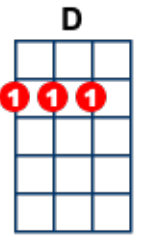
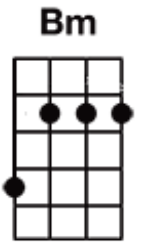
[D] Last Christmas I gave you my heart, But the [Bm] very next day you gave it away,  
[Em] This year to save me from tears, I'll [A] give it to someone special.  
[D] Last Christmas I gave you my heart, But the [Bm] very next day you gave it away,  
[Em] This year to save me from tears, I'll [A] give it to someone special.

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

[D] Last Christmas I gave you my heart, But the [Bm] very next day you gave it away,  
[Em] This year to save me from tears, I'll [A] give it to someone special.  
[D] Last Christmas I gave you my heart, But the [Bm] very next day you gave it away,  
[Em] This year to save me from tears, I'll [A] give it to someone special.

[Outro]

[D] A face on a lover with a fire in his heart,  
[Bm] A man under cover but you tore me apart,  
[Em] (Maybe next year), I'll [A] give it to someone special, speci [D]-al  
[Bm], [Em], [A], end on [D/]



# Winter Wonderland - Dean Martin

Intro: A [G7] beautiful [Dm] sight, we're [G] happy to-[F]-night  
[D7] Walkin' in a [G7] winter wonder-[C]land

[G7] Sleigh bells [C] ring, are you listenin'  
In the [G7] lane, snow is glistenin'  
A [G7] beautiful [Dm] sight, we're [G] happy to-[F]-night  
[D7] Walkin' in a [G7] winter wonder-[C]land

Gone a-[C]-way is the blue bird  
Here to [G7] stay is a new bird  
He [G7] sings a love [Dm] song, as [G] we go a-[C6]-long  
[D7] Walkin' in a [G7] winter wonder-[C]land

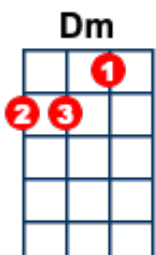
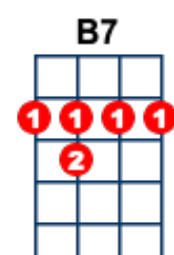
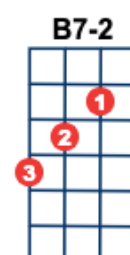
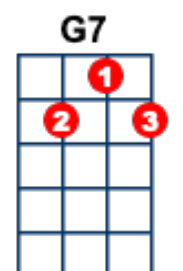
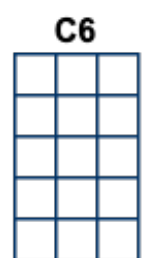
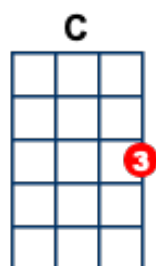
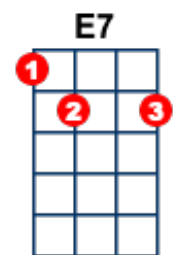
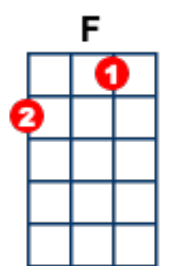
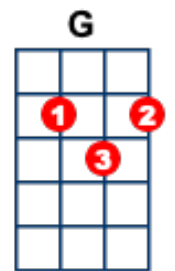
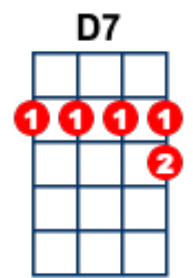
[E7] In the meadow [B7] we can build a [E7] snowman  
[E7] And pretend that [B7] he is Parson [E7] Brown  
[G] He'll say, "Are you [D7] married?" We'll say, [G] "No Man,  
But [A7] you can do the [D7] job while you're in [G] town"

Later [C] on we'll conspire As we [G7] dream by the fire  
To [G7] face una-[Dm]-fraid the [G] plans that we [C6] made  
[D7] Walkin' in a [G7] winter wonder-[C]land

[E7] In the meadow [B7] we can build a [E7] snowman [  
[E7] And pretend that [B7] he's a circus [E7] clown  
[G] We'll have lots of [D7] fun with Mr [G] Snowman  
Un-[A7]til the other [D7] kiddies knock him [G] down [G7]

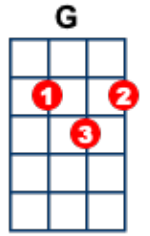
When it [C] snows ain't it thrillin'  
Though your [G7] nose gets a chillin'  
We'll [G7] frolic and [Dm] play the [G] Eskimo [C6] way  
[D7] Walkin' in a [G7] winter wonder-[C]land

We'll [G7] frolic and [Dm] play the [G] Eskimo [C6] way  
[D7] Walkin' in a [G7] winter wonder-[C]land  
[D7] Walkin' in a [G7] winter wonder-[C]land [D7] [C]

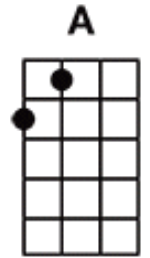


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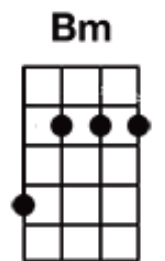
(N/C) Feliz Navi(G)dad (A)...(A)Feliz Navi(D)dad  
(D) Feliz Navi(G)dad próspero (A)año y felici((D)dad [stop]



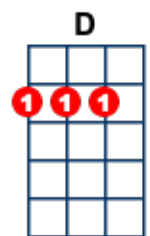
(N/C) Feliz Navi(G)dad (A).... (A)Feliz Navi(D)dad  
(D) Feliz Navi(G)dad próspero (A)año y felici(D)dad [stop]



(N/C) I wanna wish you a (G) Merry Christmas  
(A) I wanna wish you a (D) Merry Christmas  
(Bm)I wanna wish you a (G) Merry Christmas from the  
(A) bottom of my (D) heart [stop]



(N/C) I wanna wish you a (G) Merry Christmas  
(A) I wanna wish you a (D) Merry Christmas  
(Bm) I wanna wish you a (G) Merry Christmas from the  
(A) bottom of my (D) heart [stop]



**Repeat from top until someone falls asleep, or Easter Sunday,  
whichever comes first**

[End with a cha cha cha]

# All I Want For Christmas Is You - Mariah Carey

## [SLOW WITH SINGLE STRUMS]

(G/) I don't want a (G/) lot for Christmas  
(G/) there is just one (G/) thing I need  
(C/) I don't care a (C/) bout the presents  
(Cm/) underneath the (Cm/) Christmas tree

(G/) I just want you (G/) for my (B7/) own  
(Em/) more than you could (Em/) ever (Cm/) know  
(G/) Make my wish come (E7/) true...  
(Am7/) All I want for (D/) Christmas is

## [back to normal]

(G///) you (Em///) (C///) (D///)

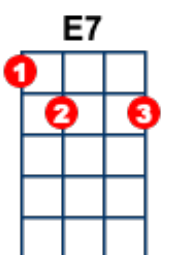
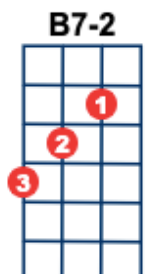
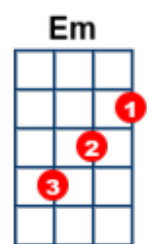
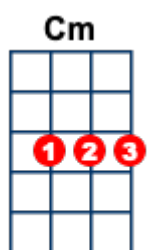
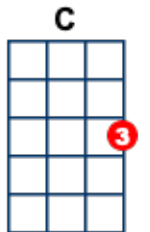
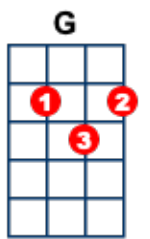
(G) I don't want a lot for Christmas there is just one thing I need  
(C) I don't care about the presents (Cm) underneath the Christmas tree  
(G) I don't need to hang my stocking there upon the fireplace  
(C) Santa Claus won't make me happy (Cm) with a toy on Christmas day  
(G) I just want you for my (B7) own (Em) more than you could ever (Cm) know  
(G) Make my wish come (E7) true...  
(Am7) All I want for (D) Christmas is (G) you (Em) (C) you (D) baby

(G) I won't ask for much this Christmas I won't even wish for snow  
(C) I'm just gonna keep on waiting (Cm) underneath the mistletoe  
(G) I won't make a list and send it to the North Pole for Saint Nick  
(C) I won't even stay awake to (Cm) hear those magic reindeer click  
(G) 'Cause I just want you here to (B7) night (Em) holding on to me so (Cm) tight  
(G) What more can I (E7) do baby  
(Am7) All I want for (D) Christmas is (G) you (Em)  
(C) you (D) baby **[belt it out]** wooah

(B7) All the lights are shining (Em) so brightly everywhere  
(B7) And the sound of children (Em) laughter fills the air  
(Cm) and everyone is singing (G) I hear those (E7) sleigh bells swinging  
(Am7) Santa won't you bring me the one I really need won't you  
(C) please bring my baby to me

(G) Oh I don't want a lot for Christmas this is all I'm asking for  
(C) I just want to see my baby (Cm) standing right outside my door  
(G) Oh I just want him for my (B7) own  
(Em) more than you could ever (Cm) know  
(G) Make my wish come (E7) true...  
(Am7) All I want for (D) Christmas is (G) you (Em) (C) (D)

(G) All I want for (Em) Christmas is (C) you (D) baby X 3 END ON (G)



# Happy Xmas ( War Is Over) —Lennon & Ono

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) with lots of great (C) beers. (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 this is (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 )

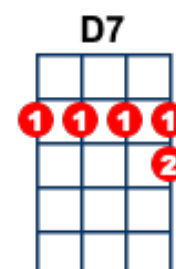
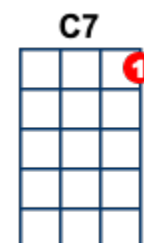
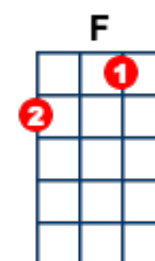
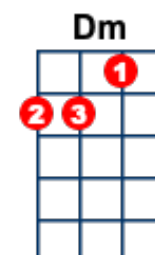
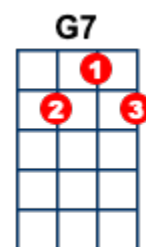
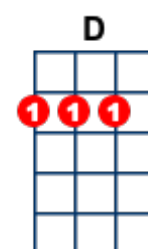
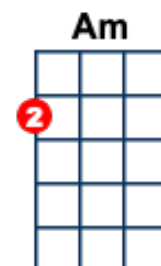
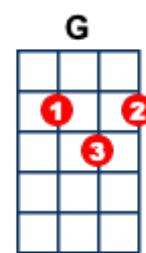
The old and the (C) young. ( Now )

A (C7) merry, merry (F) Christmas, and a happy New (G) Year

Let's hope it's a (Dm) good one (F) with lots of great (C) beers. (D)

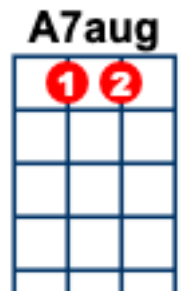
(G) War is over, (Am) if you want it. (D) War is over, (G) now...

(G) War is over, (Am) if you want it. (D) War is over, (G) now...



# There Ain't No Pleasing You - Chas N Dave

Intro: [C], [B]/[B7], [C], [A7aug]/[A7], [D7], [G7], [C], [G]/[G+]



Well, I [C]built my life around you, did what I [B7]thought was right,  
But [C]you never cared about me, now [A7aug]I've seen the [A7]light.  
Oh [D7]darling, [G7]there ain't no pleasing [C]you [G7] [G7+]

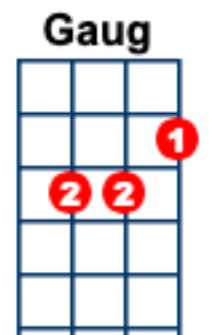
You [C] seemed to think that everything I ever [B7]did was wrong,  
[C].. I should have known it [A7aug]all a-[A7]long,  
That [D7]darling,...[G7] there ain't no pleasing [C]you [F] [C] [C7]

You only [C7]had to say the word, and you knew I'd [F]do it  
You had me [C7]where you wanted me, but you went and [F]blew it  
Now every [Bb]thing I ever [F]done, was only [Bb]done for you [D7]  
But now [G]you can go and [D7]do just what you [G]wanna do, I'm [G7]telling you.

'Cos [C]I ain't gonna be made to look a [B7]fool no more,  
You [C]done it once too often, what do you [A7aug]take me [A7]for?  
Oh [D7]darling, [G7]...there ain't no pleasing [C]you. [G7] [Gaug]

## REPEAT BOX ABOVE

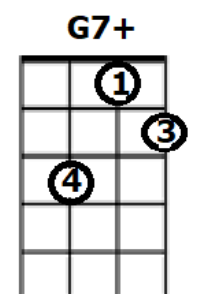
Now [C] if you think I don't mean what I say and I'm [B7]only bluffing.  
[C] You've got another think coming, I'm telling you [A7aug]that for nothing [A7]



'Cos [D7]darling, I'm leaving; [G7] [STOP]

N/C that's what I'm gonna...

Outro: do [C], [B]/[B7], [C], [A7aug]/[A7], [D7], [G7], [C]/[F], /[C]





# I 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 his (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 (D\*\*) ring out (A7\*\*) 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 (Bb) away. (D)

## CHORUS

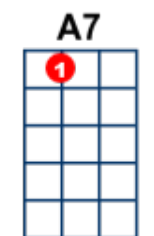
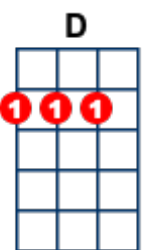
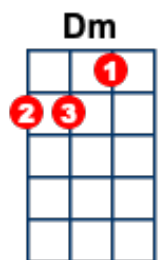
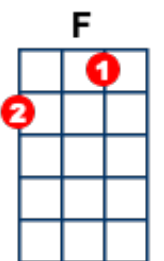
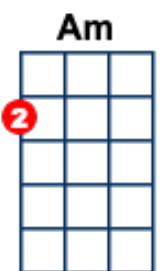
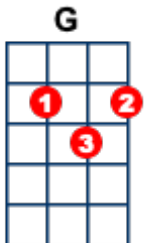
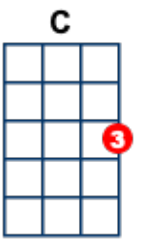
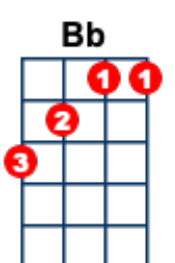
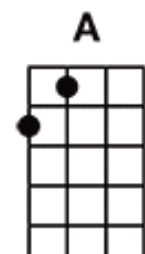
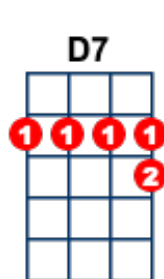
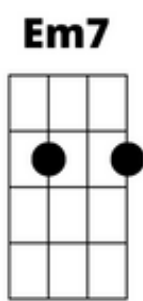
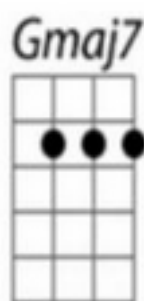
When the (C) snowman brings the snow  
Oh well he (F) just might like to know  
He's put a (C) great big smile up- (Am) -on somebody's (Dm) face (G)  
So if (C) santa brings the sleigh  
All (F) along that Milky (D7) Way,  
I'll sign my (C) name on the rooftop in the  
(G) Snow then he may decide to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

## CHORUS

slowly

Why don't you (D///) give your (A///) love for.... (G//) Christmas?

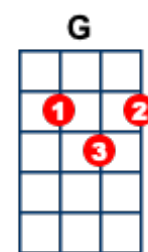
(Gmaj7/) (Em7/) (D/)



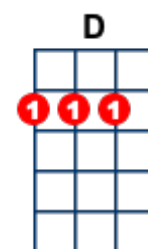
# Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree — John Marks

(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

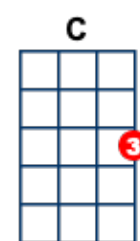


(C) You will get a sentimental

(Bm) feeling when you hear

(Em) Voices singing, ' Let's be jolly,

(A) Deck [STOP] the halls with (D) boughs of holly'

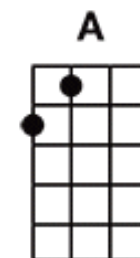


(G) Rocking around the Christmas tree

Have a (D) happy holiday.

Everyone dancing merrily

In the new old-fashioned (G) way

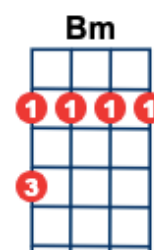


(C) You will get a sentimental

(Bm) feeling when you hear

(Em) Voices singing, ' Let's be jolly,

(A) Deck [STOP] the halls with (D) boughs of holly'



( A) Fa la la la (D) laaa, la la (A) la (D) laaaaa (D) laaaaaaaa)

(G) Rocking around the Christmas tree

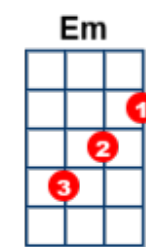
Let the (D) Christmas spirit ring

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 (D!) Old (D!) Fa-(D!) shioned(D!) (G) Wa-aaaayy. (D!) (G!)

# Do They Know It's Christmas - Band Aid

## [intro] (C)

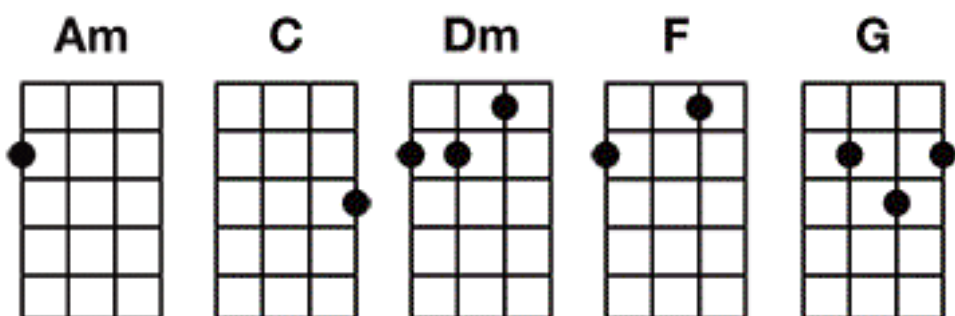
It's Christmas **(F)**time... **(G)**there's no need to **(C)**be afraid  
At Christmas **(F)**time... we **(G)**let in light and we **(C)**banish shade  
And in our **(F)**world of **(G)**plenty we can **(C)**spread a smile of **(F)**joy  
Throw your **(Dm)**arms around the **(G)**world at Christmas **(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 to **(Dm)**night 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 (*ohhhh*)  
Where **(F)**nothing ever **(G)**grows... no **(C)**rain nor rivers **(F)**flow  
**(Dm)**Do they know it's **(G)**Christmas time at **(C)**all **(F-C)**

**(Am\*)**Here's to you raise a **(G\*)**glass for everyone  
**(Am\*)**Here's to them... under **(G\*)**neath that burning sun  
**(F)**Do they know it's **(G)**Christmas time at **(C)**all?

**(C)**Feed the **(F)**wo-o-**(C)**orld **(F) (G)**  
**(C)**Feed the **(F)**wo-o-**(C)**orld **(F) (G)**  
**(C)**Feed the **(F)**wo-o-**(C)**orld **(F)**Let them know it's **(G)**Christmas time x7  
**(C)**Feed the **(F)**wo-o-**(C)**orld **(F)**Let them know it's **(G)**Christmas time **(C)**



# Stop The Cavalry — Jona Lewie

INTRO : (A) (E7) X 2

(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) caval-(A)-ry?

## KAZOO SOLO

(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) caval-(A)-ry?

(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) caval-(A)-ry (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///) X3 (A//)(D//)(A/)

(A) Bang goes another bomb (E7) on another town (A) While the Czar and (E7) Jim have tea.  
(A) If I get home, (E7) live to tell the tale, (A) I'll run for all (E7) presidencies.  
(A) If I get elected (E7) I'll stop [STOP] (A) I will stop the (E7) cavalry.

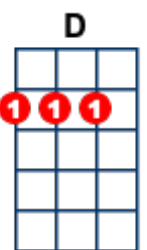
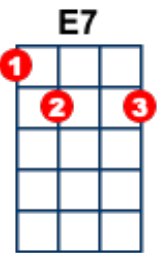
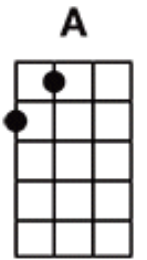
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(A) Oh I say it's tough, (E7) I have had enough (A) Can you stop the (E7) caval-(A)-ry?

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(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...

(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  
(G) Wish I was at home for (D) Christmas... (A//)(D//)(A///) X 3

[SLOWLY] (A//)(E7//)(A/)



# Merry Xmas Everybody—Slade

Intro : (Bb), (Bbm7), (Bb6), (Bb), (Dsus4), (D)

Are you (G) hanging up the (Bm) stocking on the (D) wall ? (Dsus4) (D) (D5)

It's the (G) time that every (Bm) Santa has a (D) ball ? (Dsus4) (D) (D5)

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 be (Bb) gun (D) .

Are you (G) waiting for the (Bm) family to (D) arrive ? (Dsus4) (D) (D5)

Are you (G) sure you've got the (Bm) room to spare (D) inside ? (Dsus4) (D) (D5)

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)

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) .

## 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 ? (Dsus4) (D) (D5)

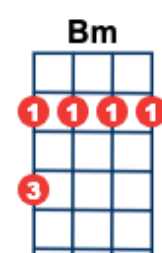
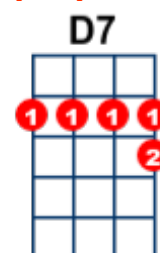
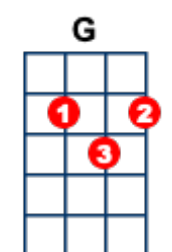
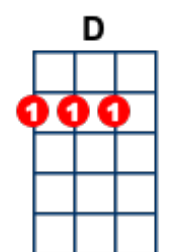
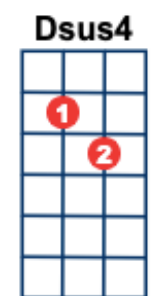
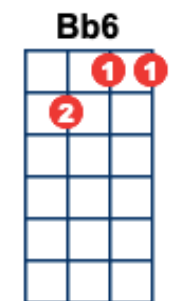
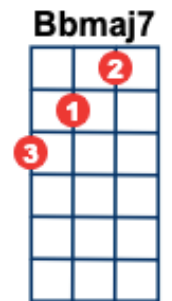
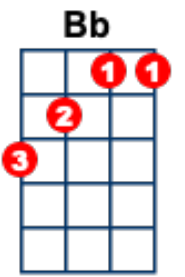
Are you (G) hoping that the (Bm) snow will start to (D) fall ? (Dsus4) (D) (D5)

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)





# Oom Pah Pah - Oliver, The Musical

Intro: 2 Bars on [C]

[C] There's a little ditty they're [D7] singin' in the city  
 [G7] Especially when they've been on the [D7] gin or the [G7] beer  
 [C] If you've got the patience your [D7] own imaginations'll `  
 [G7] Tell you just exactly what [C] you want to [C] hear

[C] Oom-pah-pah, oom-pah-pah, [D7] that's how it goes  
 [G7] Oom-pah-pah, oom-pah-pah, [C] ev'ryone [G7] knows  
 [C] They all suppose what they [D7] want to suppose  
 [G7] When they hear oom-pah [C] pah 2 3, 1 2 3

[C] Mister Percy Snodgrass would [D7] often have the odd glass  
 But [G7] never when he thought any[D7]body could [G7] see  
 [C] Secretly he'd buy it and [D7] drink it on the quiet  
 And [G7] dream he was an Earl with a [C] girl on each [C] knee

[C] Oom-pah-pah, oom-pah-pah, [D7] that's how it goes  
 [G7] Oom-pah-pah, oom-pah-pah, [C] ev'ryone [G7] knows  
 [C] What is the cause of his [D7] red shiny nose [G7] Could it be oom-pah [C] pah 2 3, 1 2 3

[C] Pretty little Sally goes [D7] walkin' down the alley  
 Dis[G7] plays a pretty ankle to [D7] all of the [G7] men  
 [C] They could see her garters, but [D7] not for free and gratis  
 An [G7] inch or two and then she knows [C] when to say [C] when

[C] Oom-pah-pah, oom-pah-pah, [D7] that's how it goes  
 [G7] Oom-pah-pah, oom-pah-pah, [C] ev'ryone [G7] knows  
 [C] Whether it's hidden, or whether [D7] it shows [G7] It's the same, oom-pah [C] pah 2 3, 123

[C] She was from the country, But [D7] now she's up a gum-tree  
 She [G7] let a fella beat her, And [D7] lead her [G7] along  
 [C] What's the use of crying? She [D7] made a bed to lie in  
 She's [G7] glad to bring a coin in, And [C] join in this [C] song!

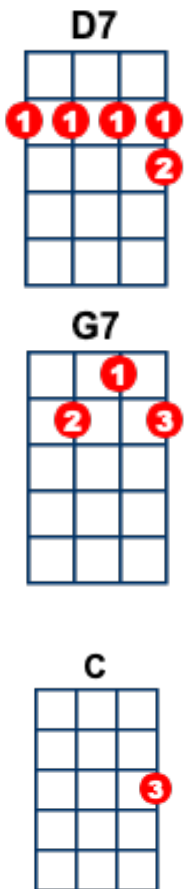
[C] Oom-pah-pah, oom-pah-pah, [D7] that's how it goes  
 [G7] Oom-pah-pah, oom-pah-pah, [C] ev'ryone [G7] knows  
 [C] She is no longer the [D7] same blushing rose [G7] It's the same, oom-pah [C] pah

(Pick a box, any box and sing boxes together)

[C] There's a little ditty they're [D7] singin' in the city  
 [G7] Especially when they've been on the [D7] gin or the [G7] beer  
 [C] If you've got the patience your [D7] own imaginations'll `  
 [G7] Tell you just exactly what [C] you want to [C] hear

[C] Oom-pah-pah, oom-pah-pah, [D7] that's how it goes  
 [G7] Oom-pah-pah, oom-pah-pah, [C] ev'ryone [G7] knows  
 [C] They all suppose what they [D7] want to suppose  
 [G7] When they hear oom-pah [C] pah

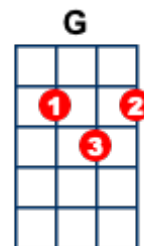
Finish with one final Oom pah pah chorus from box above slowing on last two lines!



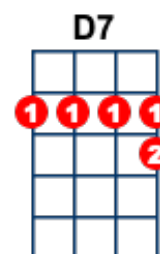


# Let It Snow— Martina McBride

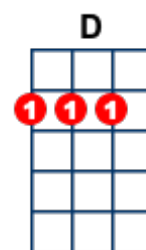
Oh, the (G) weather (D7) outside is (G) frightful,  
But the (D) fire is so (A7) de-(D)-lightful,  
And (Am) since we've no (Em) place to (Am) go,  
Let it (D7) snow, let it (Bm) snow, let it (G) snow.



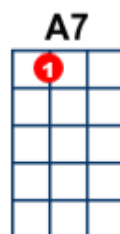
Oh, it (G) doesn't show (D7) signs of (G) stopping,  
And I've (D) brought some (A7) corn for (D) popping,  
The (Am) lights are turned (Em) way down (Am) low,  
Let it (D7) snow, let it (Bm) snow, let it (G) snow.



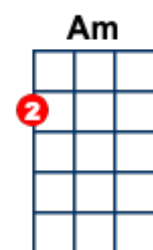
When we (D) finally kiss good night,  
How I (Em) hate going (A7) out in the (D) storm.  
But if you really hold me tight,  
(Em) All the way (A7) home I'll be (D) warm. (D7)



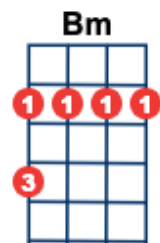
Oh, the (G) fire is (D7) slowly (G) dying,  
And my (D) dear we're (A7) still good-(D)bye-ing ,  
But as (Am) long as you (Em) love me (Am) so,  
Let it (D7) snow, let it (Bm) snow, let it (G) snow.



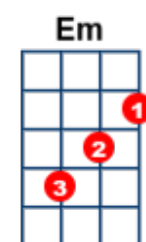
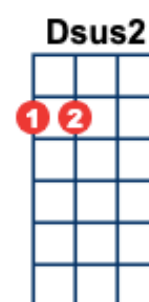
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And my (D) dear we're (A7) still good-(D)bye-ing ,  
But as (Am) long as you (Em) love me (Am) so,  
Let it (D7) snow, let it (Bm) snow, let it (G) snow



Let it (D7) snow.. let it (Dsus2) snow...(D) let it (G) snow



# Mele Kalikimaka - Traditional

[C] [C] [A7] [Dm7] [G7] [C] [G7]

[C] Mele Kalikimaka is the thing to say,  
on a bright Hawaiian Christmas [G7] Day  
[G7] That's the island greeting that we [Dm7] send, to [G7] you  
From the land where palm trees [C] sway

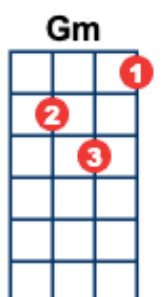
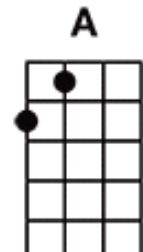
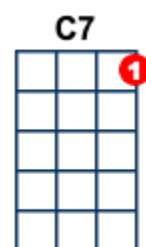
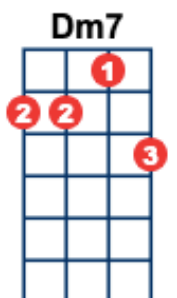
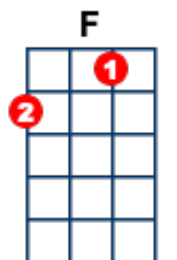
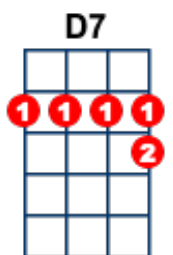
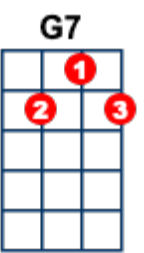
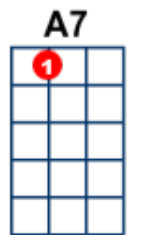
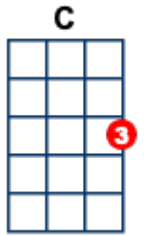
[C7] Here we know that Christmas, [F] will be green and bright  
The [A] sun to shine [A7] by day and [D7] all the stars at [G7] night  
[C] Mele Kalikimaka is (Gm) Hawaii's [A7] way,  
to [Dm7] say Merry [G7] Christmas to [C] you [G7]

[C] Mele Kalikimaka is the thing to say,  
on a bright Hawaiian Christmas [G7] Day  
[G7] That's the island greeting that we [Dm7] send, to [G7] you  
From the land where palm trees [C] sway

[C7] Here we know that Christmas, [F] will be green and bright  
The [A] sun to shine [A7] by day and [D7] all the stars at [G7] night  
[C] Mele Kalikimaka is (Gm) Hawaii's [A7] way,  
to [Dm7] say Merry [G7] Christmas to [C] you (stop)

[C] Mele Kalikimaka is the thing to say,  
on a bright Hawaiian Christmas [G7] Day  
[G7] That's the island greeting that we [Dm7] send, to [G7] you  
From the 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-[Gm]waii's [A7] way, to  
[D7] say Merry [G7] Christmas,  
a [D7] very merry [G] Christmas.  
A [D7] very very merry merry [G7] Christmas to [C] you. [G7] [C]



# Run Run Rudolph - Chuck Berry

[F] Out of all the reindeers you know you're the master-[C] mind  
[G7] Run, run Rudolph, Randolph ain't too far be-[C]hind

[C] Run, run Rudolph, [F] Santa's got to make it to [C] town  
[F] Santa make him hurry, tell them you can take the freeway [C] down  
[G7] Run, run Rudolph coz I'm reeling like a merry-go-[C]round

Said [C] Santa to the boy child, "[F] What have you been longing [C] for?"  
"[F] All I want for Christmas is a rock and roll record [C] guitar"  
And then a-[G7]way went Rudolph a whizzing like a shooting [C] star

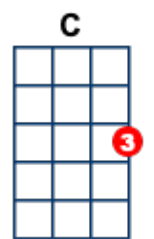
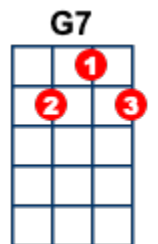
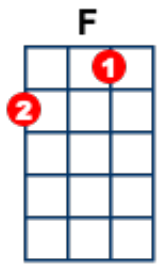
[C] Run, run Rudolph, [F] Santa's got to make it to [C]town  
[F] Santa make him hurry, tell them you can take the freeway [C] down  
[G7] Run, run Rudolph, reeling like a merry-go-[C]round

[C] X 4 [F] X 2 [C] X 2 [G7] X 2 [C] X 1 [G7, 234]

[C] Run, run Rudolph, [F] Santa's got to make it to [C] town  
[F] Santa make him hurry, tell them you can take the freeway [C] down  
[G7] Run, run Rudolph, reeling like a merry-go-[C]round

Said [C] Santa to the girl child, "[F] What's the things you wants to [C] get?"  
"A [F] little baby doll that can cry, sleep, drink, and [C] wet"  
And then a-[G7]way went Rudolph whizzing like a Saber [C] jet

[C] Run, run Rudolph, [F] Santa's got to make it to [C] town  
[F] Santa make him hurry, tell them you can take the freeway [C] down  
[G7] Run, run Rudolph coz I'm reeling like a merry-go-[C]round  
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[G7] Run, run Rudolph coz I'm reeling like a merry-go-[C]round [C7]



# Step Into Christmas - Elton John

**(D) (A) (D) (A) X 2**

**(D)** Welcome to my Christmas **(D7)** song, **(G)** I'd like to thank you for the **(D)** year **(D)**  
**(D)** So I'm sending you this **(D7)** Christmas card , To **(G)** say it's nice to have you **(D)** here **(D)**

**(Am7)** I'd like to sing about **(G)** all the things, Your **(D)** eyes and mine can **(A)** see  
**(Am7)** So hop aboard the **(G)** turntable, **(Em)** Ohhhh ... step into Christmas with **(A)** me, yeah  
**(A\* TAP 2,3,4,)**

**(D)** Step into Christmas, let's join together  
**(G)** We can watch the snow fall for **(A)** ever and ever  
**(D)** Eat, drink and be – merry **(D7)** come along with me  
**(G)** Step into Christmas, **(E)** The admission's **(A)** free **(A)**

**(D)** Take care in all you **(D7)** do next year , **(G)** And keep smiling through the **(D)** days **(D)**  
If **(D)** we can help to **(D7)** entertain you , **(G)** Ohh we will find the **(D)** ways **(D)**

So **(Am7)** merry Christmas **(G)** one and all, **(D)** There's no place I'd rather **(A)** be  
Than **(Am7)** asking you if **(G)** you'd oblige **(Em)** Stepping into Christmas with **(A)** me **(A\* TAP 2,3,4,)**

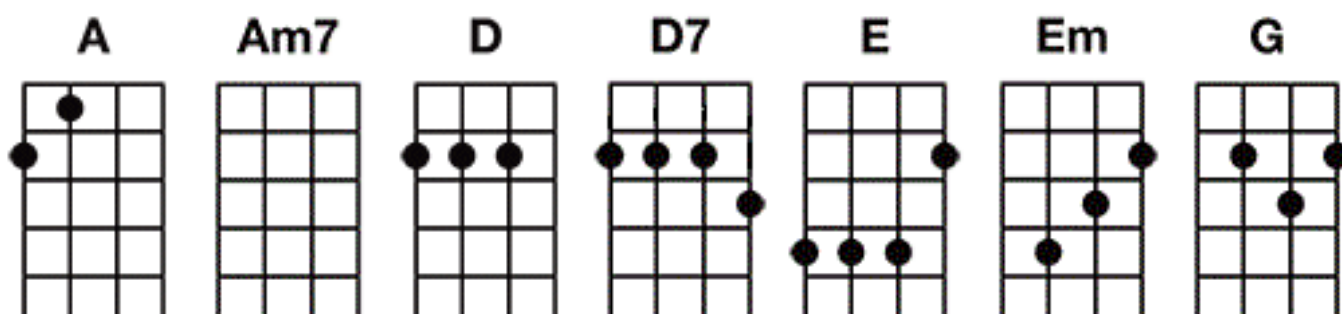
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**(G)** Step into Christmas, **(E)** The admission's **(A)** free

Instrumental : **(D) (A) (D) (A) X 2**

**(D)** Step into my Christmas **(D7)** song, **(G)** I'd like to thank you for the **(D)** year **(D)**  
**(D)** So I'm sending you this **(D7)** Christmas card To **(G)** say it's nice to have you **(D)** here

**(Am7)** I'd like to sing about **(G)** all the things, Your **(D)** eyes and mine can **(A)** see  
**(Am7)** So hop aboard the **(G)** turntable, **(Em)** Ohhhh ... step into Christmas with **(A)** me, yeah  
**(A\* TAP 2,3,4,)**

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**(G)** We can watch the snow fall for **(A)** ever and ever  
**(D)** Eat, drink and be – merry **(D7)** come along with me  
**(G)** Step into Christmas  
**(E)** The admission's **(A)** free **(A) whoah - ohhhh x 2 and end on (D)**



# Underneath the Tree - Kelly Clarkson, Greg Kurstin

Intro : (G//) (strum UDUDUD)

(C) You're here (C) where you should be, (Em) snow is falling as the (Em) carolers sing  
(Bb) It just wasn't the (Bb) same (Dm) alone on Christmas (Fm//) da-(G//)- ay  
(C) Presents, what a (C) beautiful sight,  
(Em) Don't mean a thing if you ain't (Em) holding me tight  
(Bb) You're all that I (Bb) need (Dm) underneath the (Fm//) tree -(G//)ee

(C) Tonight (C) I'm gonna (Em) hold you close (Em)  
(Dm) make sure that you (Dm) know  
That (Fm) I was lost be(G)fore (C) you  
(C) Christmas was (Em) cold and grey (Em),  
(Dm) another holi-(Dm) day,  
(Fm) alone to cele (Fm//)-bra(G//)-ate  
But (F) then, one (Fm) day, (C//) every(E7//)thing (Am//) changed  
(C//) You're all I (D) need (G) underneath the tree

<Chorus - You're here,...>

(C) I found (C) what I was (Em) looking for a (Em),  
(Dm) love that's meant for (Dm) me  
A (Fm) heart that's mine comp(G)-lete(C)-ly  
(C) Knocked me right (Em) off my feet (Em)  
and (Dm) this year I will (Dm) fall with  
(Fm) no worries at (Fm//) all (G//)  
'Cause (F) you are (Fm) near and (C//) every(E7//)thing's (Am//) clear  
(C//) You're all I (D) need (G) underneath the tree

<Chorus - You're here,...>

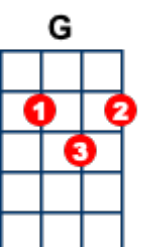
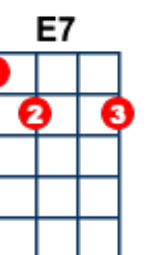
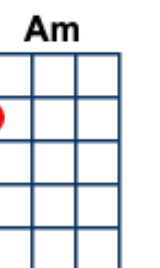
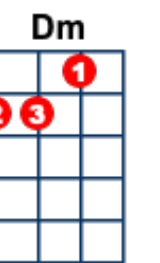
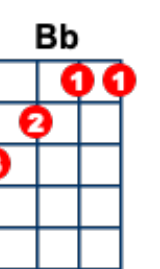
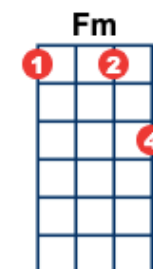
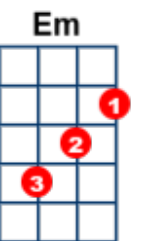
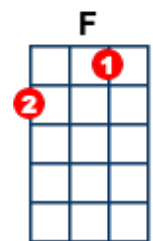
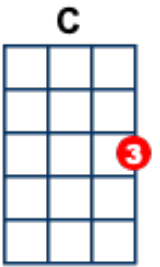
<INSTRUMENTAL VERSE UP TO THIS BIT>

But (F\*) then, one (Fm\*) day, (C\*) every(E7\*)thing (Am\*) changed  
(C//) You're all I (D) need (G) underneath the tree

(C) You're here (C) where you should be, (Em) snow is falling as the (Em) carolers sing  
(Bb) It just wasn't the (Bb) same (Dm) alone on Christmas (Fm//) da-(G//)- ay  
(C) Presents, what a (C) beautiful sight,  
(Em) Don't mean a thing if you ain't (Em) holding me tight  
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BING BONG OVER THESE LAST LINES AGAIN END ON C

(C) Presents, what a (C) beautiful sight,  
(Em) Don't mean a thing if you ain't (Em) holding me tight  
(Bb) You're all that I (Bb) need (Dm) underneath the (Fm//) tr(G//)ee -(C\*) END

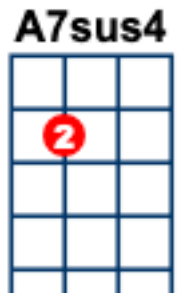




# Fairytale of New York - Shane McGowan

**GENTLE SINGLE STRUMS :** [D/G] [A/] [D/] [G/] [A/] [D/] [Asus4]

It was Christmas [D] Eve babe, in the [G] drunk tank  
An old man [D] said to me, won't see a-[A]nother one  
[A7] And then he [D] sang a song, the Rare Old [G] Mountain Dew  
I turned my [D] face away and [G] dreamed a-[A]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 [A7]  
So happy [D] Christmas, I love you [G] baby  
I can see a [D] better time when [G] all our [Asus4] dreams come [D] true

[G/] [A/] [D/] [G/] [A/].. **CHANGE TEMPO 3/4**

**INSTRUMENTAL** ~~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~~

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

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

[A] // |[Bm] // [G] // |[D] // [D] // |[D] // [A] // |

[D] // [A] // |[Bm] // [G] // |[D] // [D] // |[A] // [D] // |

You're a [D] bum, you're a punk, you're an 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

The [G] boys of the NY[Bm]PD [A] choir still [D] singing "Galway [Bm] Bay"  
And the [D] bells\* are [G] ringing [A] out for Christmas [D] day

~~in the [G] drunk tank [G] An old man [D] said to me, won't see a-[A]nother one [A7]~~

**\*BOYS** I [A] could have [D] been someone,

**GIRLS** Well so could [G] anyone You took my [D] dreams from me when I first [A] found you

**BOYS** [A7] 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-[A]round [D] [D] [D]\* [D]

**REPEAT BOX THEN REPEAT BOYS/GIRLS BIT \* TO\* INSTRUMENTALLY TWICE AND END  
ON FINAL D. EASY PEASY.**



*Have a Great Christmas!*

*SEE you in*

**2025**