

Happy Holidays!

A HOLIDAY SONG

COLLECTION

FROM LITTLETON GUITAR SCHOOL

Deck The Halls

Traditional

G7 С G7 C С Deck the halls with boughs of holly, fa la la la la - la la - la - la С G7 C С G7 Tis the season to be jolly, fa la la la la - la la - la - la G7 С Am G D7 G Don we now our gay apparel, fa la la - la la la - la - la - la С С G7 C Join the ancient Yuletide carol, fa la la la la - la la - la - la

С G7 С G7 C See the blazing Yule before us, fa la la la la - la la - la - la С G7 С G7 C Strike the harp and join the chorus, Fa la la la la - la la - la - la G7 С Am G D7 G Follow me in merry measure, fa la la - la la la - la - la - la С С G7 C F While I tell of Yule-tide treasure, fa la la la la la - la la - la - la

С G7 С G7 C Fast away the old year passes, fa la la la la - la la - la - la С С G7 G7 C Hail the new year, lads and lasses, fa la la la la - la la - la - la G7 Am G D7 G Sing we joyous, all together, fa la la - la la la - la - la - la С F С G7 C Heedless of the wind and weather, fa la la la la - la la - la - la

Frosty the Snowman

S.Nelson/ J.Rollins ©1950

С С Frosty the Snow Man was a jolly happy soul G7 G7 With a corn-cob pipe and a button nose and two eyes made out of coal С С Frosty the Snow Man is a fairy tale they say F Am Dm7 G7 С C He was made of snow but the children know how he came to life one day Dm7 G7 С F С There must have been some magic in that old silk hat they found G Am7 **D**7 G For when they put it on his head he began to dance around G7 C F С Oh, Frosty the Snow Man was alive as he could be С Dm7 С Am G7 And the children say he could laugh and play just the same as you and me С F Frosty the Snow Man knew the sun was hot that day F С G7 С So he said, "Let's run and we'll have some fun now before I melt away С F Down to the village with a broomstick in his hand F С Am Dm7 G7 С Running here and there all around the square saying catch me if you can Dm7 С F G7 He led them down the streets of town right to the traffic cop G Am7 **D7** G And he only paused a moment when he heard him holler stop G7 C C For Frosty the Snow Man had to hurry on his way F Am Dm7 G7 С But he waved good-bye, saying don't you cry, I'll be back again some day С G7 Thumpety thump thump, thumpety thump thump, Look at Frosty go С Thumpety thump thump, thumpety thump thump, over the hills of snow

It's Beginning To Look A Lot Like Christmas

Meredith Wilson (1951)

G С G С **B**7 It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas, everywhere you go **D7** G Take a look at the five and ten, it's glistening once again **D7** A7 **D7** With candy canes and silver lanes that glow G С G С **B7** It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas, toys in every store A7 G **E7** But the prettiest sight to see is the holly that will be Am D7 G On your own front door

B7EmA pair of Hopalong boots and a pistol that shoots, is the wish of Barney and BenA7D7Dolls that'll talk and will go for a walk, is the hope of Janice and JenD7And Mom and Dad can hardly wait for school to start again

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas, everywhere you go There's a tree in the Grand Hotel, one in the park as well It's the sturdy kind that doesn't mind the snow

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas, soon the bells will start And the thing that'll make 'em ring is the carol that you sing Right within your heart

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas, toys in every store But the prettiest sight to see is the holly that will be On your own front door, sure, it's Christmas once more

Jingle Bell Rock

Joe Beal/Jim Booth ©1957

Dmaj7 D Dmaj7 **D6** Dmaj7 D6 Em Α Jingle bell, jingle bell, jingle bell rock, -- jingle bells swing and jingle bells ring A+5 Α Em A E Em Snowin' and blowin' up bushels of fun, now the jingle hop has begun D Dmaj7 **D6** Dmaj7 D6 Dmaj7 Em Α Jingle bell, jingle bell, jingle bell rock, -- jingle bells chime in jingle bell time Em Α Em Α Ε Α D D7 Dancin' and prancin' in Jingle Bell Square in the frosty air

GGmDWhat a bright time, it's the right time to rock the night awayEAJingle bell time is a swell time to go glidin' in a one-horse sleigh

DDmaj7D6Dmaj7D6Dmaj7BGiddy-up jingle horse, pick up your feet, -- jingle around the clockGGmEADMix and a-mingle in the jinglin' feet, that's the jingle bell rock

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D Dmaj7 D6 Dmaj7D6 Dmaj7 В Giddy-up jingle horse, pick up your feet, jingle around the clock G Gm Ε Δ Mix and a-mingle in the jinglin' feet, that's the jingle bell Ε Ε Α Α D That's the jingle bell, that's the jingle bell rock

Jingle Bells

(James Pierpont ©1857) **G C**Dashing through the snow on a one-horse open sleigh **D7 G**O'er the fields we go laughing all the way **C**Bells on bob-tail ring, making spirits bright **D D7 G**What fun it is to ride and sing a sleighing song tonight

GGOh, Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the wayCGA7DOh, what fun it is to ride in a one-horse open sleighGGJingle Bells, Jingle Bells, Jingle all the wayCGD7GWhat fun it is to ride in a one-horse open sleigh.

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A day or two ago, I thought I'd take a ride D7 G And soon Miss Fanny Bright was seated by my side; C The horse was lean and lank, misfortune seemed his lot, D D7 G We ran into a drifted bank and there we got upsot.

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 C

 A day or two ago, the story I must tell

 D7
 G

 I went out on the snow and on my back I fell

 C

 A gent was riding by in a one-horse open sleigh

 D
 D7

 G

 He laughed as I there sprawling laid and quickly drove away.

 Now the ground is white, go it while you're young,

Take the girls along and sing this sleighing song. Just bet a bob-tailed bay, two-forty as his speed, Hitch him to an open sleigh and crack! You'll take the lead.

Let It Snow! Let It Snow! Let It Snow!

(Sammy Cahn/ J.Styne ©1945)

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GD7GBbdimD7Oh, the weather outside is frightful, but the fire is so - delightful,AmE7AmAnd since we've no place to go,D7GLet it snow, let it snow, let it snow.

GD7GBbdimD7It doesn't show signs of stopping, and I brought some corn - for poppingAmE7AmThe lights are turned way down low,D7GLet it snow, let it snow, let it snow.

DEm7A7DWhen we finally kiss good night, how I'll hate going out in the storm;DE7A7D7But if you really hold me tight, all the way home I'll be warm.

GD7GBbdimD7The fire is slowly dying, and my dear, we're still good-bye-ing,AmE7AmBut as long as you love me so,D7GLet it snow, let it snow, let it snow.

Merry XMas/ War Is Over

John Lennon

GAmSo this is Christmas, and what have you doneDGAnother year over, and a new one just begunCDmAnd so this is Christmas, I hope you have funGCThe near and the dear one, the old and the young

(Chorus)

FGA very merry Christmas, and a happy New YearDmCLet's hope it's a good one, without any fear

GAmAnd so this is Christmas, for weak and for strongDGFor rich and the poor ones, the world is so wrongCDmAnd so happy Christmas, for black and for whiteGCFor yellow and red ones, let's stop all the fight

(Chorus)

GAmSo this is Christmas, and what have we doneDGAnother year over, and a new one just begunCDmAnd so this is Christmas, we hope you have funGCThe near and the dear one, the old and the young

(Chorus)

GAmDGWar is over, if you want it, war is over now

Rocking around the Christmas Tree

Brenda Lee

Intro: G Em C D

GDRocking around the Christmas tree at the Christmas party hopDGGGBCCC</t

Bridge:

CBmYou will get a sentimental feeling when you hearEmADVoices singing let's be jolly, deck the halls with boughs of hollyGDRocking around the Christmas tree, have a happy holidayDGEveryone dancing merrily in the new old-fashioned way

Verse2 - Instrumental

С Bm You will get a sentimental feeling when you hear Em Δ n Voices singing let's be jolly, deck the halls with boughs of holly G D Rocking around the Christmas tree, have a happy holiday D С G D **G9** Everyone dancing merrily in the new old-fashioned way

Rudolph The Red-Nosed Reindeer

(Johnny Marks (c) 1949)

Fmaj7 Em7 Dm7 Cmaj7 You know Dasher and Dancer and Prancer and Vixen, Fmaj7 Em7 Dm7 Cmaj7 Comet and Cupid and Donner and Blitzen. Am E7 Am **D**9 Gsus4 G7 But do - you recall the most famous reindeer of all? С G7 Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer had a very shiny nose С And if you ever saw it you would even say it glows G7 All of the other reindeer, used to laugh and call him names С They wouldn't let poor Rudolph play in any reindeer games F Em7 Dm7 G7 С Then one foggy Christmas Eve, Santa came to say G7 Em Am7 **D**7 Dm7 G7 Rudolph with your nose so bright, won't you guide my sleigh tonight? С G7 Then all the reindeer loved him and they shouted out with glee Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer, you'll go down in history

Run Run Rudolph

Chuck Berry

(Intro over the C chord) F С Out of all the reindeers you know you're the mastermind G Run, run Rudolph, Randolph ain't too far behind С F С Run, run Rudolph, Santa's gotta make it to town F С Santa, make him hurry, tell him he can take the freeway down С G Run, run Rudolph 'cause I'm reelin' like a merry-go-round С F С Said Santa to a boy child, "What have you been longin' for?" F "All I want for Christmas is a rock and roll electric guitar" G And then away went Rudolph, whizzin' like a shootin' star CHORUS SOLO CHORUS С С F Said Santa to a girl child, "What would please you most to get?" F С "A little baby doll that can cry, sleep, drink and wet" G С And then away went Rudolph, whizzin' like a Saber jet

CHORUS

Santa Claus Is Coming to Town

J. Fred Coots/ Henry Gillespie ©1934

G С You better watch out, you better not cry G С Better not pout, I'm telling you why G **D**7 G D7 Santa Claus is coming to town G Em Am DG D7 (alternate: Santa Claus is coming to town)

G С He's making a list, and checking it twice G С Gonna find out who's naughty and nice G G D7 **D7** Santa Claus is coming to town Am DG G Em D7 (alternate: Santa Claus is coming to town)

G7CHe sees you when you're sleepingG7CHe knows when you're awakeA7DHe knows if you've been bad or goodA7D7So be good for goodness sake

С G Oh! You better watch out, you better not cry G С Better not pout, I'm telling you why G D7 G D7 Santa Claus is coming to town G Em Am DG **D**7 (alternate: Santa Claus is coming to town)

Silent Night

Traditional

G D G Silent night, holy night! all is calm, all is bright С С G G Round yon virgin, mother and child, holy infant so tender and mild G Em D Sleep in heavenly peace G D G Sleep in heavenly peace

G D G Silent night, holy night, shepherds quake at the sight, С G С G Glories stream from heaven afar, heavenly hosts sing Hallellujah G Em D Christ the Saviour is born! G G D Christ the saviour is born

G D G Silent night, holy night! Son of God love's pure light С G С G Radiant beams from thy holy face, with the dawn of redeeming grace, D G Em Jesus lord at thy birth! G D G Jesus lord at thy birth

We Wish You A Merry Christmas

Traditional

GCAmD7We wish you a merry Christmas, we wish you a merry ChristmasB7EmCD7GWe wish you a merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year

GDCDGood tidings we bring, to you and your kinGCD7GGood tidings for Christmas and a happy New Year

GCAmD7Oh, bring us a figgy pudding, oh, bring us a figgy puddingB7EmCD7GOh, bring us a figgy pudding and a cup of good cheer.

GCAmD7We won't go until we get some, we won't go until we get someB7EmCD7GWe won't go until we get some, so bring some out here.

GCAmD7We wish you a merry Christmas, we wish you a merry ChristmasB7EmCD7GWe wish you a merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year