

# CHRISTMAS JOY/JOY TO THE WORLD

Chorus:

Christmas joy comes from Jesus  
That's one thing I know  
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Never let it go  
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It's hard to find in a busy shopping mall  
Or underneath a Christmas tree  
Those temporary things soon fade away  
But Jesus' joy will last forever  
It will never leave

(Repeat Chorus)

It's hard to find with family and friends  
'Cause disappointments, they will come  
The season that we celebrate  
It's Jesus' joy, a baby boy  
The birthday of God's Son

(Repeat Chorus)

Joy to the world, the Lord is come  
Let earth receive her King  
Let every heart prepare Him room  
And Heaven and nature sing  
And Heaven and nature sing  
And Heaven and Heaven and nature sing

He rules the world with truth and grace  
And makes the nations prove  
The glories of His righteousness  
And wonders of His love  
And wonders of His love  
And wonders and wonders of His love

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# CANDY CANE

Every year at Christmastime  
We'd decorate our tree  
With candy canes both large and small  
It was such a sight to see

And then we'd hear a story  
And our mom would explain  
The legend how it came to be  
The Christmas candy cane

Chorus:

J is for Jesus and I do believe  
Red is for His blood He gave for me  
White stands for holiness and setting people free  
And the staff is for the Shepherd  
I'll follow as He leads

And if we taste the candy cane  
Like Jesus' love is sweet  
A foundation that's solid  
A rock beneath my feet

And by His stripes we know  
The sinless life He paid  
The Trinity is three in one  
For the love He gave

(Repeat Chorus)

## ANGEL BAND

There had to be an angel band  
On the night that He was born  
There had to be an angel band  
To celebrate and adore  
There had to be an angel band  
A big party, there's no doubt  
There had to be an angel band  
They had to let the animals out

With trumpets sounding  
Drums a-pounding  
Flutes resounding  
Praises to the Lord  
With all the new strings  
Playing to the King of Kings  
With our harps we'll bring  
Praises to the Lord

Hark the herald angels sing  
Glory to the newborn King  
Peace on earth and mercy mild  
God and sinners reconciled  
Joyful all ye nations rise  
Join the triumph of the skies  
With angelic host proclaim  
Christ is born in Bethlehem  
Hark the herald angels sing  
Glory to the newborn King

Angels we have heard on high  
Sweetly singing o'er the plains  
And the mountains in reply  
Echo back their joyous praise

Gloria in excelsis Deo  
Gloria in excelsis Deo

# CAMELS ARE COMING

Look up, your camels are comin'  
Come, look over there  
Look up, your camels are comin'  
Bringing gifts to share

Look up, your camels are comin'  
Rich treasures they will bring  
Look up, your camels are comin'  
Rejoice with us and sing

Chorus:

Giddy up, giddy up, ride 'em  
On to Bethlehem  
Giddy up, giddy up, ride 'em  
God will provide for them

Look up, your camels are comin'  
With gifts from afar  
Look up, your camels are comin'  
Guided by a star

Look up, your camels are comin'  
In the Bible you will read  
Look up, your camels are comin'  
Whatever you may need

Look up, your camels are comin'  
The gift has been paid  
Look up, your camels are comin'  
The way for you is made

Look up, your camels are comin'  
There's a way to get through  
Look up, your camels are comin'  
God will provide for you

# GO TELL IT

While shepherds kept their watching  
O'er silent flocks by night  
Behold throughout the heavens  
There shone a holy light

Chorus:

Go tell it on the mountain  
Over the hills and everywhere  
Go tell it on the mountain  
That Jesus Christ is born

I want to go down to Mexico  
Playin' with a Mariachi band  
With a steel guitar underneath the stars  
Playing Feliz Navidad in the sand (Feliz Navidad!)

(Repeat Chorus)

I want to go down to Waikiki  
With my hula skirt and my ukulele  
Mele kalikimaka  
Christmas even comes in Hawaii  
And you can even hang your stockings

(Repeat Chorus)

I'll do my karaoke  
Yes I can  
With my Korean band  
With my big and little band

(Repeat Chorus)

I want to go down to Africa  
Where the rhythm and beat will move with ya  
In the air, everywhere  
Dancing feet that go and share

(Repeat Chorus)

In Germany was the first Christmas tree  
Handel lived there, Messiah in the air  
They do the Polka and they really rock  
Germany rocks!

(Repeat Chorus 2X)

## FAVORED ONE/WHAT CHILD IS THIS?

What Child is this who laid to rest  
On Mary's lap is sleeping  
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet  
While shepherds watch are keeping  
This, this is Christ the King  
Whom angels guard and angels sing  
Haste, haste to bring Him laud  
The Babe, the Son of Mary

She went about her Mary way  
But an angel said, "I've come today  
Oh favored one, God will use you"  
The angel stayed and did explain  
"You'll have a child and bear God's name"  
And so she sang a song of love brand new

Chorus:

And she sang  
"Oh my soul glorifies my Lord  
I rejoice in God my Savior  
Oh look what you've done  
I will bear God's Son  
And I will serve You forever  
I will serve You forever"

At first she said, "Oh who am I  
To be chosen, oh Lord on high?  
How can I be Your favored one?"  
But she was faithful in all her days  
To follow God in all His ways  
And to the Lord she gave her precious Son

(Repeat Chorus)

# UNWRAP THE GIFT

Well we all like to open our gifts  
From family and friends  
Well we love to read those Christmas cards  
A special loved one sends  
It's a season gift to all of us it's not under a tree  
It can't be made or bought anywhere  
Or found in a family  
This Christmas gift is Jesus  
We're reminded of His love (it's Jesus)  
He gave eternal joy through a little baby boy  
He was sent from heaven above

Chorus:

Unwrap the gift of Christmas  
All that God has for you  
His blessings are endless  
Each day the whole year through  
God will never leave oh it's hard to believe  
And your gonna be free  
And He knows what you need  
Unwrap the gift Unwrap the gift  
Unwrap the gift of Christmas and see J-E-S-U-S

Unwrap Unwrap  
J-E-S-U-S  
Unwrap Unwrap  
J-E-S-U-S  
Unwrap Unwrap  
J-E-S-U-S  
Unwrap Unwrap

Well we should know this Christmas gift  
Is better than anything  
He gave us eternal life  
And we'll never be the same  
When God chose this special gift  
It was you He had in mind  
Yeah you gotta trust and open it up  
His love and joy you'll find  
This Christmas gift is Jesus  
We're reminded of His love  
He gave eternal joy through a little baby boy  
He was sent from heaven above

(Repeat Chorus)

# HERE IN A CHILD

Born in Bethlehem  
A miracle so small  
Who would have thought this baby born  
Would come to save us all

God sent this little one  
As host of angels sang  
Joy to the world for the Savior's birth  
And now I know His name

Chorus:

Jesus, Immanuel  
Joy of christmas smiles  
Jesus, God with us  
God's presence has come  
Here in a child

Look at those tiny hands  
The carpenter soon to be  
The one to help us understand  
that came for you and me

(Repeat Chorus)

Take the hand of Jesus  
More than a mornin' star  
Not just for the manger  
Hold Him in your heart

(Repeat Chorus 2x)



# SHEEP PARTY

The sheep were lost in the middle of night  
A star was shining oh so bright  
The Shepherds lead them to a light  
Singing Hallelujah Singing Hallelujah

Chorus:

Now it's a sheep party like never before  
They lead 'em in through the old barn door  
There's no sheep walking anymore  
Yea the animals sing  
To the King  
Creation brings  
It's praise to the Lord

Once they were lost but now they're found  
God's own son to gather round  
In Bethlehem, the party town  
Singing Hallelujah Singing Hallelujah

Jesus is the gift for me  
He is Christmas I believe  
More than gifts or a Lamborghini  
Singing Hallelujah, Singing Hallelujah

Bridge:

Up in the attic  
And way up high  
Down in the manger Jesus lies  
The shepherds and the kids  
And the wise guys  
Singing Hallelujah (Hallelujah)

(Repeat Chorus)

The sheep were lost in the middle of the night  
The star was shining oh so bright  
The shepherds led them to a light  
Singing hallelujah, singing hallelujah

# BEST STORY OF ALL

Santa Claus lives at the North Pole  
But Jesus lives everywhere I know  
That's the best story  
The best story of all

Santa rides a sleigh, Jesus rides the wind  
He walks on water and He's always my friend  
That's the best story  
The best story of all

Chorus:

So put the Christ back in Christmas  
In everything you do  
'Cause Jesus loves me and you

Santa Claus says you better not cry  
But Jesus said for those tears I died  
That's the best story  
The best story of all

Santa lets you sit on his lap  
But Jesus never leaves- how 'bout that  
That's the best story  
The best story of all

Bridge:

Love and joy and peace are free  
God's gift lasts for eternity  
The best, oh yes, I can give is me

To see Santa Claus you gotta wait in line  
But my Jesus, He's here all the time  
That's the best story  
The best story of all

That's the best story  
The best story of all

# PEACE ON EARTH BEGINS AT HOME

I just want a little peace but I am not alone  
I've just got one simple wish--God's peace in my home  
I can't stop the unrest or the fighting over there  
But I can do my very best to help peace begin here

Chorus:

You gotta do a little Christmas heart check with all your rushing all around  
Do a little Christmas heart check and His presence will be found  
So much to divide us and tear our world apart  
Peace on earth begins at home  
Peace on earth starts at home, peace in us lives at home  
Right here in my heart

Find a good tradition grandma can even do  
Kids love repetition, sing a carol or two  
The Charlie Brown Christmas tree looks better with cheap lights  
So when the baby cries again, forget those silent nights

(Repeat Chorus)

Well, I just want a little peace, I've got one Christmas pray'r  
On my list is a wish--peace and not despair  
But if we can't get along, we can't make amends  
Then how can we help this world and how can peace begin

(Repeat Chorus)

# IMAGINE A CHRISTMAS

Every year we looked outside  
For a fresh blanket of snow  
We all hoped for a "God-Surprise"  
That Jesus came to show

That He could bring a miracle  
To take away the pain  
'Cause He's the snow, the sinless child  
And someday we'll be changed

Chorus:

Imagine a Christmas that wiped the hurt away  
Imagine a Christmas for all the wrong He paid  
Imagine a snow that came - a baby so small  
Jesus wiped our tears away  
It's a white, white Christmas after all

Just like snow He'll meet us here  
As Jesus will return  
All sadness will disappear  
And to His arms I'll turn  
For He has washed me white as snow  
No hurt or sad goodbyes  
I'll join Him in the clouds above  
I'll dance and sing on high

(Repeat Chorus)

Merry Christmas

# JUST ONE

Just one can light the way, just one can kneel and pray  
Just one can come and say, Lord I love you  
Just one can light the way, just one can kneel and pray  
Just one can give Him praise- Lord, I love You

Chorus:

So I will be a candle in the darkest night  
And I will share the Savior's love and be a light  
And I will light the way to share His love for you  
And I will be a candle, and I will be a candle  
And I will light the way to You

# MANGER OF MY HEART

From the pasture to the stable God led me on that day  
To view the little lamb of God nestled in his hay  
I stand in awe to be here before a humble King  
Yet I know that He's my Savior and so my heart I bring

So the angels they were singing with starry skies above  
The news of His descending and the wonders of His love  
Viewing such a sight set my heart to dance with glee  
And the marvel He had chosen, a shepherd boy like me

Chorus:

So I bow to worship underneath that star  
So I bow to worship at the manger of my heart

As I knelt before the Christ child, God's Lamb sent from above  
Bowing in His presence my heart was filled with love  
Forever I will praise Him, true joy He did impart  
As I surrender all to the manger of my heart

(Repeat Chorus)

## CHRISTMAS BLESSING

May the joy of Christmas morning last the whole year through  
May each day be a celebration blessings for you  
May you find the sense of wonder the Christmas child can bring  
May your heart be filled with gladness and a joyful song to sing

May the story of Bethlehem take residence in you  
Inspire you to share this love in all you say and do  
May we guide them to the miracle underneath the Christmas star  
And throughout the New Year with the same love in our hearts

May the arms of the Savior unfold and see you through  
May you unwrap all the blessings one by one just for you  
May you give hope to the hopeless though your day might be long  
May the spirit of this season be your lifetime song

May the joy of Christmas morning  
Remain the whole year through