The Christmas Song
by Mel Torme and Bob Wells (1944)

Intro: C . . Am . . Dm . . G7 . . x 2

C G7 C G7 C C7 F E7
Chestnuts roasting on an open fire, Jack Frost nipping at your nose
Am Bb7 C B7 E6 Bb7 Cm7 G7 C
Yuletide carols being sung by a choir, and folks dressed up like Eskimos, everybody knows
G7 C G7 C C7 F E7
A turkey and some mistletoe, help to make the season bright.
Am Bb7 C B7 C G7 C C7
Tiny tots with their eyes all a-glow, will find it hard to sleep to-night.

Gm7 C7

Chorus: They know that Saaaanta’s on his way
Gm7 C7 Gm7 C7
He’s loaded lots of toys and goodies on his sleigh.
Fm Bb7 Cm7
and every mother’s child is gonna spy
Dm Bb7 G7
to see if reindeer really know how to fly

C G7 C G7 C C7 F E7
And so, I’m offering this simple phrase, to kids from one to ninety-two,
Am Bb7 C B7 C G7 C C7
Although it’s been said many times, many ways, Merry Christmas to you.

Chorus

C G7 C G7 C C7 F E7
And so, I’m offering this simple phrase, to kids from one to ninety-two,
Am Bb7 C B7 C Am
Although it’s been said many times, many ways, Merry Christ-mas …
C Am C Am Dm G7 C
Merry Christ-mas … Merry Christ-mas … to you.

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