

# The Christmas Song

## (Merry Christmas To You/Viele bunte Päckchen)

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### Slow Jazz Ballad

A Dm<sup>6</sup> A<sup>6</sup> F#m<sup>9</sup>/A G#<sup>7</sup> Em<sup>6</sup>/G F#<sup>7</sup> Dm<sup>6</sup>/F E<sup>7</sup> A<sup>6</sup> E<sup>7(sus4)</sup> E<sup>7</sup>

Tenor Ah Ah

Bass Ah Ah

Piano

5 A Bm<sup>7</sup> E<sup>7</sup> Amaj<sup>9</sup> E<sup>13(sus4)</sup> E<sup>13(b9)</sup> A A<sup>6</sup> Em<sup>7</sup> A<sup>9</sup> D G#m<sup>7(b5)</sup> G<sup>7</sup>

Chest - nuts roasting on an o - pen fire, Jack Frost nip - ping at your nose, oo  
Vie - le bun - te Päckchen in der Hand, geh ich durch die hel - le Stadt, oh

The musical score consists of three staves. The top staff is for Tenor, the middle for Bass, and the bottom for Piano. The piano part includes a bass line. The vocal parts sing in a slow jazz ballad style. The lyrics are integrated into the vocal parts. The piano part provides harmonic support with chords indicated by Roman numerals and some extended chords.

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9 F#m(add9) F#m<sup>7</sup>/E Dm<sup>6</sup> A<sup>6</sup> Amaj<sup>7(#11)</sup> G#<sup>7(b9)</sup> C#maj<sup>7</sup> C#<sup>6</sup> Dm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup>

Yule - tide car - ols be - ing sung by a choir and folks dressed up like Es - ki -  
die der Win - ter in ein Wun - der - land zur Weih - nachts - zeit ver - zau - bert

12 Cmaj<sup>7</sup> C<sup>6</sup> Bm<sup>7</sup> E<sup>7</sup> A Bm<sup>7</sup> E<sup>7</sup> Amaj<sup>9</sup> E13(sus4) E13(b9)

mos.\_\_\_\_ Ev - 'ry - bod - y knows a tur - key and some mist - le - toe,  
hat.\_\_\_\_ Und ich schau mir vie - le wun - der - schö - ne Din - ge an,

15 A Em<sup>7</sup> A<sup>9</sup> D G#m<sup>7(b5)</sup> G<sup>7</sup> F#m(add9) F#m<sup>7</sup>/E Dm<sup>6</sup> A<sup>6</sup> Amaj<sup>7(#11)</sup> G#<sup>7</sup>

help to make the sea - son bright, oo.\_\_\_\_ Ti - ny tots with their eyes all a - glow,\_\_\_\_ will  
die in all den Fenstern sind, oh,\_\_\_\_ wenn ich dir et - was schen - ken kann,\_\_\_\_ dann

19 C<sup>#</sup>m<sup>7(b5)</sup>/G F<sup>#</sup>7 Bm<sup>7(b5)</sup>/F E<sup>7</sup> A Em<sup>7</sup> A<sup>7</sup>

find it hard to sleep to - night.  
freu - e ich mich wie ein Kind.

They know that  
*Die Leu - te*

San - ta's on his  
schau'n so glücklich

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22 Em<sup>7</sup> A<sup>9</sup> Em<sup>7</sup> A<sup>7</sup> Dmaj<sup>9</sup>

way,  
drein,

he's load - ed  
als könn - te

lots of toys and good - ies on his sleigh.  
je - der heu - te selbst ein En - gel sein.

And ev - 'ry  
Fast wie ein

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25 Dm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7(b9)</sup>/D G<sup>7</sup> Cmaj<sup>9</sup> F<sup>#</sup>m<sup>11(b5)</sup> F<sup>7(#11)</sup>

noth-er's child is gon - na spy to see if rein-deer real - ly know how to  
'hnachts-mann komm'ich nach Haus und stell mir vor, du packst die Päckchen langsam

'ld is gon - na spy to see if rein-deer real - ly know how to  
'n komm'ich nach Haus und stell mir vor, du packst die Päckchen langsam

28 E<sup>7(sus4)</sup>  
fly.  
*aus.*

E<sup>13(b9)</sup> A Bm<sup>7</sup> E<sup>7</sup> Amaj<sup>9</sup> E<sup>13(sus4)</sup> E<sup>13(b9)</sup>

fly,  
aus, how to fly!  
*lang-sam aus!*

And so I'm offer-ing this sim-ple phrase \_\_\_\_\_ to  
Und vie - le bun - te Ku - geln glän-zen dann, \_\_\_\_\_ am

fly.  
*aus.*

31 A Em<sup>7</sup> A<sup>9</sup> D G#m<sup>7(b5)</sup> G<sup>9</sup> F#m G<sup>7</sup>

kids from one to nine - ty - two, oo, al - though it's been said man - y  
Tan - nen - baum bei dir und mir, oh, dann zün - den wir bei - de die

34 Amaj<sup>7</sup> G<sup>#7</sup> D<sup>7</sup> C#m<sup>7</sup> F#m<sup>7</sup> Dm/F E<sup>7(b9)</sup> A

times, man - y ways: "Mer - ry Christ - mas to you!"  
Lich - ter an: Fro - he Weih - nacht mit dir!