

WHEN CHRISTMAS COMES TO TOWN

Three-Part Mixed, accompanied

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Performance time: approx. 4:15

DESCANT

Gently (♩ = 72)

PART I
PART II

Gently (♩ = 72) (unison) *p* (ethereal)

Ah Ah

PART III

Gently (♩ = 72)

ACCOMP.

mp *p* (vocal cues)

5 (ethereal) *mp* 6

Ah Ah

5 *mp* 6 (lightly)

La la la la la la la la

6 G G9sus G G9sus G

8 (end descant)

8 *mp*

la la la la la la la I'm

8 (8va) G9sus G G9sus G

*If played on synthesizer, use the following sounds: celeste, electric piano and/or synth. bells.

11

wish - ing on a star and try - ing to be - lieve that

11

G9sus G G9sus G

p

13

e - ven though it's far, he'll find me Christ - mas Eve. *mp* I

13

G9sus G G9sus G

15

guess that San - ta's bus - y 'cause he's nev - er come a - round. I

15

Am D/F# G G/B C G/B

17 *mf*

think of him when Christ - mas comes to town.

mf

17 Am D7sus G G9sus G *mf*

19 20

The best time of the year, when ev-'ry-one comes home; with

19 G9sus G 20 G9sus G G9sus G

22

all this Christ-mas cheer it's hard to be a - lone.

22 G9sus G G9sus G

24

Put - ting up the Christ-mas tree with friends who come a - round, it's

24

Am7

D/F#

G

G/B

C

G/B

so much fun when Christ - mas comes to town.

26

so much fun when Christ - mas comes to town.

26

Am7

D9sus

Gsus

G

Pres - ents for the chil - dren wrapped in red and green;

28

Pres - ents for the chil - dren wrapped in red and green;

28

Eb

F/Eb

Dm7

Gm

Pres - ents for the chil - dren wrapped in red and green;

30

All the things_ I've heard a - bout_ but nev - er real - ly seen.

30 Eb F/Eb Dm7 Gm

32

No one will be sleep-ing on the night of Christ-mas Eve,_ hop - ing

32 Am7(b5) D/F# Gm Gm/F

34 (unis.) 36

San - ta's on his way. The best time of the year, when

34 Bbm7 Eb7 D9sus/A D9sus D7 36 G G9sus G

37

ev - 'ry - one comes home; with all this Christ-mas cheer it's

37

G9sus G G9sus G

39 40

hard to be a-lone. Put - ting up the Christ - mas tree with

39 40

G9sus G Am7 D/F#

41

friends who come a-round, it's so much fun when Christ-mas comes to

41

G G/B C G/B Am7 D9sus

43 44

town. _____ Pres-ents for the chil - dren wrapped in red and green;

Gsus G 44 E $\flat$ F/E $\flat$ Dm7 Gm

46

All the things I've heard a - bout but nev - er real ly seen.

E $\flat$ F/E $\flat$ Dm7 Gm

48

No one will be sleep-ing on the night of Christ-mas Eve, hop - ing

48 Am7(b5) D/F $\sharp$ Gm Gm/F

50

(unis.)

San - ta's on his way. When

50

Bbm7 Eb7 D9sus/A D9sus D7

52 DESCANT

Ah

52

San - ta's sleigh bells ring, I lis - ten all a-round. The

52

G G9sus G G9sus G

54 *(end descant)*

Ah

54 her - ald an - gels sing; I nev - er hear a sound. And

54 G9sus G G9sus G

56 all the dreams of chil - dren, once lost, will all be found. That's

56 Am7 D/F# G G/B C G/B

58

all I want when Christ-mas comes to town.

58

Am7 D9sus B/D# Em A 9

60

61 *decresc.* to

That's all I want when Christ - mas comes

decresc. to

60

61 Am7 D9sus

decresc.

63

town *mp* Ah

mp Ah

town. Ah Ah

63

G G9sus G G9sus G G9sus G

mp

66 DESCANT *mp* [67] *Ah* *Ah*

66 *mp* [67] *Ah*

66 G9sus G [67] G9sus G G9sus G *p*

69 (end descant)

69 *Ah*

69 G9sus G G9sus G 8va

71 *p* *Ah*

71 *p* *Ah*

71 (8va) G9sus G G9sus G

73 *rit.* *Ah*

73 G9sus G *rit.*

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