Newbury Ukulele Town Strummers

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Christmas Strumalong

Ruldoph the Red Nosed Reindeer
Silent Night
Mele Kalikimaka
Santa Claus is Coming to Town
Stop the Cavalry
Jingle Bell Rock
Blue Christmas
Little Drummer Boy
Rocking around the Christmas Tree
Jingle Bells
I’m Dreaming of a White Christmas
We Wish you a Merry Christmas
Rudolph The Red Nosed Reindeer

Intro (simple): \([G][G][G7][C]\) (last 2 lines)

\([C]\) Rudolph, the red-nosed \([C]\) reindeer
\([C]\) Had a very shiny \([G]\) nose,
\([G]\) And if you ever \([G]\) saw it,
\([G7]\) You would even say it \([C]\) glows.
\([C]\) All of the other \([C]\) reindeer
\([C]\) Used to laugh and call him \([G]\) names
\([G]\) They never let poor \([G]\) Rudolph
\([G7]\) Join in any reindeer \([C]\) games.

\([F]\) Then one foggy \([C]\) Christmas Eve
\([G]\) Santa came to \([C]\) say,
\([G]\) “Rudolph with your \([E7]\) nose so bright,
\([D]\) Won't you guide my \([G7]\) sleigh tonight?”
\([C]\) Then all the reindeer \([C]\) loved him
\([C]\) And they shouted out with \([G]\) glee,
\([G]\) "Rudolph the red-nosed \([G]\) reindeer,
\([G7]\) You'll go down in \([C]\) history!  Repeat from start to end
\{G7\} You'll \{G7\} go \{G7\} down \{G7\} in
\[G7\] his\[G7\] to \[C]\ ry! " , (G7)(C)

\([C]\) 4 beats \(\{C\}\) 2 beats \(\{C\}\) 1 beat

Intro: [G]  [D7]  [G]  [G] (last line of 1st verse)

[D] All is [D7] calm, [G] all is [G7] bright,

[D] Christ the [D7] saviour is [G] born [Em]

**Mele Kalikimaka**

Intro [D]........[F”m]........[Em]........[A7]........
A..B..C#..(bass run notes)

[D] Mele Kalikimaka is the [D] thing to say..on a
[D] bright Hawaiian Christmas [A7] day.......  
[A7] That’s the island greeting that [A7] we send to you...from the
[A7] land where palm trees [D] sway........  
{D} Here we know that {D7} Christmas will be [G]..green and bright..the
[B7] sun will shine by day and all the {E7}..stars at {A7} night.......  
[D] Mele Kalikimaka is Ha-[B7]-waii’s way..to
{Em} say “A Merry {A7} Christmas to [D] you”........

**Instrumental**

[D]..........[D]........[D]........[A7].......  
[A7]..........[A7]........[A7]........[D].......  
{D}.........{D7}.......[G]........[B7].........[E7]........{A7}....
[D]..........[B7].........{Em}........{A7}....[D].......  
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[A7] That’s the island greeting that [A7] we send to you...from the
[A7] land where palm trees [D] sway........  
{D} Here we know that {D7} Christmas will be [G]..green and bright..the
[B7] sun will shine by day and all the {E7}..stars at {A7} night.......  
[D] Mele Kalikimaka is Ha-[B7]-waii’s way..to
{Em} say “A Merry {A7} Christmas”..”A
{Em} Merry, Merry {A7} Christmas”, to {Em} say “A Merry
{A7} Christmas to [D] you”.......[D].........[D].........(D) (C”) (D)

[D] 4 beats {A} 2 beats (C) 1 beat
Santa Claus Is Coming To Town  writer:John Frederick Coots, Haven

Intro: {C} {Am} {F} {G} [C] [G dududuD]
(last line of 1st verse)

You [C] better watch out, you [F] better not cry,
You [C] better not pout, I'm [F] telling you why.
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to town
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{C} Santa {Am} Claus is {F} coming {G} to [C] town

*[G dududuD]*

He’s [C] making a list, he’s [F] checking it twice,
He’s [C] gonna find out who’s [F] naughty or nice.
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to town
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to town
{C} Santa {Am} Claus is {F} coming {G} to [C] town [C]

He {G} sees you {C} when you’re [F] sleeping,
He [C] knows when you’re [F] awake,
He [D] knows if you’ve been [G] bad or good
So be [D↓] good for goodness [G↓] sake,

Oh, you [C] better watch out, you [F] better not cry,
You [C] better not pout, I'm [F] telling you why.
[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to town
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{C} Santa {Am} Claus is {F} coming {G} to [C] town

*Repeat from * to end
*last time last line as follows:-*

{C} Santa {Am} Claus is {F} coming {G} to [C] town , G ↑↓ C↓
Stop The Cavalry - Jona Lewie

Time Signature: 2/4  [C] 2 beats {C} 1 beat

Strum  
P  D  P  D

Count  
1 & 2 &

Sound  
Ta ta Ta ta

Intro:- [A] [E7] [A] [E7]

[A] Hey Mister Churchill [E7] comes over here
[A] To say we're doing [E7] splendidly,
[A] But it's very cold [E7] out here in the snow
[A] Oh I say it's tough, [E7] I have had enough
{A} Can you stop the {E7} cavalry? [A]

[A] I have had to fight [E7] almost every night
[A] Down throughout the [E7] centuries
[A] That is when I say, [E7] oh yes yet again
{A} Can you stop the {E7} cavalry? [A]

[E7] Mary proudly [A] waits at home
[E7] In the nuclear [A] fallout zone
[E7] Wish I could be [A] dancing now,
[E7] In the arms of the [A] girl I love. [A]

[D] Dub-a-dub-a-dum-dum, [A] Dub a dub-a-dum
[D] Dub-a-dub-a-dum-dum, [A] Dub a dub-a-dum
[G] Wish I was at home ... [G] for [D] Christmas...[D] {A}
[A] Bang goes another bomb [E7] on another town
[A] While the Czar and [E7] Jim have tea
[A] I’ll run for all [E7] pres-i-den-cies
[A] If I get elected [E7] I’ll stop
{A} Can you stop the {E7} cavalry? [A]

[A] dum-dum-dub-a-dum, [A] Dub a dub-a-dum
[A] dum-dum-dub-a-dum, [A] Dub a dub-a-dum
[G] Wish I was at home ... [G] for [D] Christmas... [D]

[E7] Wish I could be [A] dancing now,
[E7] In the arms of the [A] girl I love.
[E7] Mary proudly [A] waits at home
[E7] She\'s been waiting [A] two years long [A]
[G] Wish I was at home ... [G] for [D] Christmas... [D] {A}

Grove of 78
Jingle Bell Rock [C] 4 beats {C} 2 beats (C) 1 beat

Intro {G}....{Gmaj7}....{G6}....{Gmaj7}....{G}....{Gmaj7}....{G6}....{Gmaj7}....

{G} Jingle bell {Gmaj7} jingle bell {G6} jingle bell {Gmaj7} rock..
{G6} Jingle bell {Gmaj7} swing and {Am} jingle bells {D7} ring..
{Am} Snowin' and {D7} blowin' up {Am} bushels of {D7} fun..
{A7}..Now the jingle hop [D] has begun..

{G} Jingle bell {Gmaj7} jingle bell {G6} jingle bell {Gmaj7} rock..
{G6} Jingle bells {Gmaj7} chime in {Am} jingle bell {D7} time..
{Am} Dancin' and {D7} prancin' in {Am} jingle bell {D7} square..
{A7}..In the {D7} frosty {G} air {G7}..

What a [C] bright time it's the [Cm] right time..
To [G] rock the night away [G7]........
Jingle [A] bell time is a [A7] swell time....
{D7}↓ To go glidin' in a (D+)↓ one horse sleigh

{G} Giddy-up {Gmaj7} jingle horse {G6} pick up your {Gmaj7} feet..
{G6} Jingle a-{Gmaj7}-round the [E7] clock......
[C] Mix and mingle in a [Cm] jinglin' beat...
{A7}.That's the {D7} jingle bell [G] rock..

Instrumental
{G} Jingle bell {Gmaj7} jingle bell {G6} jingle bell {Gmaj7} rock..
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[C] Mix and mingle in a [Cm] jinglin' beat...
{A7}.That's the {D7} jingle bell
{A7}.That's the {D7} jingle bell
{A7}.That's the {D7} jingle bell (G)↓ rock (D)↓(G)↓
Blue Christmas – writer: Billy Hayes and Jay W. Johnson

I'll have a [D] blue Christmas with-[A] out you,
I'll be so blue just [A7] thinking a-[D] bout you. [D7]
[E7] Won't be the same dear, if [A] you're not here with [A7] me.

And when those [D] blue snowflakes start [A] fallin’
That’s when those blue [A7] memories start [D] callin’ [D7]
You’ll be [D] doin’ all [D7] right with your
But [A] I’ll have a blue, blue, blue, blue [D] Christmas. [A]

[D] Mmm mm mm mm [D] Mmm mm mm mm mm
[A] Mmm mm mm mm [A] Mmm mm mm mm mm
[A7] Mmm mm mm mm [A7] Mmm mm mm mm mm
[D] Mmm mm mm mm mm mm

I'll have a [D] blue Christmas that's [A] certain
And when that blue [A7] heartache starts [D] hurtin'
You’ll be [D] doin’ all [D7] right with your
But [A] I’ll have a blue, blue, blue, blue [D] Christmas.

Repeat
Little Drummer Boy – writer: Katherine Kennicott Davis

Intro: [C] / / / | / / / / | x2

[C] Come they told me, pa [Csus4] rum pum pum [C] pum
A new born King to see, pa [Csus4] rum pum pum [C] pum
[G] Our finest gifts we bring, pa rum pum pum [G7] pum [C]
To lay be[C7]fore the King, pa rum pum pum [F] pum,
rum pum pum [C] pum, rum pum pum [G] pum,
[C] So to honour Him, pa [Csus4] rum pum pum [C] pum,
Little Baby, pa [Csus4] rum pum pum [C] pum

I am a poor boy too, pa [Csus4] rum pum pum [C] pum
[G] I have no gift to bring, pa rum pum pum [G7] pum [C]
That's fit to [C7] give the King, pa rum pum pum [F] pum,
rum pum pum [C] pum, rum pum pum [G] pum,
[C] Shall I play for you, pa [Csus4] rum pum pum [C] pum,
[G7] On my [C] drum?

The ox and lamb kept time, pa[Csus4]rum pum pum [C] pum
[G] I played my drum for Him, pa rum pum [G7] pum pum [C]
I played my [C7] best for Him, pa rum pum pum [F] pum,
rum pum pum [C] pum, rum pum pum [G] pum,
[C] Then He smiled at me, pa [Csus4] rum pum pum [C] pum
**Rockin' Around The Christmas Tree**  writer:Johnny Marks

[C] 4 beats (C) 1 beat

[G] Rockin’ around the Christmas tree, 
let the [D] Christmas spirit ring. 
Later we’ll have some pumpkin pie 
and we’ll do some caro-[G]ling.

[C] You will get a sentimental [Bm] feeling when you hear...
[C] Voices singing, “Let’s be jolly. 
[A7] Deck the halls with [D] boughs of holly.”

[G] Rockin’ around the Christmas tree, 
have a [D] happy holiday. 
Ev’ryone dancing merrily 
in the new old fashioned [G]way.

[C] You will get a sentimental [Bm] feeling when you hear...
[C] Voices singing, “Let’s be jolly. 
[A7] Deck the halls with [D] boughs of holly.”

(A7) Fa la la la (D) laaa, la la (A7) la (D) laa

[G] Rockin’ around the Christmas tree, 
have a [D] happy holiday. 
Ev’ryone dancing merrily in the 
(Slow) new old fashioned [G] way. [D] [G]
Jingle Bells

[C] Dashing through the snow, In a one-horse open [F] sleigh,
Across the fields we [G7] go, Laughing all the [C] way (Ho, Ho, Ho)
Bells on bobtails ring, Making spirits [F] bright,
What fun it is to [G7] ride and sing a sleighing song [C] tonight [G7] Oh!

[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the [C7] way,
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride
In a [D7] one-horse open [G7] sleigh, hey!
[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the [C7] way,

A [C] day or two ago, I thought I’d take a [F] ride,
And soon Miss Fannie [G7] Bright was seated by my [C] side
The horse was lean and lank, misfortune seemed his [F] lot
He got into a [G7] drifted bank and we, we got up[C]sot [G7] Oh!

[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the [C7] way,
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride
In a [D7] one-horse open [G7] sleigh, hey!
[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the [C7] way,

[C] Now the ground is white, go it while you’re [F] young
Take the girls to[G7]night and sing this sleigh-ing [C] song
Just get a bob-tailed bay, two forty as his [F] speed

[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the [C7] way,
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride
In a [D7] one-horse open [G7] sleigh, hey!
[C] Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the [C7] way,
[F] Oh, what fun it [C] is to ride,

In a [G7] one- horse op - en  [C] sleigh.  [C][G7]  [C]
I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas

[G] I’m dreaming of a [Am] white [D] Christmas,
[C] Just like the [D] ones I used to [G] know,
Where the tree tops [G7] glisten and [C] children [Cm] listen,
To [G] hear [Em] sleigh bells in the [Am] snow. [D]

[G] I’m dreaming of a [Am] white [D] Christmas,
[C] With every [D] Christmas card I [G] write,
May your days be [G7] merry and [C] bright [Cm]
And may [G] all your [Am] Christmasses [D] be [G] white. [D]

Instrumental:- (harmonica, uke or humming)

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Where the tree tops [G7] glisten and [C] children [Cm] listen,
To [G] hear [Em] sleigh bells in the [Am] snow. [D]

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Where the tree tops [G7] glisten and [C] children [Cm] listen,
To [G] hear [Em] sleigh bells in the [Am] snow. [D]

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[C] With every [D] Christmas card I [G] write,
May your days be [G7] merry and [C] bright [Cm]
And may [G] all your [Am] Christmasses [D] be [G] white. [Cm] (G)/
We Wish You A Merry Christmas

We [C] wish you a merry [F] Christmas,
We [D] wish you a merry [G] Christmas,
We [E] wish you a merry [Am] Christmas and a

Good tidings we [G] bring to [Am] you and your [G] kin,
We [C] wish you a merry [G] Christmas and [D] a

Oh [C] bring us some figgy [F] pudding,
Oh [D] bring us some figgy [G] pudding,
Oh [E] bring us some figgy [Am] pudding,

Good tidings we [G] bring to [Am] you and your [G] kin,
We [C] wish you a merry [G] Christmas and [D] a

We [C] won’t go until we [F] get some,
We [D] won’t go until we [G] get some,
We [E] won’t go until we [Am] get some,

Good tidings we [G] bring to [Am] you and your [G] kin,
We [C] wish you a merry [G] Christmas and [D] a