HOLIDAY SONGS

FOR THE UKULELE
Feliz Navidad

Intro:
C F G7 C
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C F G7
Feliz Navidad
C
Feliz Navidad
F
Feliz Navidad
G7 C
Prospero Ano y Felicidad.

C F G7
Feliz Navidad
C
Feliz Navidad
F
Feliz Navidad
G7 C
Prospero Ano y Felicidad.

C F G7
I wanna wish you a Merry Christmas
G7 C
I wanna wish you a Merry Christmas
F
I wanna wish you a Merry Christmas
G7 C
From the bottom of my heart.

C F G7
Feliz Navidad
C
Feliz Navidad
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Feliz Navidad
G7 C
Prospero Ano y Felicidad.

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Prospero Ano y Felicidad.
Feliz Navidad, Key of D

Intro:
D G A7 D
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D G A7
Feliz Navidad
D
Feliz Navidad
G
Feliz Navidad
A7 D
Prospero Ano y Felicidad.

D G A7
Feliz Navidad
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Feliz Navidad
G
Feliz Navidad
A7 D
Prospero Ano y Felicidad.

D G A7
I wanna wish you a Merry Christmas
A7 D
I wanna wish you a Merry Christmas
G
From the bottom of my heart.

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I wanna wish you a Merry Christmas
A7 D
I wanna wish you a Merry Christmas
G
I wanna wish you a Merry Christmas
A7 D
From the bottom of my heart.

D G A7
Prospero Ano y Felicidad.
Over the River and Through the Woods

Over the river and through the woods
To Grandmother's house we go
The horse knows the way to carry the sleigh
Through white and drifted snow

Over the river and through the woods
Oh how the wind does blow
It stings the toes and bites the nose
As over the ground we go

Over the river and through the woods
Trot fast my dapple gray
Spring o'er the ground just like a hound
For this is Christmas Day

Over the river and through the woods
And straight through the barn yard gate
It seems that we go so dreadfully slow
It is so hard to wait
CHRISTMAS IS COMING

D      G      A7      D
Christmas is coming, the goose is getting fat.

G      A7      D
Won't you please put a penny in the old man's hat.

D      G      A7      D
If you haven't got a penny, a ha' penny will do.

G      A7      D
If you haven't got a ha' penny, then God bless you.
JOY TO THE WORLD

D         A         D
Joy to the world! The Lord is come;
G          A         D
Let earth receive her King.

Let every heart prepare Him room,
And heav’n and nature sing,
And heav’n and nature sing.

D                   A         D
And heav’n and heav’n and nature sing.

A         D
Joy to the world! The Savior reigns;
G          A         D
Let men their songs employ.

While fields and floods
Rocks, hills and plains
Repeat the sounding joy
Repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

D                   A         D
He rules the world with truth and grace,
G          A         D
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.
SILENT NIGHT

D
Silent night, holy night

A7
Shepherds quake at the sight,

G
Glories stream from heaven afar,

D
Heavenly hosts sing Alleleulia

A7
Christ the Saviour is born!

A7
Christ the saviour is born.

D
Silent night, holy night

A7
Son of God, love's pure light

G
Radiant beams from Thy holy face

D
with the dawn of redeeming grace,

A7
Jesus Lord at thy birth,

A7
Jesus Lord at thy birth.

D
Sleep in heavenly peace,

A7
Sleep in heavenly peace.
Silent night, holy night

All is calm, All is bright

Round yon Virgin, Mother and Child

Holy Infant so tender and mild,

Sleep in heavenly peace,

Shepherds quake at the sight,

Glories stream from heaven afar,

Heavenly hosts sing Alleluia

Christ the Saviour is born!

Christ the saviour is born.

Son of God, love's pure light

Radiant beams from Thy holy face with the dawn of redeeming grace,

Jesus Lord at thy birth,

Jesus Lord at thy birth.
Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,
The little Lord Jesus laid down His sweet head;
The stars in the sky looked down where He lay;
The little Lord Jesus, asleep on the hay.

The cattle are lowing, the poor baby wakes.
But little Lord Jesus, no crying He makes;
I love Thee, Lord Jesus! Look down from the sky,
And stay by my cradle till morning is nigh.
G Come they told me,
C Pa rum pum pum pum pum
G A new born King to see,
C Pa rum pum pum pum
D7 Our finest gifts we bring,
G Pa rum pum pum pum
G To lay before the King,
C Pa rum pum pum pum,
G Rum pum pum pum,
D7 Rum pum pum pum,
G So to honor him
C Pa rum pum pum pum
D7 When we come.

G Baby Jesus,
C Pa rum pum pum pum
G I am a poor boy too,
C Pa rum pum pum pum
D7 I have no gift to bring,
G Pa rum pum pum pum
G That's fit to give the King,

C Pa rum pum pum pum,
G Rum pum pum pum,
D7 Rum Pum pum pum,
G Shall I play for you,
C Pa rum pum pum pum,
D7 On my drum?

G Mary Nodded,
C Pa rum pum pum pum,
G The ox and lamb kept time,
C Pa rum pum pum pum
D7 I played my drum for Him,
G Pa rum pum pum pum
G I played my best for Him,
C Pa rum pum pum pum,
G Rum pum pum pum,
D7 Rum pum pum pum,
G Then He smiled at me,
C Pa rum pum pum pum
D7 Me and my drum
DECK THE HALLS, Key of G

Old Welsh Air

G
Deck the halls with boughs of holly,
D7          G          D7          G
Fa la la la la, la la la la
G
Tis the season to be jolly,
D7          G          D7          G
Fa la la la la, la la la la
D7          G          D7          G
Don we now our gay apparel,
G          (*Em)          A7          D7
Fa la la la la la, la la la la
G
Troll the ancient Yuletide carol,
C          G          D7          G
Fa la la la la, la la la la
G
See the blazing Yule before us
D7          G          D7          G
Fa la la la la, la la la la
G
Strike the harp and join the chorus
D7          G          D7          G
Fa la la la la, la la la la
D7          G          D7          G
Follow me in merry measure
G          (*Em)          A7          D7
Fa la la la la la, la la la la
G
While I tell the Yuletide treasure
C          G          D7          G
Fa la la la la, la la la la

G
Fast away the old year passes,
D7          G          D7          G
Fa la la la la, la la la la
G
Hail the new, ye lads and lasses
D7          G          D7          G
Fa la la la la, la la la la
D7          G          D7          G
Sing we joyous all together,
G          (*Em)          A7          D7
Fa la la la la, la la la la
G
Heedless of the wind and weather
C          G          D7          G
Fa la la la, la la la la

* E minor is optional
**JINGLE Bells**

G
Dashing through the snow,  
C in a one-horse open sleigh,  
D7 O'er the fields we go,  
G laughing all the way,  
G Bells on bobtails ring,  
C making spirits bright,  
D7 What fun it is to ride and sing  
G a sleighing song tonight, oh  

**CHORUS:**  
G Jingle bells, jingle bells,  
G7 jingle all the way,  
C G Oh what fun it is to ride  
A7 D D7 in a one-horse open sleigh, hey,  
G Jingle bells, jingle bells,  
G7 jingle all the way,  
C G Oh what fun it is to ride  
D7 G in a one-horse open sleigh.  

Believe it or not, Jingle Bells, one of the most famous American Christmas songs, was originally written for Thanksgiving! The author and composer of Jingle Bells was a minister called James Pierpoint who composed the song in 1857 for children celebrating his Boston Sunday School Thanksgiving. The song was so popular that it was repeated at Christmas, and indeed, Jingle Bells has been reprised ever since. Christmas or Santa Claus to the delight of children of all ages!
TWELVE DAYS OF CHRISTMAS

G
On the FIRST day of Christmas,
D7  G
My true love gave to me
D7  G
a partridge in a pear tree.

G
On the SECOND day of Christmas,
D7     G
My true love gave to me
D7     G
Two turtle doves
G    D7    G
And a partridge in a pear tree

G
On the THIRD day of Christmas,
D7                     G
My true love gave to me
D7                     G
Three French hens,
D7                     G
Two turtle doves
G      D7      G
And a partridge in a pear tree

G
On the FOURTH day of Christmas,
D7                     G
My true love gave to me
D7                     G
Four calling birds.
C     G
Three French hens,
D7     G
Two turtle doves
D7     G
And a partridge in a pear tree

G
On the FIFTH day of Christmas,
A7     D7
My true love gave to me
A7     D7
Five golden rings.
G
Four calling birds.
C     G
Three French hens,
D7     G
Two turtle doves
D7     G
And a partridge in a pear tree

G
On the SIXTH day of Christmas,
A7     D7
My true love gave to me
A7     D7
Six geese a laying.
A7     D7
Five golden rings.
G
Four calling birds.
C     G
Three French hens,
D7     G
Two turtle doves
D7     G
And a partridge in a pear tree

G
On the SEVENTH day of Christmas,
A7     D7
My true love gave to me
A7     D7
Seven swans a swimming.
D7
Six geese a laying.
A7     D7
Five golden rings.
G
Four calling birds.
C     G
Three French hens,
D7     G
Two turtle doves
D7     G
And a partridge in a pear tree

-Eight maids a milking
-Nine ladies dancing
-Ten lords a leaping
-Eleven pipers piping
-Twelve drummers drumming
WE WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS

G            F          D7          G7           E7          Am            Dm
C                          F
We wish you a Merry Christmas,
D7                   G7
We wish you a Merry Christmas,
E7                         Am
We wish you a Merry Christmas,
F         G7    C
And a Happy New Year.

Chorus:
C                        G          D7                 G7
Good tidings we bring to you and your kin,
C                               G                   Dm     G7   C
We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

C            F
Now bring us some figgy pudding,
D7                           G7
Now bring us some figgy pudding,
E7                            Am
Now bring us some figgy pudding,
F        G7     C
And a cup of good cheer.

Chorus
C                                F
We won't go until we get some
D7                             G7
We won't go until we get some
E7                       Am
We won't go until we get some
F        G7  C
So bring it out here!

C                          F
We wish you a Merry Christmas,
D7                       G7
We wish you a Merry Christmas,
E7                         Am
We wish you a Merry Christmas,
F         G7    C
and a Happy New Year!
C
Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer,
G7
Had a very shiny nose,

And if you ever saw it,
C
You would even say it glows.

C
All of the other reindeer,
G7
Used to laugh and call him names,

They never let poor Rudolph,
C    C7
Join in any reindeer games.

F                  C                  Dm                  G7                  C
Then one foggy Christmas Eve, Santa came to say,
G                              D7                                      G7
"Rudolph with your nose so bright, won't you guide my sleigh Tonight?"

C
Then how the reindeer loved him,
G7
As they shouted out with glee,

"Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer,
C
You'll go down in history."

Rudolph came to life in 1939 when the Chicago-based Montgomery Ward company (operators of a chain of department stores) asked one of their copywriters, 34-year-old Robert L. May, to come up with a Christmas story they could give away to shoppers as a promotional gimmick. (The Montgomery Ward stores had been buying and giving away coloring books for Christmas every year, and May’s department head saw creating a giveaway booklet of their own as a way to save money.) May, who had a penchant for writing children’s stories and limericks, was tapped to create the booklet.
FOR AULD LANG SYNE

G           D7
Should auld acquaintance be forgot
G           C
And never brought to mind
G           D7
Should auld acquaintance be forgot
C           D7           G
For days of auld lang syne

G           D7
For auld lang syne, my dear,
G           C
For auld lang syne,
G           D7
We'll take a cup o'kindness yet
C           D7           G
For days of auld lang syne

G           D7
And ther's a hand, my trusty friend,
G           C
And gie's a hand o' thine;
G           D7
We'll tak' a cup o' kindness yet,
C           D7           G
For auld lang syne.

G           D7
Should auld acquaintance be forgot
G           C
And never brought to mind
G           D7
Should auld acquaintance be forgot
C           D7           G
For days of auld lang syne

"Auld lang syne" is a Scottish song used at the conclusion of any convivial evening, especially on New Year's Eve. "Auld lang syne" is literally "old long since," or "times gone by." The song we sing now is a version of an ancient song reworked by the 18th century Scottish bard Robbie Burns, a song he said "of olden times" which he took down from an old man's singing and then improved with the words we sing today.
DREYDL SONG

**CHORUS:**

C
Oh, drey-dl, drey-dl, drey-dl.
G7
I made it out of clay.

Oh, drey-dl, drey-dl, drey-dl.
C
Now drey-dl I shall play.

C
My drey-dl's always playful.
G7
It loves to dance and spin.

A happy game of drey-dl,
C
Come play, let's now begin.

**CHORUS:**

C
Oh, drey-dl, drey-dl, drey-dl.
G7
I made it out of clay.

Oh, drey-dl, drey-dl, drey-dl.
C
Now drey-dl I shall play.

C
I have a little drey-dl,
G7
I made it out of clay.

And when it's dry and ready.
C
Then drey-dl I shall play.

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C
It has a lovely body,
G7
With leg so short and thin,

And when it is all tired,
C
It drops and then I win.
Am
O Chanukah, O Chanukah,
Dm        Am
A festival of joy.
Am
A holiday, a jolly day,
Dm    Am
For every girl and boy.
Am
Spin the whirling dreydle,
Dm   Am
All week long.
Am
Eat the sizzling latkes.
E7    Am
Sing the happy songs.
Am
And while we are playing
Dm  Am
The candles burning low.
Am   Dm
One for each night.
Am   Dm
They will shed a sweet light,
Am   Dm   Am
To remind us of days long ago.
Dm   Am
The candles burning low.
Am   Dm
One for each night.
Am   Dm
They will shed a sweet light,
Am   Dm   Am
To remind us of days long ago.

Am
O Chanukah, O Chanukah,
Dm        Am
Come light the Menorah
Am
Let’s have a party,
Dm   Am
We’ll all dance the horah.
Am
Gather ‘round the table.
Dm   Am
We’ll give you a treat.
Am
Shiny tops to play with,
E7    Am
And pancakes to eat.
Am
Now light them, tonight then.
Dm  Am
The flickering candles in a row
Am   Dm   Am
Retell the story of God
Dm
In all His glory.
Am   Dm   Am
And dance by the candles’ cheering glow.
Am   Dm   Am
Retell the story of God
Dm
In all His glory.
Am   Dm   Am
And dance by the candles’ cheering glow.
O Chanukah, O Chanukah,
Come light the Menorah
Let's have a party,
We'll all dance the horah.
Gather 'round the table.
We'll all have a treat.
Dreidles to play with,
And latkes to eat.
And while we are playing
The candles are burning bright.
One for each night.
They shed a sweet light,
To remind us of days long ago.
One for each night.
They shed a sweet light,
To remind us of days long ago.
Dm
O Chanukah, O Chanukah,
Gm        Dm
Come light the Menorah
Dm
Let’s have a party,
Gm        Dm
We’ll all dance the horah.
Dm
Gather ‘round the table.
Gm        Dm
We’ll all have a treat.
Dm
Draedles to play with,
A7        Dm
And latkes to eat.
Dm
And while we are playing
Gm        Dm
The candles are burning bright.
Dm        Gm
One for each night.
Dm        Gm
They shed a sweet light,
Dm        Gm        Dm
To remind us of days long ago.
Dm        Gm
One for each night.
Dm        Gm
They shed a sweet light,
Dm        Gm        Dm
To remind us of days long ago.