

Mele Kalikimaka

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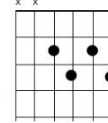
G G G7 Eaug Am7 D7 G^(1/2) Bbdim7^(1/2) D7

G G G G
 Mele Kalikimaka is the thing to say,
 G G^(1/2) Bbdim7^(1/2) D7 D7

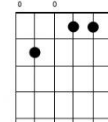
on a bright Hawaiian Christmas Day,
 D7 D7 Am7^(1/2) D7^(1/2) Am7^(1/2) D7^(1/2)
 that's the island greeting that we send to you from the
 Am7^(1/2) D7^(1/2) Am7^(1/2) D7^(1/2) G G
 Land where palm trees sway.

G7 G7 C C
 Here we know that Christmas will be green and bright,
 E7 E7 A7^(1/2) D7^(1/2) D7
 the sun will shine by day and all the stars at night,
 G G G^(1/2) G7^(1/2) Eaug7^(1/2) E7^(1/2)
 Mele Kalikimaka is Hawai i's way
 Am7 D7 G G
 to say "Merry Christmas to you."

Bbdim7



Eaug7



G G G G
 Mele Kalikimaka is the thing to say,
 G G^(1/2) Bbdim7^(1/2) D7 D7
 on a bright Hawaiian Christmas Day,
 D7 D7 Am7^(1/2) D7^(1/2) Am7^(1/2) D7^(1/2)
 that's the island greeting that we send to you from the
 Am7^(1/2) D7^(1/2) Am7^(1/2) D7^(1/2) G G
 Land where palm trees sway.

G7 G7 C C
 Here we know that Christmas will be green and bright,
 E7 E7 A7^(1/2) D7^(1/2) D7
 the sun will shine by day and all the stars at night,
 G G G^(1/2) G7^(1/2) Eaug7^(1/2) E7^(1/2)
 Mele Kalikimaka is Hawai i's way
 Am7 D7 Am7 D7
 to say "Merry Christmas, a very merry Christmas,
 Am7 D7 G G
 to say "Merry Christmas" to you.