

Santa Claus Is Coming to Town

by Fred Coots and Haven Gillespie (1932) (I, V)

C Am7 Dm7 G13

C C7 F Fm6
You'd better watch out, you'd better not cry

C C7 F Fm6
You'd better not pout, I'm telling you why

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Santa Claus is coming to town

C C7 F Fm6
He's making a list, he's checkin' it twice

C C7 F Fm6
He's gonna find out who's naughty and nice

C Am Dm G7 C Am7 C C7
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Gm7 C7 F Dm7
He sees you when you're sleeping

Gm7 C7 F Dm7
He knows if you're awake

Am7 D7 G E7
He knows if you've been bad or good

Am7 D7b5 G G7#5
So be good for goodness sake

Little tin horns, little toy drums.
Rudy-toot-toot and rummy tum tums.
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Little toy dolls that cuddle and coo,
Elephants, boats and kiddie cars too.
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The kids in Girl and Boy Land will have a jubilee.
They're gonna build a toyland town all around the Christmas tree.

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