

GROWN-UP CHRISTMAS LIST

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Gently ♩ = 66

Am G F Dm G G/B Csus C Am Em/G D/F#

Verse:

G Am G Am Am/C Em7 Am7

1. Do you re-mem - ber ___ me? I sat up - on ___ your knee; I

F C/E Dm G7sus G

wrote to you ___ with child - hood fan - ta - sies. ___ Well,

Verse:

C/G G Am Am/C Em7 Am7

2. I'm all grown _ up ___ now, and still need help _ some - how. I'm
3. chil - dren we ___ be - lieved the grand - est sight _ to see was

F C/E Dm Gsus G

not a child, _ but my heart still can dream. _ So,
 some - thing love - ly wrapped be - neath our tree. ___ Well,

C G Am C/G F(add2)

here's my life - long ___ wish, my grown - up Christ - mas list. Not
 heav - en sure - ly ___ knows that pack - ag - es ___ and bows can

F C/E Dm Gsus G

for my - self, _ but for a world in need. _
 nev - er heal _ a hurt - ing hu - man soul. _

rit.

Chorus:

A2 A F#sus F#m D B9 E7sus C#m7 F#m F#m7/E

No more lives _ torn a - part, _ that wars would nev - er start and time would heal _ all _

a tempo

Dsus2 A/E A F#m7 F#m7/E D B9 Esus

____ hearts. _____ And ev - 'ry-one would have a friend, _____ and right would al - ways

rit. *a tempo*

C#m7 F#m7 D#dim G#(5/9) Eaug/G# C#m7 F#m Bm7 E7sus

win, _____ and love would nev - er end. _____ This is _____ my grown - up Christ - mas

rit.

1. A C#/E# F#m A/C# D Bm7 Esus E

list. _____ As

a tempo

2. *Bridge:*
A A7sus D(add2)

list. _____ What is _____ this il - lu - sion called _____ the in - no - cence of youth? _____ May - be

a tempo

F#m7 B7sus B E G#sus G# D \flat Fm/A \flat B \flat m

on - ly in _ our blind be - lief can we ev - er _ find the truth.

rit. *a tempo*

B \flat m Fm7 G \flat (add2) G \flat D \flat /F E \flat m A \flat sus A \flat

rit.

Chorus:

B \flat sus2 B \flat Gsus Gm E \flat C9 F7sus Dm7 Gm7 Gm7/F

No more lives _ torn a - part, _ that wars would nev - er start and time would heal _ all _

a tempo

E \flat B \flat /F B \flat Gm7 Gm7/F

hearts. _ And ev - 'ry - one would have a friend, _

E \flat C9 F sus Dm7 Gm7

and right would al - ways win, and love would nev - er

Detailed description: This system contains the first two measures of the piece. The vocal line starts with a whole note rest, followed by eighth notes for the lyrics. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

Edim E \flat 7/A F aug/A Dm7 Gm Cm7 F7 sus

end, oh. This is my grown - up Christ - mas list.

Detailed description: This system contains measures 3 and 4. The vocal line continues with the lyrics. The piano accompaniment includes a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand and a bass line with chords.

Dm7 Gm Edim7 D \flat 9(#5) Dm7 Gm7 B \flat sus/C F sus F

This is my on - ly life - long wish. This is my grown-up Christ - mas

rit.

Detailed description: This system contains measures 5, 6, and 7. Measure 5 has a 2/4 time signature, measure 6 has a 2/4 time signature, and measure 7 has a 4/4 time signature. The piano accompaniment features triplets and a ritardando marking.

B \flat F6 Gm Dm7 E \flat (add2) F7 B \flat

list.

a tempo *rit.* *ten.*

Detailed description: This system contains measures 8, 9, and 10. The vocal line ends with a whole note. The piano accompaniment includes a tempo change to 'a tempo' and a 'rit.' marking, ending with a 'ten.' marking.