

CHRISTMAS TIME'S A COMIN'

Benjamin "Tex" Logan (1951) sung by Emmylou Harris

Key: C **Start note:** C **Time:** 4/4 bouncy **Strum:** D_ du du du
Percussion: bells in some places

Intro: (second half of chorus) **C/// C/// G7// G7/// C/// C/// G7/// C!** 2,3,4
or play tabs:

The guitar tab shows the following notes for each measure:
Measure 1: 0 0 (C)
Measure 2: 0 3 (G7)
Measure 3: 2 0 (C)
Measure 4: 2 1 (G7)
Measure 5: 0 0 (C)
Measure 6: 0 3 (G7)
Measure 7: 3 3 (G7)
Measure 8: 0 3 0 2 0 (C)

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[C] Christmas time's a-comin, and I **[G7]** know I'm goin' **[C]** home. 2,3,4

1. **[C]** Snow flakes a-fallin', **[G7]** my old home's a-callin'
[C] Tall pine's a-hummin', 'cuz **[G7]** Christmas time's a-**[C]** comin' 2,3

CHORUS:with voice harmony

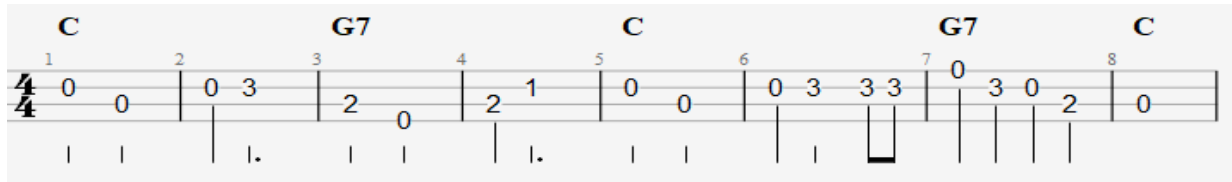
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2. **[C]** White candle's burnin', **[G7]** my old heart's a-yearnin'
[C] For all the folks back home when, **[G7]** Christmas time's a-**[C]**comin'
2,3,

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Picking: (some chording softly)



3. [C] Holly's in the window, [G7] home's where the wind blows
[C] Can't walk for runnin', 'cuz [G7] Christmas time's a-[C] comin' 2,3

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Outro:

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