

HAPPY CHRISTMAS/WAR IS OVER

words & music by John Lennon (1971)

Key: G **Start note:** D **Time:** 3/4 **Strum:** D d d D d d

Intro: G // G // Am // Am // D // D // G // G // (can be played with sus4 chords by adding the fourth note on the second chord of each group)

1. And so this is Christmas and what have you done?
Another year over.... And a new one just begun
And so this is Christmas, I hope you have fun.
The near and the dear ones..... The old and the young.

CHORUS:

A very merry Christmas..... And a happy New Year
Let's hope it's a good one..... Without any fear

2. And so this is Christmas..... For weak and for strong
For rich and the poor ones..... The road is so long
And so happy Christmas..... For black and for white
For yellow and red ones..... Let's stop all the fight.

CHORUS....

3. And so this is Christmas and what have we done?
Another year over.... And a new one just begun
And so happy Christmas..... We hope you have fun
The near and the dear ones..... The old and the young.

CHORUS....

CODA:

War is over..... If you want it..... War is overNow.....