O Little Town of Bethlehem

Verse 1

D Em
O little town of Bethlehem
D/A A D
How still we see thee lie
D D9/C B7 Em7
Above thy deep and dreamless

Above thy deep and dreamless sleep

D/A Asus4 A D
The silent stars go by
D Em6

D Em6 F#7
Yet in thy dark streets shineth
Bm G F#7

in everlasting Light

D G6 G#dim
The hopes and fears of all the years
D/A A7/6 D

Are met in thee tonight

Verse 2

D Em
For Christ is born of Mary
D/A A D

And gathered all above

D-D9/C B7 Em7

While mortals sleep the angels keep **D/A Asus4 A D**

Their watch of wondering love

D Em6 F#7

O Morning stars together

Bm G F#7

Proclaim the holy birth

D G6 G#dim

And praises sing to God the King **D/A A7/6 D**

And peace to men on earth

Verse 3 (a cappella)

How silently how silently
The wondrous gift is given
So God imparts to the human hearts
The blessings of His heaven
No ear may hear His coming
But in this world of sin
Where meek souls will receive Him
still The dear Christ enters in

Verse 4

D Em

O holy child of Bethlehem

D/A A D

Descend to us we pray

D-D9/C B7 Em7

Cast out our sin and enter in

D/A Asus4 A D

Be born in us today

D Em6 F#7

We hear the Christmas angels

Bm G F#7

The great glad tidings tell

D G6 G#dim

O come to us a bide with us

D/A A7/6-D

Our Lord Emanuel