

C-H-R-I-S-T-M-A-S

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Moderately

L. H. *mp* When

Verse (rather freely)

C F#m7-5 5fr. F7 5fr. C/E

I was but a young-ster, Christ-mas meant one thing, That

D#dim Dm7 Gaug Em7 A7

I'd be get-ting lots of toys that day. I

Dm7 G7 Em7 Am7

learned a whole lot dif-f'rent when Moth-er sat me down And





taught me to spell Christ-mas this way:

Chorus (moderately, in tempo)




"C" is for the Christ child born up - on this day;






"H" for her - ald an - gels in the night. N.C.




"R" means our Re - deem - er; "I" means Is - ra - el;




"S" is for the star that shone so bright.






"T" is for three wise men, They who trav-eled far.





"M" is for the man-ger where He lay. "A"'s for all He




stands for; "S" means shep-herds came, And that's why there's a






Christ - mas Day.