

(The Hawaiian Christmas Song)

Mele Kalikimaka

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Brightly

First system of musical notation (piano introduction). The treble and bass staves show a rhythmic pattern with eighth and sixteenth notes. Dynamics include *f* (forte) and *mf* (mezzo-forte).

Second system of musical notation. Includes a guitar chord diagram for G major. The lyrics are: "Me-le Ka-li-ki-ma-ka is the thing to say. On a bright Ha-".

Third system of musical notation. Includes guitar chord diagrams for G/B, Bbdim, and D7. The lyrics are: "wai-ian Christ-mas Day. That's the is-land greet-ing that we".

Fourth system of musical notation. Includes guitar chord diagrams for Am7, D7, and G9. The lyrics are: "send to you From the land where palm trees sway." The system ends with a 5-finger scale run.

G7 3fr. C 5fr.

Here we know that Christ-mas will be green and bright,

E7 A7 D7

The sun to shine by day and all the stars at night.

G G7 3fr. Eaug E7 Am7

Me-le Ka-li - ki - ma - ka is Ha - wai - i's way To say "Mer-ry

1. D7 G6 5fr. 2. G6 5fr.

Christ-mas to you." you."