PEACE CAROL

Key of C   Starting pitch G   ¾ time   Written by Bob Beers
Intro: [C] [C] [Dm] [Dm] [G7] [G7] [C] [C]   Recorded by John Denver & The Muppets, 1979

V1 The **[C]** garment of **[C]** life,   be it **[Dm]** tattered and **[Dm]** torn

The **[G7]** cloak of the **[G7]** soldier is **[F]** withered and **[C]** worn

But **[Am]** what child is **[Am]** this   that was **[Dm]** poverty-**[Dm]** born

The **[G7]** peace of **[G7]** Christmas **[C]** Day **[C]**
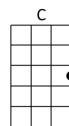
Harmony   The **[C]** branch that **[C]** bears the **[Dm]** bright hol-**[Dm]** ly

The **[G7]** dove that **[G7]** rests in **[F]** yonder **[C]** tree

The **[Am]** light that **[Am]** shines for **[Dm]** all to **[Dm]** see
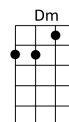
Unison   The **[G7]** peace of **[G7]** Christmas **[C]** Day **[C]**
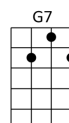
V2 The **[C]** hope that has **[C]** slumbered for **[Dm]** two thousand **[Dm]** years

A **[G7]** promise that silenced a **[F]** thousand **[C]** fears

A **[Am]** faith that can **[Am]** hobble an **[Dm]** ocean of **[Dm]** tears

The **[G7]** peace of **[G7]** Christmas **[C]** Day **[C]**
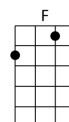
Harmony   The **[C]** branch that **[C]** bears the **[Dm]** bright hol-**[Dm]** ly

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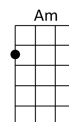
Unison   The **[G7]** peace of **[G7]** Christmas **[C]** Day **[C]**

V3 **[C]** Add all the **[C]** grief that **[Dm]** people may **[Dm]** bear

[G7] Total the **[G7]** strife, and the **[F]** troubles and **[C]** care

[Am] Put them in **[Am]** columns and **[Dm]** leave them right **[Dm]** there

The **[G7]** peace of **[G7]** Christmas **[C]** Day **[C]**

Harmony   The **[C]** branch that **[C]** bears the **[Dm]** bright hol-**[Dm]** ly

The **[G7]** dove that **[G7]** rests in **[F]** yonder **[C]** tree

The **[Am]** light that **[Am]** shines for **[Dm]** all to **[Dm]** see

Unison   The **[G7]** peace of **[G7]** Christmas **[C]** Day **[C]**

The **[C]** branch that **[C]** bears the **[Dm]** bright hol-**[Dm]** ly

The **[G7]** dove that **[G7]** rests in **[F]** yonder **[C]** tree

Harmony   The **[Am]** light that **[Am]** shines for **[Dm]** all to **[Dm]** see

Unison   (slowing) The **[G7]** peace of **[G7]** Christmas **[C]** Day **C/**

Each bracketed chord is 3 beats

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