

Bass Clef Instruments

***The Public Domain
Christmas Jazz Fakebook***

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***Melodies and chords to 23 Christmas songs
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Introduction:

When one finds oneself in the situation of playing a jazz gig near Christmas, it is quite nice to have in one's possession a fake book of Christmas songs with jazz changes. As there are so many Christmas songs in the public domain, it would be great if such a book could be free.

That is the intent of this book - provide lead sheets for Christmas gigs with basic jazz changes. This version is the third revised edition after substantially changing the chord progressions to make these songs easily readable. Additional editing was done by Gannon Phillips.

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Stephen Cox

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Angels We Have Heard On High

Traditional Carol

FMaj7 Am7 C7 FMaj7 D7b9 Gm7 C7 F6

First line of musical notation in bass clef, 4/4 time, key of B-flat major. The notes are: F2, F2, F2, G2, G2, F2, F2, G2, G2, F2.

FMaj7 Am7 C7 FMaj7 D7b9 Gm7 C7 F6

Second line of musical notation in bass clef, 4/4 time, key of B-flat major. The notes are: F2, F2, F2, G2, G2, F2, F2, G2, G2, F2.

Am7 D7#5 Gm7 C7 FMaj7 Bb6 Gm7 C7

Third line of musical notation in bass clef, 4/4 time, key of B-flat major. The notes are: G2, A2, Bb2, C3, C3, Bb2, A2, G2, G2, F2.

F6 D7b9 1. Gm7 C7 2. Gm7 C7 F6

Fourth line of musical notation in bass clef, 4/4 time, key of B-flat major. The notes are: F2, F2, F2, G2, G2, F2, F2, G2, G2, F2.

Auld Lang Syne

Traditional

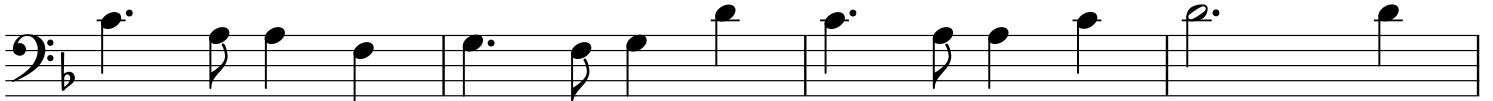
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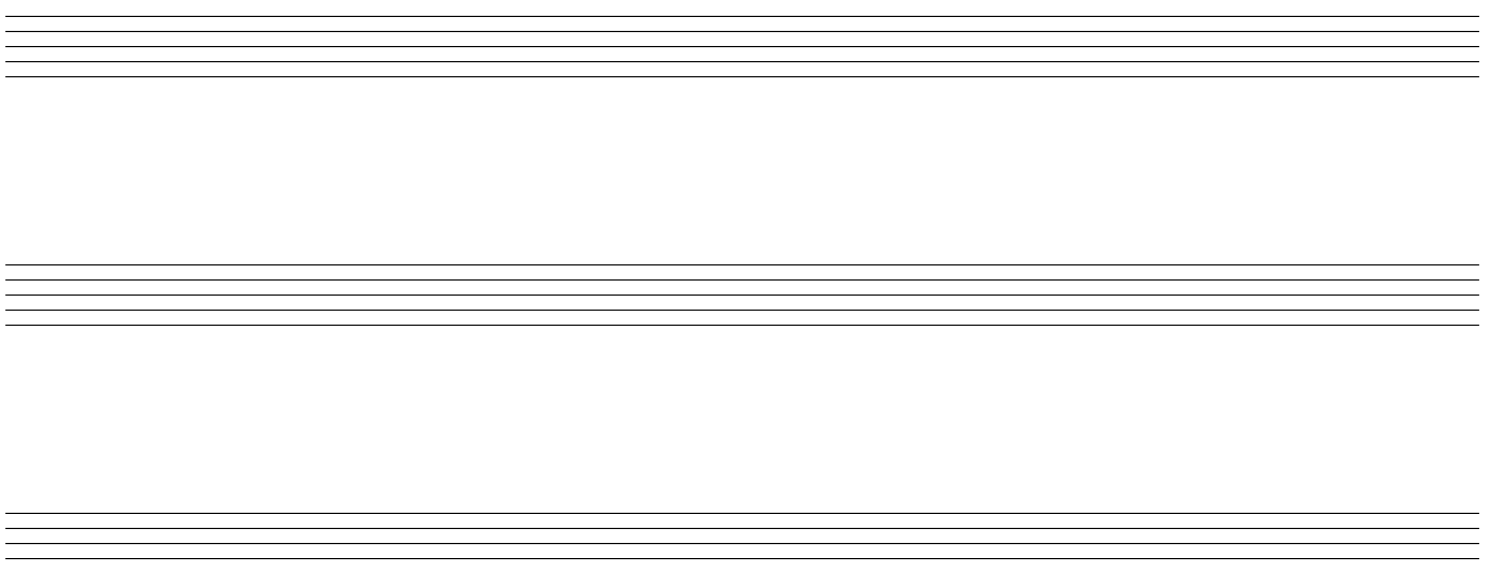
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FMaj7 Dm7 Gm7 C7 Dm7 Gm7C7 F6 (C7)




Away in a Manger

James Ramsey Murray


FMaj7 **Cm7** **BbMaj7** **FMaj7**



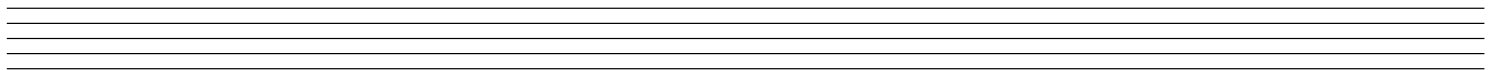
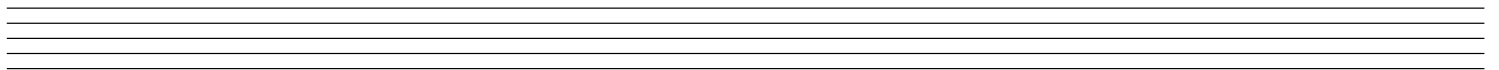
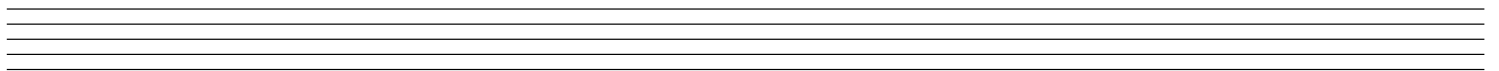

Gm7 **C7** **F6** **C7**



FMaj7 **Cm7** **BbMaj7** **FMaj7** **F#dim7**




Gm7 **C7** **Dm7** **Gm7** **C7** **F6 (C7)**




Carol of the Bells

James Ramsey Murray

Gm **Gm7/F** **E♭Maj7** **Gm7/D**



Gm **Gm7/F** **E♭Maj7** **Gm7/D**



Gm **Gm7/F** **E♭Maj7** **Gm7/D**



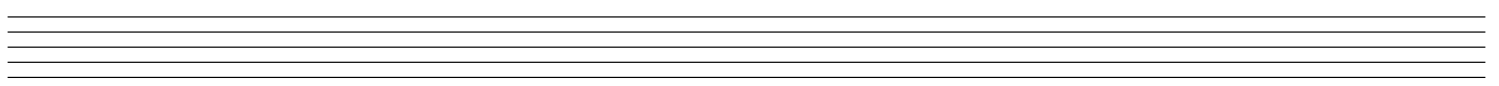
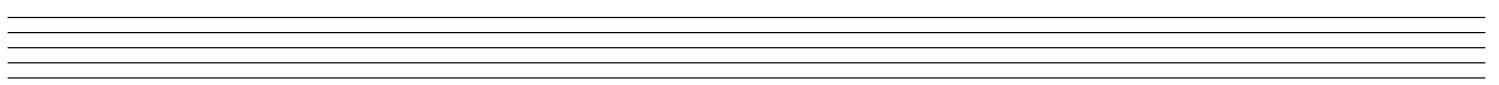
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DMaj7 **D7** **DMaj7** **D7**



Gm **Gm7/F** **E♭Maj7** **Gm**



Deck the Halls

Traditional

E^{Maj}7 D^m7^b5 D^b7 C^m7 F^m7 C^m7 F^m7 E^{Maj}7



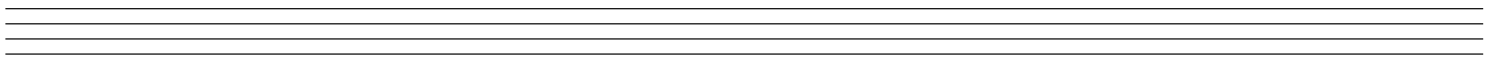
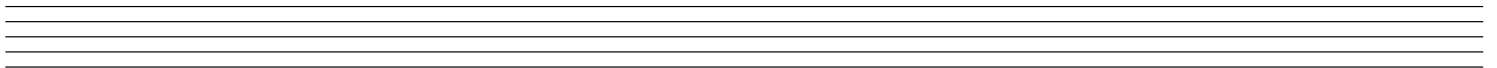
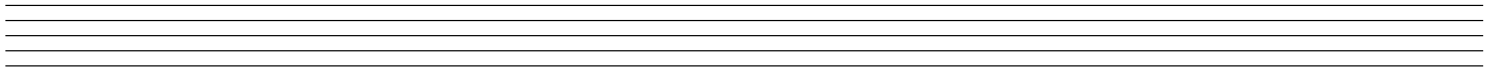
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F^m7 B^b7 G^m7 C^m7 G^m7 C^m7 F⁹ F^m7 B^b7



E^{Maj}7 D^m7^b5 D^b7 C^m7 A^bMaj7 C7 F^m7 B^b7 E⁶



God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen

Traditional English Carol

Dm7 **B \flat 7** **A7**

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Gm7 **Am7** **A7 \sharp 5** **Dm7** **C9sus** **C7 \flat 9**

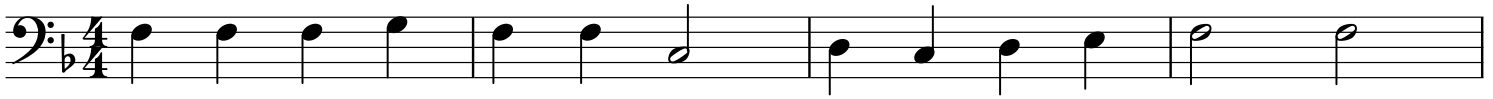
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F \sharp Maj7 **Em7 \flat 5** **A7 \sharp 5** **Dm7** **(Em7 \flat 5 A7 \sharp 5)**

Good King Wenceslas

Piae Cantiones 1582

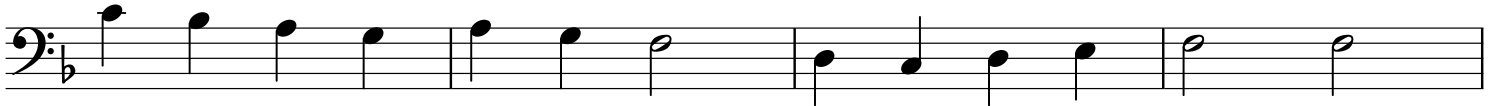
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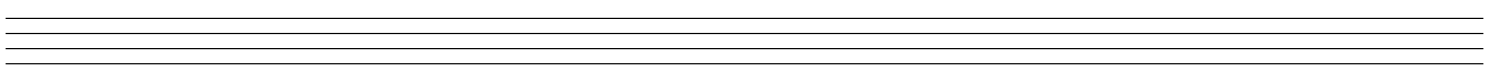
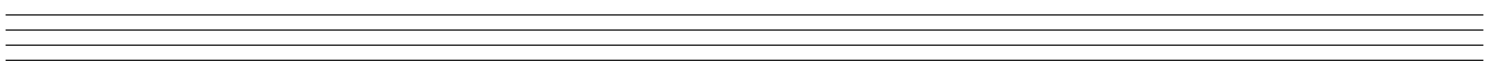
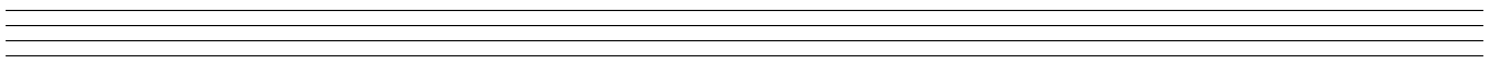
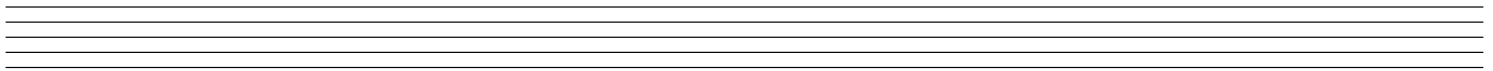
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FMaj7 Em7b5 Dm7 Dm7/C B♭Maj7 C7 F6



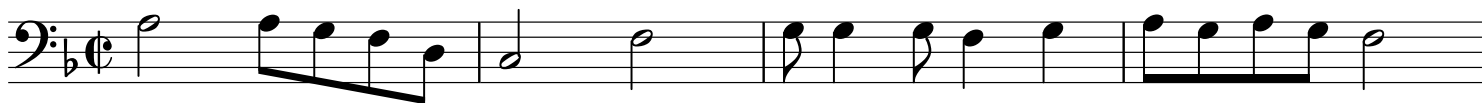
FMaj7 Gm7 Dm7 G7 B♭Maj7 C7 Dm7 Gm7 F6



Go Tell it on the Mountain

African American Spiritual

FMaj7 Gm7 Am7 Dm7 Gm7 C9 FMaj7



FMaj7 Gm7 Am7 Dm7 Gm7 C9 F6



FMaj7 Dm7 Gm7 C9 FMaj7



FMaj7 Dm7 G7 C7sus C7



FMaj7 Gm7 Am7 Dm7 Gm7 C9 FMaj7



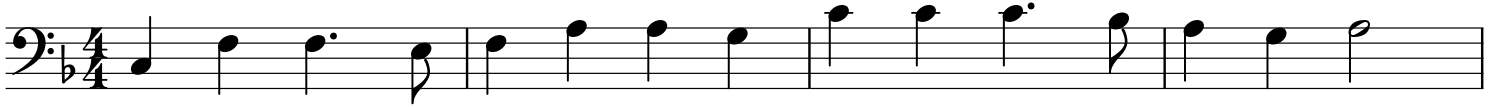
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Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Mendelssohn

FMaj7 Gm7 Am7 FMaj7 Am7 Dm7 C7 FMaj7



FMaj7 Gm7 Dm7 G7 C6 Am7 G7 C6



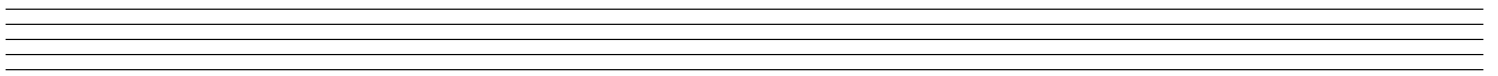
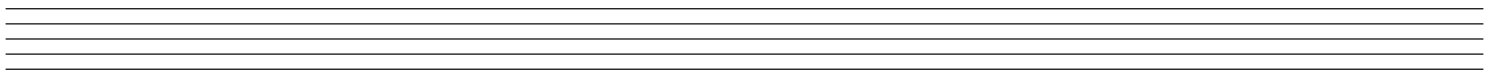
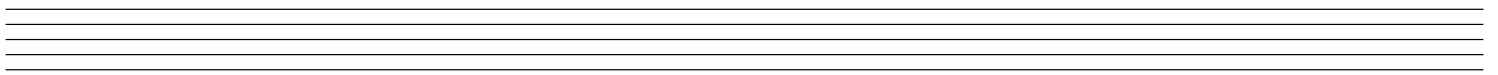
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BbMaj7 Gm7 C7 Am7 Gm7 C7 FMaj7



BbMaj7 Gm7 C7 Am7 Gm7 C7 F6



The Holly and the Ivy

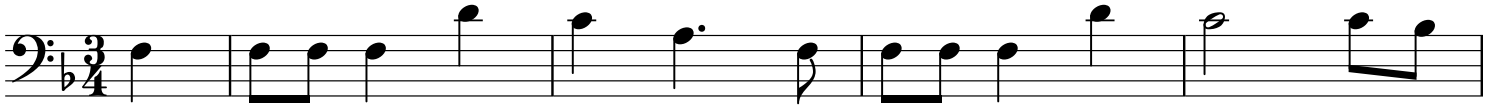
Traditional English Carol

F6

FMaj7

F6

C7



Dm7

BbMaj7 Am7

Gm7

C7

F6



F6

FMaj7

F6

C7



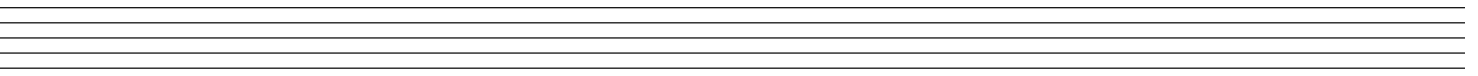
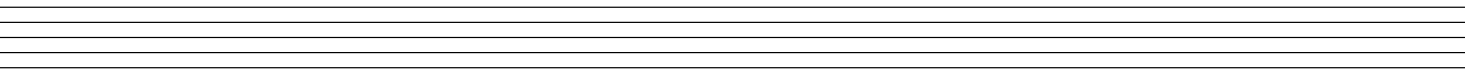
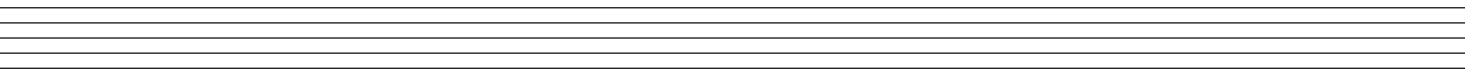
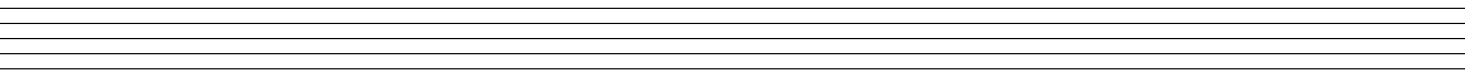
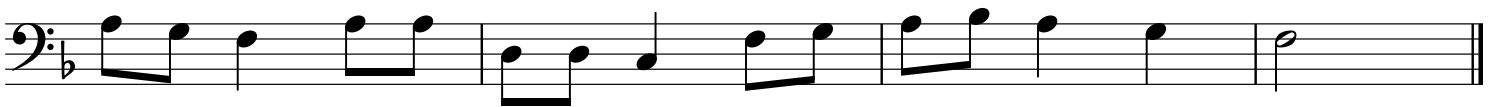
Dm7

BbMaj7 Am7

Gm7

C7

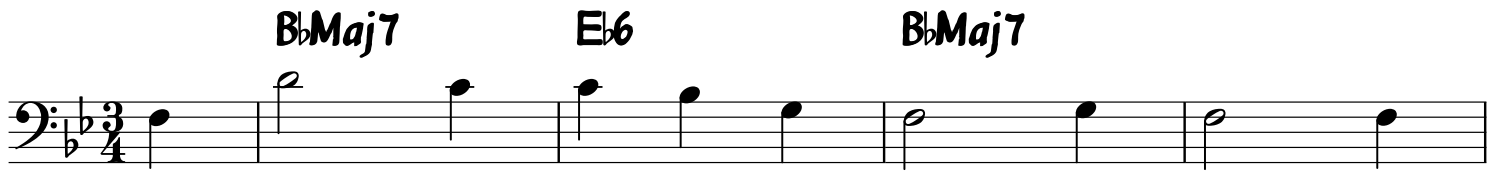
F6



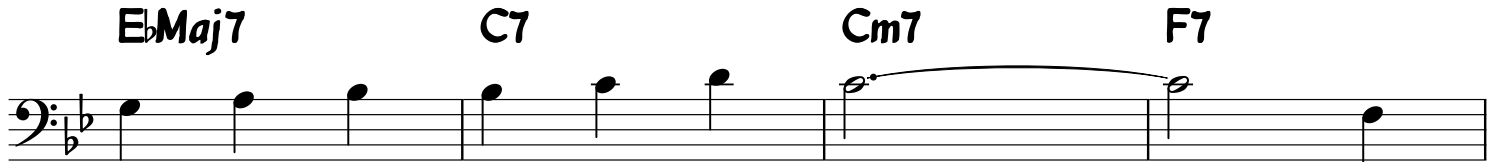
It Came Upon a Midnight Clear

Richard S. Willis

B♭Maj7 **E♭6** **B♭Maj7**



E♭Maj7 **C7** **Cm7** **F7**



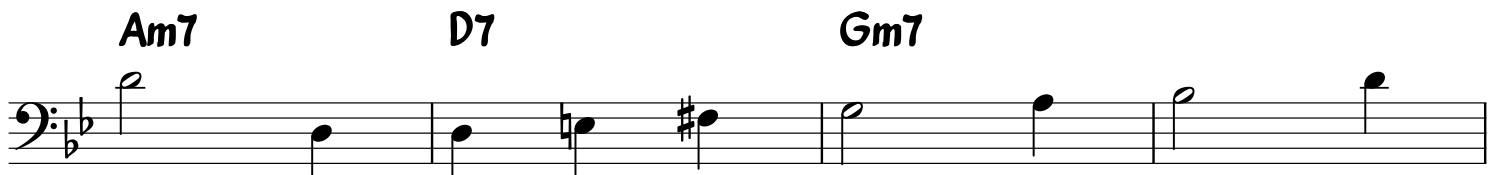
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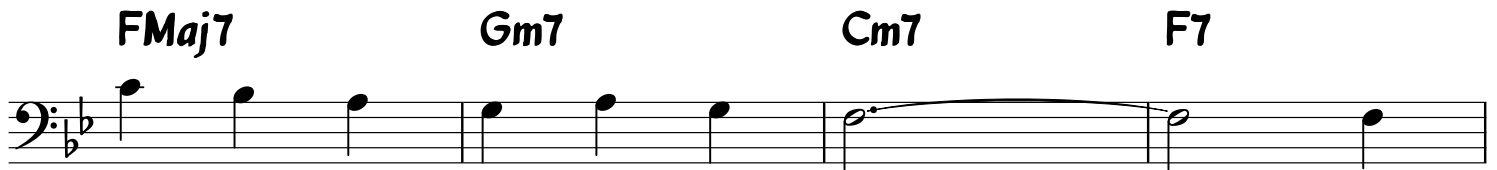
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A♯m7 **D7** **Gm7**



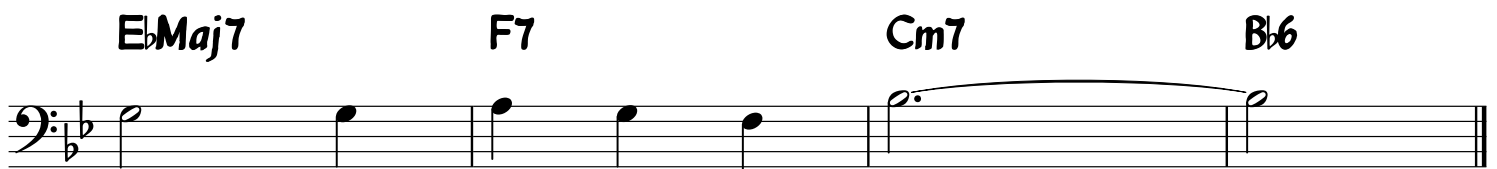
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B♭Maj7 **E♭6** **B♭Maj7** **Bdim7**



E♭Maj7 **F7** **Cm7** **B♭6**



Jingle Bells

James Lord Pierpont

FMaj7

F7

BbMaj7



Gm7

C7

Gm7

C7

FMaj7 C7#5



FMaj7

F7

BbMaj7

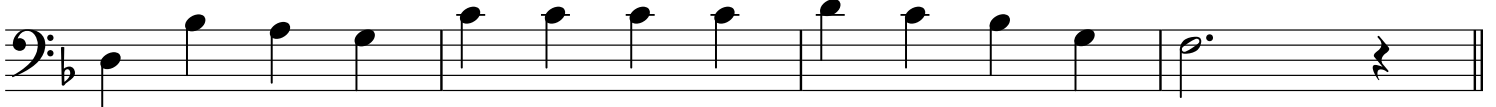


Gm7 C7

Am7 D7

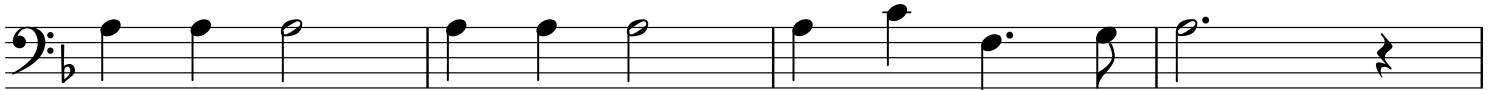
Gm7 C7

F6 C7#5



FMaj7

F7



Bb6

FMaj7

G7

C7

C7#5



FMaj7

F7



Bb6

FMaj7 Gbdim7 Gm7 C7 F6 (C7#5)



Joy to the World

Handel

B \flat 6 Dm7 F7 B \flat 6

E \flat Maj7 F7 B \flat 6 Cm7 F7

B \flat Maj7 F9 B \flat Maj7 Cm7 F9 B \flat Maj7

B \flat Maj7 Gm7 Cm7 F7

B \flat 6 G7 Cm7 F7 B \flat 6

Jolly Old Saint Nicholas

James Lord Pierpont

B♭Maj7 **F7** **Gm7** **Dm7**

E♭Maj7 **B♭Maj7** **C7** **F7**

B♭Maj7 **F7** **Gm7** **Dm7**

E♭Maj7 **B♭Maj7** **Cm7** **F7** **B♭Maj7**

O Come, All Ye Faithful

John Francis Wade

F6

Gm7

Am7

Gm7

A7#5



Dm7

G7

CMaj7

Dm7

G7

C7



Am7

D7

Gm7

FMaj7

Am7

G7

C7



F6

Gm7

C7

FMaj7

Am7

D7



Gm7

C7

Gm7

C7

F9



Oh Holy Night

Adolphe-Charles Adam

B♭Maj7

Fm7 B♭7

E♭Maj7

B♭6

B♭Maj7 F7



Gm7

Cm7 F7

B♭6

Cm7 F7



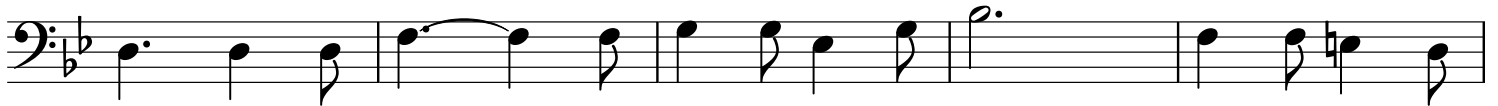
B♭Maj7

Fm7 B♭7

E♭Maj7

B♭6

B♭Maj7 B♭7b5



Dm7

Em7 A7

Dm7



Cm7

F7

B♭6

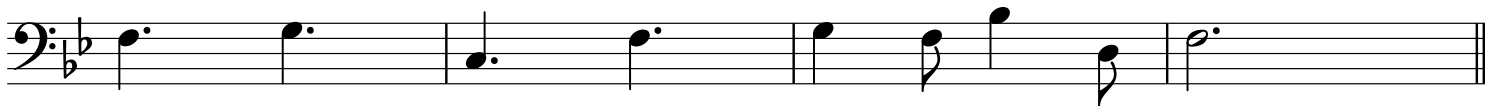


Cm7

F7

B♭6

B♭Maj7 Am7b5 D7b9



Gm7

Dm7



Cm7

Gm7



B \flat Maj7 **F7sus** **F7/E \flat** **B \flat /D** **E \flat Maj7**

Dm7 **F7sus** **F7/E \flat** **Dm7**

F7sus **F7/E \flat** **Dm7** **E \flat Maj7**

B \flat /F **F7** **B \flat Maj7** **(Cm7 F7)**

O Little Town of Bethlehem

Lewis H. Redner

FMaj7 Fdim7 FMaj7 F#dim7 Gm7 C7 FMaj7

FMaj7 D7 Gm7 Gm7 C7 F6

Dm7 Em7b5 A7 Dm7 Bb7 A7

FMaj7 Fdim7 FMaj7 F#dim7 Gm7 Gm7 C7 F6

O Tannenbaum (O Christmas Tree)

Traditional German Carol

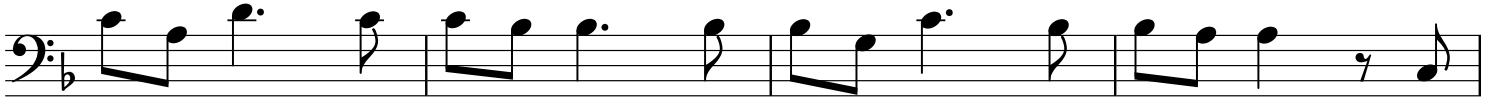
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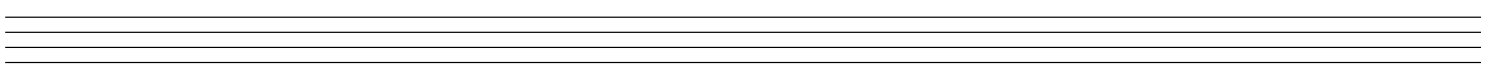
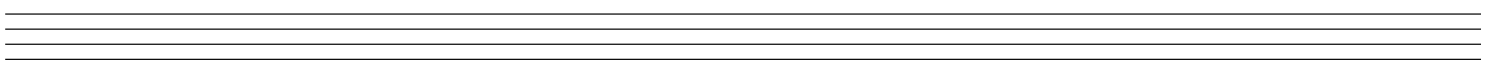
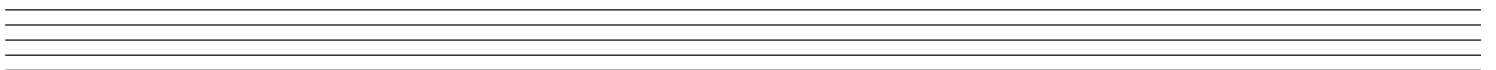
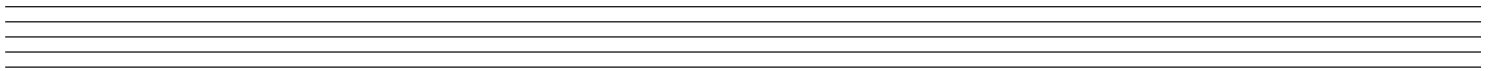
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Am7 D7 Gm7 C7 F6 C7



F6 Gm7 Am7 D7 Gm7 C7 F6



Silent Night

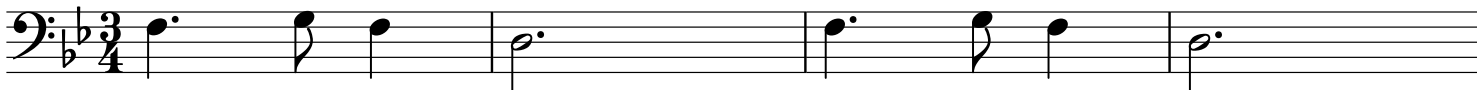
Franz X. Gruber

B♭Maj7

Cm7

Dm7

G7

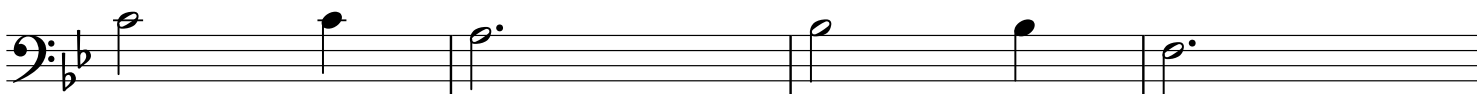


Cm7

F7

B♭6

B♭7



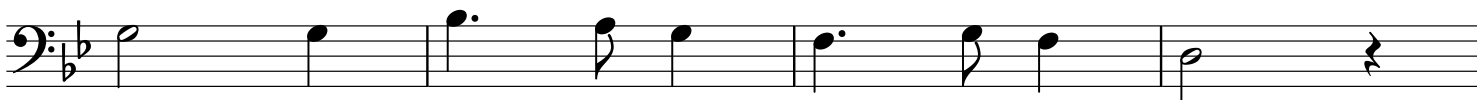
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F7

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B♭7



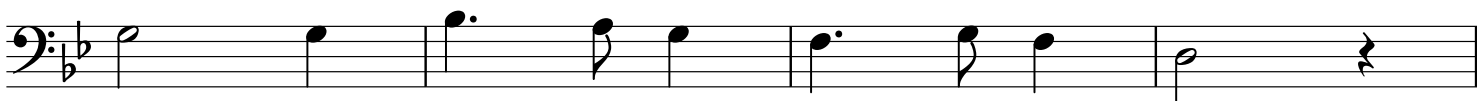
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B♭Maj7

G7



Cm7

F7

F#dim7 Gm7

C7



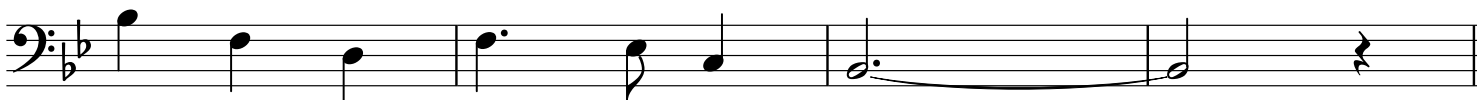
Gm7

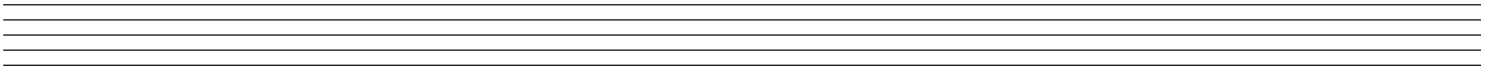
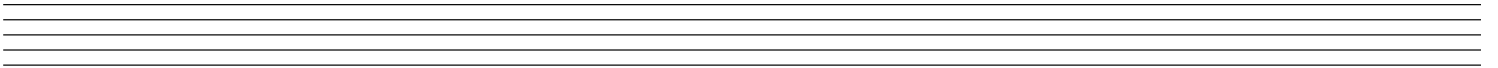
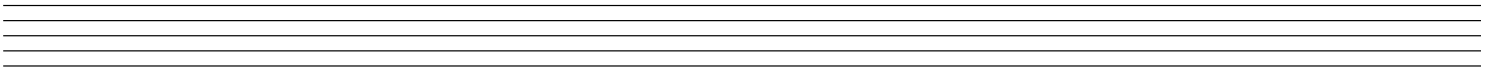
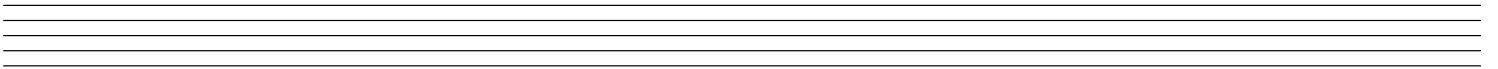
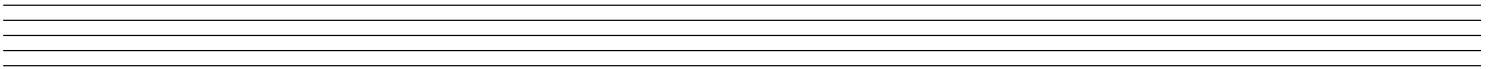
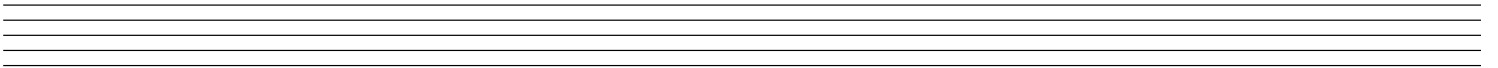
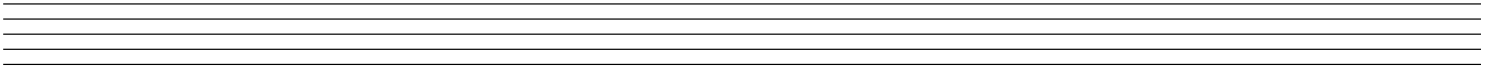
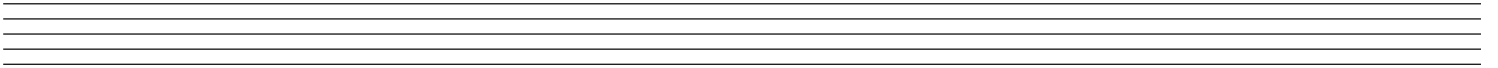
Cm7

F7

B♭6

(Cm7 F7)





6th Through 12th Day

FMaj7 **Dm7** **Gm7** **C7** **FMaj7**

C7 **Gm7** **C7** **Dm7** **G7** **C7**

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Am7 **BbMaj7** **Gm7** **C7** **FMaj7** **Dm7** **Gm7** **C7**
 To Coda

Solos (12 Bar Blues)

F7 **Bb7** **F7** **Cm7** **F7**

Bb7 **Bdim7** **F7** **D7**

Gm7 **C7** **F7** **D7** **Gm7** **C7**
 D.S. al Coda

† **Bm7** **CMaj7** **Am7** **D7** **Am7** **BbMaj7** **Gm7** **C7** **FMaj7**

We Three Kings

John Henry Hopkins Jr.

Gm7

Am7b5

D7b9

Gm7

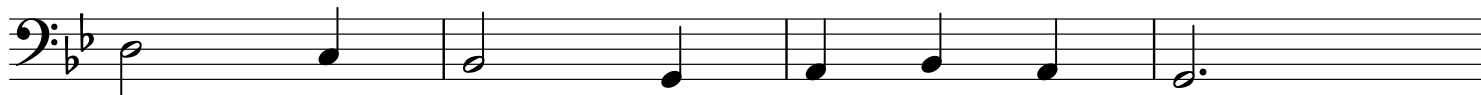


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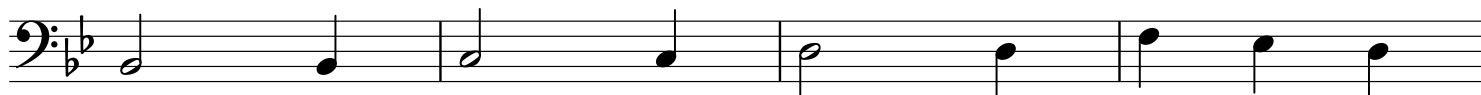


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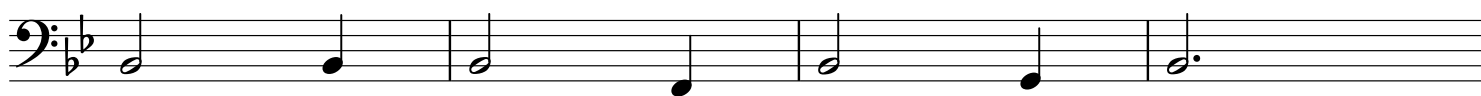
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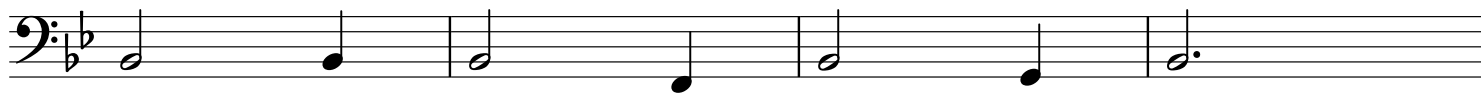
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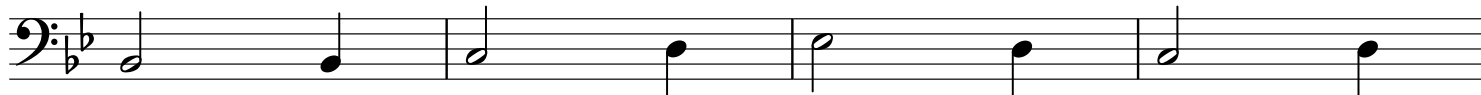


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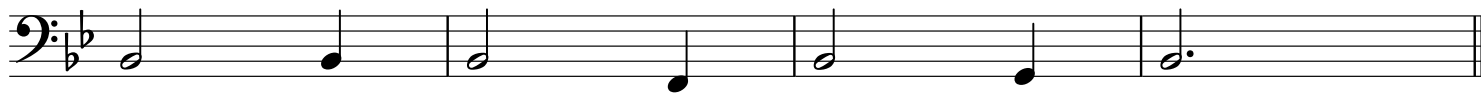
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We Wish You a Merry Christmas

Traditional English Carol

FMaj7

BbMaj7

G7

C7



A7

Dm7

Gm7

C7

F6

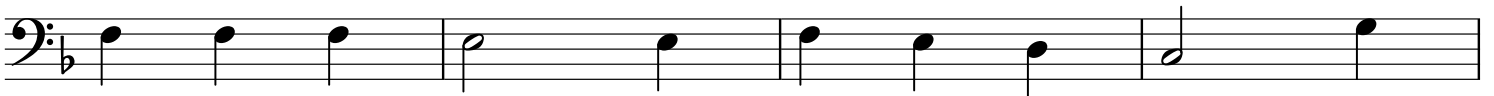


Dm7

Am7

G7

C7



FMaj7

Am7

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Gm7

C7

F6



What Child is This?

Traditional English Folk Song - "Greensleeves"

Dm7

Gm7

Em7b5

Am7

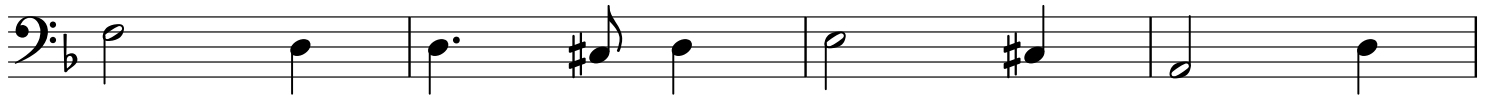


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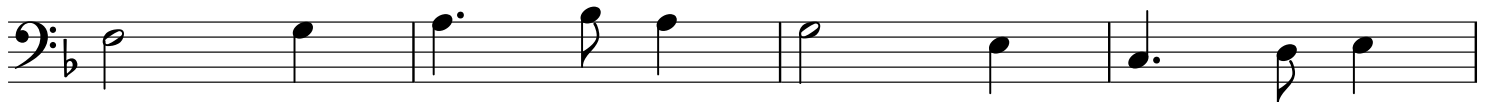


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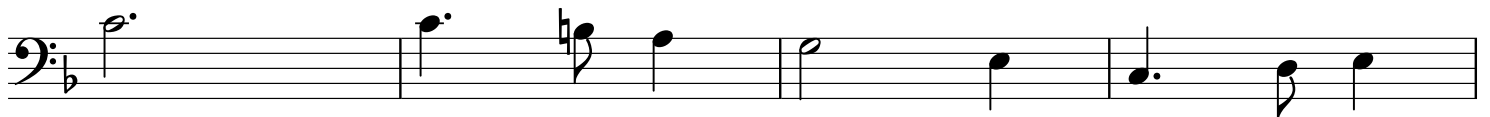
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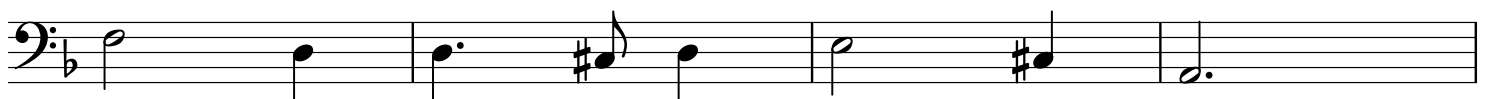


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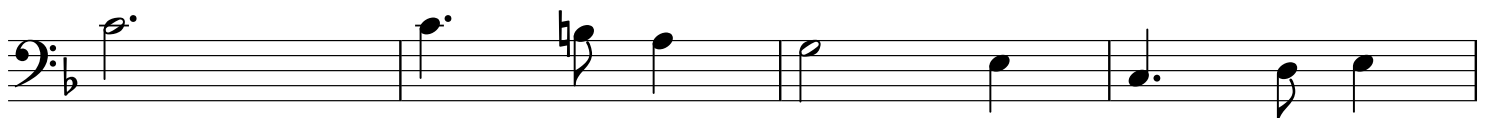
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